Chairman Becker called the meeting of the House Federalism Committee to order at 10:06 a.m. A quorum was present, and minutes from the previous meeting were approved.

Chairman Becker called up HB 178 for its 3rd Hearing.

Doug Deeken, Director of Ohioans for Concealed Carry, was present, testified as a proponent, and answered questions from the committee.

Chris Dorr, Director of Ohio Gun Owners, was present, testified as a proponent, and answered questions from the committee.

Rep. Hood moved to amend HB 178 with AM0354X1 and explained the amendment. The roll was called and AM0354X1 was accepted into the bill.

Jeffry Smith, of Cincinnati, was present, testified as a proponent, and answered questions from the committee.

Gary Witt, Legislative Coordinator of Ohioans for Concealed Carry was present and testified as a proponent.

Donald Davidson, an Ohio resident, was present and testified as a proponent.

Paige Stemen, of Piqua, was present and testified as a proponent.

Paul Riley, of Georgetown, was present and testified as a proponent.

Donald Gregg, of Weston, was present and testified as a proponent.
Antonia Blake, of Guernsey County, was present, testified as a proponent, and answered questions from the committee.

Karl Atkins, of Springfield, was present and testified as a proponent.

Julie Sparks, of Lima, was present and testified as a proponent.

The Chairman directed the committee’s attention to the written testimony displayed on the iPads.

This concluded the 3rd hearing of HB 178.

Seeing no further business, the Chairman adjourned the meeting at 12:13 p.m.