



## Committee Minutes

**COMMITTEE:** Finance  
**CHAIRPERSON:** Brian Stewart  
**DATE:** April 3, 2025  
**TIME:** 9:00 AM  
**ROOM:** Room 313

Vice-Chairman Dovilla called the meeting of the House Finance Committee to order at 9:07 AM on April 3rd, 2025.

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

Vice-Chairman Dovilla moved to approve the minutes from the 04/02/2025 meeting. Without objection, the minutes were approved.

Vice-Chairman Dovilla called up H.B. 96 for its 6th formal hearing

Providing Testimony:

- Jason Judy
- Janae Miller
- Jana Alo
- Eric Duffy
- Jenny Carlson, AARP Ohio
- Mark Hensen
- Caroline A. Lahrman
- Mary Wachtel, Public Children Services Association of Ohio
- Maureen Willis, Ohio Consumers' Counsel
- Amy Foley, Tri-State First Responder Peer Support Team
- Jock J. Pitts, People Working Cooperatively
- Guillermo Bervejillo, Children's Defense Fund Ohio
- Carol Argiro, Huckleberry House
- Erica Schnitz, Huckleberry House
- Kyra Crockett Hodge, Huckleberry House
- Deborah Lisheid, Huckleberry House

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- Shandell Jamal, Huckleberry House
- Shadh Molla, Emmanuel Christian Academy Aerospace Institutes
- Michelle Brown, Children's Huger Alliance
- Theresa Lamps, The Ohio Council of Behavioral Health Providers
- Will Petrik, RISE Together Innovation Institute
- Jacqueline Bathas
- Lynanne Gutierrez, Groundwork Ohio
- Nicole Marshall, Westerville City School District
- Kate Rossman, Ohio Children's Alliance
- Marie McCausland, Doula Advisory Group of the Board of Nursing
- Leah Werner, Corporation for Supportive Housing
- Greg Lawson, The Buckeye Institute
- Evan Calliccoat, Ohio Farm Bureau Federation
- Pete Van Runkle, Ohio Health Care Association
- Tim Johnson, Ohio Poverty Law
- Joree Novotny, Ohio Association of Foodbanks
- Mick Yinger, First Responders' Bridge
- Kari Suhadolnik, Stow Munroe Falls City Schools
- Suzette Heller, Save a Warrior
- Paul Imhoff, Jennifer Hogue & Katie Johnson with BASA, OSBA & OASBO
- Ryan Cassell, Community Housing Network

With no further business before the Committee, the House Finance Committee adjourned at 3:20 PM.

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Brian Stewart, Chair

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Committee Secretary

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