



Committee Minutes

COMMITTEE: Public Utilities
CHAIRPERSON: Dick Stein
DATE: May 22, 2024
TIME: 11:00 AM
ROOM: Room 114

Chairman Stein called the House Public Utilities Committee to order at 11:03 am. The clerk called the roll and a quorum was present. Chairman Stein asked the members to review the minutes from the April 3rd meeting and without any corrections or objections, the minutes were approved.

Chairman Stein brought up House Bill 197 for its seventh hearing. He called upon Representative Hoops for the purpose of a motion. Representative Hoops moved to amend HB197 with AM 2009 1. Chairman Stein asked him to explain amendment AM2009 1. Questions were asked of the sponsor and the amendment was approved without objection. The Chairman called upon Representative Hoops for the purpose of a motion. Representative Hoops moved to amend HB197 with AM 2011 1. Chairman Stein asked him to explain amendment AM2011 1. Questions were asked of the sponsor and the amendment was approved without objection. He again called upon Representative Hoops for the purpose of a motion. Representative Hoops moved to amend HB197 with AM 2012. Chairman Stein asked him to explain amendment AM2012. Questions were asked of the sponsor and the amendment was approved without objection.

Chairman Stein called on John Serak to provide Interested Party Testimony. Questions were asked of the witness and answered through the chair.

Various written testimony was uploaded to the committee website.

Chairman Stein brought up House Bill 260 for its fourth hearing. Proponent testimony was provided by Amy Spillers, President of Duke Energy Ohio. Questions were asked of the witness and answered through the chair.

At noon Chairman Stain turned the gavel over to Vice Chair Blasdel for the remainder of the

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committee.

Chair Blasdel called upon Sharon Schroeder to provide proponent testimony. Questions were asked of the witness and answered through the chair.

Chair Blasdel then called on Erica McConnell to provide interested party testimony to the committee. Questions were asked of the witness and answered through the chair.

Additionally, written proponent testimony was provided by AEP Ohio.

Seeing no further business to be brought before the committee, the House Public Utilities Committee was adjourned at 12:16 pm.

Dick Stein, Chair

Committee Secretary

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