



## Committee Minutes

**COMMITTEE:** Finance  
**CHAIRPERSON:** Scott Oelslager  
**DATE:** May 27, 2020  
**TIME:** 12:00 PM  
**ROOM:** Room 313

Chairman Oelslager called the meeting of the House Finance Committee to order at 12:05 p.m. in the House Finance Hearing Room.

The roll was called and a quorum was present.

The minutes were read and approved without objection.

Chairman Oelslager called up House Bill 670 for its first hearing.

Representative Merrin was present and gave sponsor testimony. Representative Merrin answered questions asked by the committee members.

Chairman Oelslager called up Senate Bill 310 for its third hearing. There was written only testimony from the Monroe County Commissioners, Wood County Commissioners, and Allen County Commissioner Cory Norman.

Chairman Oelslager called up House Bill 194 for its ninth hearing.

Representative Greenspan moved to amend (AM 2374). Chairman Callender seconded the motion. The motion was approved without objection.

Representative Greenspan moved to amend (AM 2390). Chairman Callender seconded the motion. The motion was approved without objection.

Representative Cera moved to amend (AM 1235x4). Representative Hicks-Hudson seconded the motion. Representative Greenspan objection. The roll was called and the motion was approved by a vote of 29-2.

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David Corey of the Bowling Centers Association of Ohio was present and gave opponent testimony.

Richard Pijper was present and gave proponent testimony.

There was written only testimony from Derek Longmeier.

Representative Greenspan moved to favorably report House Bill 194 to the floor. Representative Kelly seconded the motion. The roll was called. The motion was approved by a vote of 30-1.

Chairman Oelslager moved for the Legislative Service Commission to harmonize the bill language. Chairman Callender seconded the motion. The motion was approved without objection.

Chairman Oelslager called up House Bill 13 for its fifth hearing.

Raja Sundararajan of AEP was present and gave interested party testimony. Mr. Sundararajan answered questions asked by the committee.

Tony Long of the Ohio Chamber of Commerce was present and gave proponent testimony.

Rob Ziemkiewicz was present and gave interested party testimony on behalf of Bethany Dentler of the Medina County Port Authority. Mr. Ziemkiewicz answered questions asked by the committee.

David Corrado of the Medina County Fiber Network was present and gave interested party testimony. Mr. Corrado answered questions asked by the committee.

There was written only testimony from: The Ohio Municipal League and the Ohio Township Association; the Ohio Rural Development Alliance; Chad Wilson of Nationwide Insurance; Adam Schwiebert of the County Commissioners Association; Ernie Staten of the City of Fairlawn; Art Arnold of the Ohio Railroad Association; Holly Holtzen of AARP; Lisa Gray of Ohio Excels; Carrie Arblaster of Ohio Realtors; the Ohio Telecom Association; and the Ohio Cable Telecommunications Association.

With no further business, the committee adjourned at 1:37 p.m.

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