

**State officials set aside more tax funds to fight the EdChoice voucher lawsuit.**

No doubt some state legislators consider if a legislative proposal would violate the Constitution before introducing it. Others, like the past Senate President in Ohio, have a cavalier disposition of “we kinda do what we want.”

Before EdChoice vouchers were exponentially expanded in funding levels and eligibility, it would have been prudent for the legislature to have considered the constitutionality of the entire EdChoice voucher scheme.

The out-of-control EdChoice voucher project is being challenged in the judiciary. The State of Ohio is forced to defend a system that is indefensible. The State Defendants have an unlimited supply of money to attempt to defend it. During the 2024 lame duck session more funds were allocated for use by the State Defendants.

Ordinary Ohioans, including advocates of the public school system, are convinced that the EdChoice voucher scheme is unconstitutional and support the legal challenge.