

OHIO SENATE
Committee on Transportation, Commerce and Workforce Minutes
September 23, 2020
133rd General Assembly

The Senate Committee on Transportation, Commerce, and Workforce was called to order pursuant to the meeting notice at approximately 10:05 a.m. in the Finance Hearing Room of the Statehouse.

Attendance was taken. A quorum was present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

The Chair called up Governor's appointments. Senator Hoagland motioned to approve. The following appointments were approved:

- Frank C Woodside, III to the Real Estate Appraisal Board
- Peter M. McLinden (reappointment) to the Ohio Real Estate Commission
- John Johnson to the Board of Building Standards
- Bruce T. Hale to the Ohio Board of Motor Vehicle Repair
- Randall Blanchard to the Ohio Board of Motor Vehicle Repair

The Chair called up S.B. 201 for its third hearing. Senator Johnson moved to amend with AM3205. Senator Antonio objected to the motion. Senator Johnson withdrew his motion to amend. Terrence O'Donnell from Minute Men of Ohio was present for questions (verbal only). Senator Johnson moved to amend with AM3205. Senator Hoagland seconded the motion. The amendment was adopted without objection. Senator Johnson moved to favorably report Amended S.B. 201. Senator Hoagland seconded the motion. The bill was reported favorably.

The Chair called up H.B. 442 for its first hearing. Representatives West and Roemer provided sponsor testimony (written testimony).

The Chair called up Sub. H.B. 263 for its second hearing. The following proponent testimony was provided:

- Jeff Dillon, Americans for Prosperity - Ohio (written testimony).

The Chair called up Panel Discussion on Occupational License Review Process. The following invited organizations testified:

- Ohio EPA

The Chair continued testimony for Sub. H.B. 263. The following proponent testimony was provided:

- Roy Lenardson, Opportunity Solutions Project (written testimony).
- Gary Daniels, ACLU of Ohio (written testimony).
- Kevin Werner, Ohio Justice and Policy Center (written testimony).
- Susan Jagers, Ohio Poverty Law Center (written testimony).
- Patrick Higgins, Legal Aid Society of Columbus (written testimony).
- Niki Clum, Ohio Public Defender (written only).
- Michael Shields, Policy Matters Ohio (written only).
- Quinnan Howard, Montgomery County Office of Reentry (written only).

The Chair called up S.B. 238 for its second hearing. The following proponent testimony was

provided:

- Cheryl Pete, Buckeye Art Therapy Association/Art Therapy Studio (written testimony).
- Jennifer Schwartz, Ursuline College (written testimony).
- Lisa Gallagher, Ohio Music Therapists (written testimony).
- Nikki McCarthy, Sam's Fans (written testimony).
- Erin Spring, Board Certified Music Therapist (written testimony).
- Clara Chiapparelli, Capital City Hospice (verbal only).
- Deborah Carl, self (written only).
- Linda Kleiber, Hithcock Center for Women (written only).
- Linda Tilberg, self (written only).
- Brittany Scheer, self (written only).
- Ashley Yassall, Women's Recovery Center (written only).
- Ret. Sgt Jimmy Glenn, Self (written only).
- Kristen Herrman, Self (written only).
- Gretchen Miller, American Art Therapy Assc. Board Member (written only).
- Dr. Meera Rastogi, Unviersity of Cincinnati-Clermont College (written only).
- Mike Matoney, New Directions recovery center (written only).
- Matthew Slater, Family and Community Services, Inc (written only).
- Nathaniel Albright, Self (written only).
- Dawn Freeman, Cleveland Clinic Cancer Center (written only).
- Kathryn Farmer, Crime Victim Services (written only).
- Amanda Birch, Providers for A Healthy living (written only).
- Jen McHale, self (written only).
- Steven Rice, OhioHealth (written only).
- Geraldine Pitts, Cleveland Stroke Club (written only).
- Meri Skiera, Ronald McDonald House (written only).
- Cynthia Price, Hopewell Health (written only).

The Chair called up H.B. 144 for its second hearing. The following proponent testimony was submitted:

- Rick Lucas, Ohio Nurses Association (written testimony).
- Baylee Stiers, Ohio Nurses Association (written only).
- Lisa Ochs, Ohio Nurses Association (written only).
- Shelly Malberti, Ohio Nurses Association (written only).

The committee adjourned at approximately 12:28 p.m.

Rob McColley, Chair