OHIO SENATE Committee on Workforce and Higher Education Minutes May 8, 2024 135th General Assembly

The Senate Committee on Workforce and Higher Education was called to order pursuant to the meeting notice at approximately 11 03 am in the Finance Hearing Room of the Statehouse.

Attendance was taken with a quorum present. The Committee proceeded to its first order of business.

The minutes of the May 7 2024 meeting were approved

Chair Cirino provided brief remarks to explain the need for these invited testimony hearings, the rules for the committee & to those providing testimony

The Chair called for the following public university presidents for invited testimony on the state budget

Walter "Ted" Carter Jr, President of The Ohio State University

Honorable Bill Johnson, President of Youngstown State University President Johnson also brought forth Youngstown State University Chief Financial Officer Neal McNally to answer a question posed by the committee.

Chair Cirino thanked the 14 presidents who came to testify over the past months, the members of the committee, and his staff.

With no further business to come before the committee Chairman Cirino adjourned the committee at approximately 12 52 pm.

Jerry C. Cirino, Chair	