



Cleveland State University

GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE

May 30, 2024

RESOLUTION 2024-53

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO THE CENTER FOR CIVICS, CULTURE AND SOCIETY ACADEMIC COUNCIL

WHEREAS, House Bill 33 established, as an independent academic unit, a *Center for Civics, Culture, and Society*, at Cleveland State University; and

WHEREAS, the Center must conduct teaching and research in the historical ideas, traditions, and texts that have shaped the American constitutional order and society and will be housed in the Levin College of Public Affairs and Education; and

WHEREAS, the bill requires the establishment of an academic council be comprised of scholars with relevant expertise and experience; not more than one member of the council may be an employee of the university; and best efforts must be made to have no fewer than three members from Ohio; and

WHEREAS, in December 2023, the Board of Trustees considered and submitted seven candidates for the academic council to the Ohio Senate and in April 2024 the Board of Trustees considered and submitted two additional candidates; and

WHEREAS, in May 2024, the Board delegated authority to the Governance Committee to consider and approve additional candidates for the Center for Civics, Culture, and Society academic council:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Governance Committee of the Cleveland State University Board of Trustees hereby appoints the following members to the Center for Civics, Culture, and Society academic council:

- George Dent
- Tiffany Barron

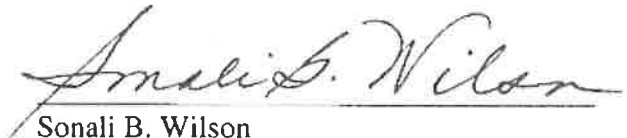
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chairman of the Board will forward the following seven (7) names for approval as the Board's final candidates for the Center for Civics, Culture, and Society academic council to the Ohio Senate.

- Christina Bambrick (University of Notre Dame)

- David Forte (Cleveland State University, Professor Emeritus of Law)
- George Dent (Case Western Reserve University, Professor of Law)
- Jerry Sue Thornton (Cuyahoga Community College, President Emerita)
- Tiffany Barron (University of Tennessee, Institute of American Civics)
- Ronald Berkman (Cleveland State University, President Emeritus)
- Dana Harsell (University of North Dakota)

CERTIFICATION:

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is a true and correct copy of the resolution adopted by the Governance Committee of the Board of Trustees of Cleveland State University at its meeting on May 30, 2024.



Sonali B. Wilson
Vice President of Legal Affairs and Compliance,
General Counsel and Board Secretary