



Committee Minutes

COMMITTEE: Government Accountability and Oversight
CHAIRPERSON: Louis W. Blessing III
DATE: January 10, 2018
TIME: 9:30 AM
ROOM: Room 114

Chairman Blessing called the meeting of the House Government Accountability & Oversight Committee to order at 9:33am in the Statehouse Room 114. Attendance was taken and a quorum was present. The minutes were accepted without objection.

Chairman Blessing called Representative Schuring and Senator Huffman to present a redistricting update. No questions were asked by the committee.

Chairman Blessing called House Bill 425 for its first hearing.

Chairman Blessing called Representative Antani and Representative Craig to provide sponsor testimony on HB 425. Rep. Antani and Rep. Craig answered the questions of the committee.

Chairman Blessing called House Bill 430 for its first hearing.

Chairman Blessing called Representative Schaffer to provide sponsor testimony on HB 430. Rep. Schaffer answered the questions of the committee.

Chairman Blessing called House Joint Resolution 5 for its first hearing.

Chairman Blessing called Representative Antani to provide sponsor testimony on HJR 5. Rep. Antani answered the questions of the committee.

Chairman Blessing called House Bill 342 for its third hearing.

Chairman Blessing called Gary Lee to proponent testimony on HB 342. No questions were asked by the committee.

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Chairman Blessing moved to accept sub bill 1_132_1356-3. The motion was passed without objection.

Chairman Blessing called House Bill 382 and House Joint Resolution 4 for their seventh hearings.

Chairman Blessing called Tim Burga of the Ohio AFL-CIO to provide opponent testimony on HB 382. Tim Burga answered the questions of the committee.

Chairman Blessing called Graham Bowman of the Ohio Poverty Law Center to provide opponent testimony on HB 382. Graham Bowman answered the questions of the committee.

Chairman Blessing called Hannah Halbert of Policy Matters Ohio to provide Interested Party testimony on HB 382. No questions were asked by the committee.

Chairman Blessing called Lisa Hamler-Fugitt of Advocates for Ohio's Future to provide Interested Party testimony on HB 382. No questions were asked by the committee.

Chairman Blessing called Senate Bill 10 for its second hearing.

Chairman Blessing called Paul Adams of the Ohio Association of Election Officials to provide proponent testimony on SB 10. Paul Adams answered the questions of the committee.

Chairman Blessing asked the members to review the written proponent testimony provided by Secretary Jon Husted on SB 10.

With no further business, the committee adjourned at 11:08am.

Louis W. Blessing III, Chair

Committee Secretary

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