



Committee Minutes

COMMITTEE: Health Provider Services
CHAIRPERSON: Al Cutrona
DATE: March 21, 2023
TIME: 3:00 PM
ROOM: Room 017

House Health Provider Services Committee
Representative Al Cutrona, Chair
3/21/2023

Chairman Cutrona called the meeting of House Health Provider Services Committee to order at 3:00 PM on March 21st, 2023.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by the committee and audience in attendance.

The roll was called; a quorum was present, and the committee proceeded as a full committee.

The minutes of the previous meeting on March 14th, 2023 were accepted without objection.

Chairman Cutrona called HB 22 for its third hearing.

- Vice Chair Representative Gross called to amend HB 22 with Amd. 0629 - a technical change.

o Chairman Cutrona called for objections on Vice Chair Gross' amendment.

o Hearing none, the amendment passed without objection and was added to the bill.

- Chairman Cutrona called HB 22 to a vote.

o With 13 affirmative votes and 0 negative votes, HB 22 was favorably reported to the Rules and Reference Committee.

Chairman Cutrona called HB 47 for its 2nd hearing. The chair called the following to testify in-person:

- Barb Roll - Wife of Richard Roll

o No questions, dismissed.

- Richard Roll - Suffered a Cardiac Arrest during a sporting event

o No questions, witness dismissed.

- Mathew Urie - Cleveland Hopkins Airport Fire Department

o No questions, witness dismissed.

- Nicole Ward - Heart Health Foundation

o No questions, witness dismissed.

- Lindsay Davis

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- o No questions, witness dismissed.
- Naomi Kertesz, MD - Nationwide Children's Hospital
- o No questions, witness dismissed.
- Jennifer Dunaway
- o No questions, dismissed.
- Peter Aziz - Cleveland Clinic
- o No questions, witness dismissed.
- Gerry Rischel - Ohio Athletic Trainers Association
- o Question was asked by Vice Chair Gross on if the witness has noticed a recent increase in the number of sudden cardiac arrests. Gerry Rischel deferred it to Dr. Kertesz. She responded that although the numbers of sudden cardiac arrests have remained consistent, they are already the largest death category.
- o Dr. Kertesz responded that the numbers Gerry Rischel cited are for cardiac arrests in general, and they want to prevent cardiac death.
- o Gerry Rischel responded that this bill can cut those numbers.
- o No further questions, witness dismissed.
- Larry Herges - Taylor High School
- o Chair Cutrona recognized that the committee had received Larry Herges' emergency actions plan. Chair Cutrona commended the district. Chair Cutrona asked Larry Herges to walk the committee through the high points of the plan.
- o Larry Herges stated that through the practice of this action plan, the committee should know that the sports teams understand how to respond appropriately to an emergency.
- o Larry Herges called on Lauren White-an athletic trainer-to detail the committee on the finer points of the plan and how to follow it. Lauren White explained to the committee how the plan would coordinate what to do in the school gyms, hallways, and practice fields.
- o Larry Herges added that coaches are required to sign off on the action plan.
- o No further questions, witness dismissed.
- Lauren White - Athletic trainer
- o No questions, witness dismissed.
- Matthew Mangine Sr. - Matthew Mangine Jr. Foundation
- o No questions, witness dismissed.
- Ralen Cleveland - The Columbus Academy
- o No questions, witness dismissed.
- The proponent testimony was concluded by the chair.

Chairman Cutrona thanked the in-person proponents for their time and testimony.

Chairman Cutrona raised the committee's attention to the written testimony.

- The following testimony was included in the record as Proponent Written Testimony from:

- o Rachelle Cook
- o Michael Emery - Cleveland Clinic
- o Sally Metcalfe
- o Keith Metcalfe
- o Denzel Ward
- o PJ Ward
- o Kanny Grewal - Ohio Chapter - American College of Cardiology

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- o Stephanie Kornet - 4Alec Foundation
- o Brandon Miller
- o Melissa Arnold - Ohio Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics
- o Drs. Tim Pritts and Amy McDonald - Ohio Chapter of the American College of Surgeons
- o Jim and Bobbie Williams
- o Evan Hoffman - Philips North America
- The following testimony was included in the record as Opponent Written Testimony from:
- o Kent Scarrett - Ohio Municipal League

After no further questions were asked; the second hearing of HB 47 was concluded.
With no further business before the committee, the House Health Provider Services Committee adjourned at 4:18 PM.

Al Cutrona, Chair

Committee Secretary

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