

House Finance Committee

Minutes

February 06, 2018

Chairman Smith called the meeting of the House Finance Committee to order at 10:06 am in Statehouse Room 313. Attendance was taken and a quorum was present.

The minutes from the January 23, 2018 committee meeting were approved without objection.

Chairman Smith called up House Bill 378 for its third hearing.

Chairman Smith invited Kathryn Whittington, Ashtabula County Commissioner, to offer proponent testimony on House Bill 378. Ms. Whittington answered questions of the committee.

Chairman Smith invited Dwight Bowden, President of the Northeast Ohio Regional Airport, to offer proponent testimony on House Bill 378. Mr. Bowden answered questions of the committee,

Vice-Chairman Ryan brought to attention written proponent testimony by Mary Pepperney, private citizen, and Donald Chaplin, President of Grand River Rubber and Plastics.

Vice-Chairman Ryan called up House Bill 221 for its second hearing.

Vice Chairman Ryan invited Dustin Parker, Board Member of the Ohio Rural Water Association, to offer proponent testimony on House Bill 221. Mr. Parker answered questions of the committee.

Vice-Chairman Ryan brought to attention written proponent testimony by John Albers, Executive Committee Member for the Coalition of Ohio Regional Districts.

Vice-Chairman Ryan called up House Bill 396 for its first hearing.

Vice-Chairman Ryan invited Representatives Patterson and Carfagna to offer sponsor testimony on House Bill 396. Patterson and Carfagna answered questions of the committee.

Chairman Smith adjourned the committee at 11:33 am.

Ryan Smith, Chair

Dan Ramos, Secretary