

House Higher Education Committee
March 26, 2019 – Minutes
Statehouse Room 122

Chairwoman Keller called the meeting of the House Higher Education Committee to order at 3:05 PM on March 26, 2019. The roll was called; a quorum was present. Recognizing a quorum, Chairwoman Keller asked the committee to review the minutes from the previous meeting on February 12, 2019 and the minutes were approved.

Chairwoman Keller called HB 16 for its first hearing. State Representative Rick Perales provided sponsor testimony. Proponent testimony was offered by Colonel Cassie B. Barlow of the Southwestern Ohio Council of Higher Education, Dr. Jo Alice Blondin of Clark State University, Dr. Steven Johnson of Sinclair Community College, Mr. Tom Walsh from the Ohio Association of Community Colleges, Chris Kershner of the Dayton Area Chamber of Commerce, and Rachel Castle from the Dayton Development Coalition. Lastly, written proponent testimony was submitted by Bruce Johnson of the Inter-University Council of Ohio.

Seeing no further business, that concluded the first hearing on HB 16.

With no further business before the committee, the House Higher Education Committee adjourned at 3:40 PM.

Chairman

Secretary