



## Committee Minutes

**COMMITTEE:** Government Oversight  
**CHAIRPERSON:** Bob Peterson  
**DATE:** May 7, 2024  
**TIME:** 10:00 AM  
**ROOM:** Room 114

Chair Peterson called the House Government Oversight Committee to order at 10:02 a.m. A quorum was present. The minutes from the previous meeting were read and approved without objection.

The Chair called House Bill 471 for its first hearing.

The Chair recognizes Representative Creech and the Representative King for sponsor testimony. Representative Creech and Representative King answered questions from the committee members.

The Chair called House Concurrent Resolution 15 for its first hearing.

The Chair recognizes Representative Young and Representative Seitz for sponsor testimony. No questions were asked by the committee members.

The Chair called House Bill 499 for its first hearing.

The Chair recognizes Representative Isaacsohn and the Representative Mathews for sponsor testimony. Representative Isaacsohn and Representative Mathews answered questions from the committee members.

The Chair calls House Bill 331 for its third hearing.

The Chair recognizes Greg Lawson, The Buckeye Institute, for Interested Party testimony. Greg answered the questions from committee members.

The Chair called on Representative Thomas for a motion. Representative Thomas moved to

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amend House Bill. 331 with A.M. 2035. Without objection, the amendment A.M. 2035 is adopted to House Bill 331.

The Chair called on Representative Thomas for a motion. Representative Thomas moved that House Bill 331 to be reported as amended and recommended for passage. The Clerk called the roll.

House Bill 331 was reported out of committee as amended and recommended for favorable passage by a vote of 10 affirmatives to 0 negatives.

The Chair calls House Resolution 374 for its third hearing.

The Chair called on Representative Thomas for a motion. Representative Thomas moved that House Resolution 374 to be reported as amended and recommended for passage. The Clerk called the roll.

House Resolution 374 was reported out of committee as amended and recommended for favorable passage by a vote of 10 affirmatives to 0 negatives.

The Chair calls House Bill 430 for its third hearing.

The Chair recognizes Kyle Petty, County Commissioners Association of Ohio, for Interested Party testimony. No questions were asked by the committee members.

The Chair recognizes Matt Old, County Commissioner of Erie County, for Interested Party testimony. No questions were asked by the committee members.

The Chair called on Representative Thomas for a motion. Representative Thomas moved that House Bill 430 to be reported as amended and recommended for passage.

House Bill 430 was reported out of committee as amended and recommended for favorable passage by a vote of 10 affirmatives to 0 negatives.

The Chair called Substitute Senate Bill 92 for its third hearing.

The Chair called on Representative Thomas for a motion. Representative Thomas moved to substitute Substitute Senate Bill 92 with Substitute Bill 2495.

Without objection, Substitute Bill 2495 is accepted to Substitute Senate Bill 92.

The Chair called on Representative Thomas for a motion. Representative Thomas moved that Substitute Senate Bill 92 to favorably be reported as a substitute bill and recommended for passage. The Clerk called the roll.

Substitute Senate Bill 92 was reported out of committee as amended and recommended for

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favorable passage by a vote of 10 affirmatives to 0 negatives.

The Chair called House Bill 475 for its first hearing.

The committee stood at ease at 11:08 a.m.

The committee resumed at 11:10 a.m.

The Chair recognizes Representative Williams for sponsor testimony. Representative Williams answered questions from the committee members.

The Chair called on Representative Thomas for a motion. Representative Thomas moved to substitute House Bill with Substitute Bill 0046-6.

Without objection, Substitute Bill 0046-6 is accepted to House Bill 475.

Having no further business, the committee adjourned at 11:48 a.m.

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Bob Peterson, Chair

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