Ohio House of Representatives

Committee Minutes

COMMITTEE: Veterans and Military Development
CHAIRPERSON: Tracy M. Richardson
DATE: October 22, 2025
TIME: **10:30 AM**
ROOM: Room 115

Chair Richardson called the meeting of the House Veterans & Military Development Committee to order at 10:32 a.m. in Room 115 of the Ohio Statehouse. The roll was called, and a quorum was present. The committee proceeded as a full committee.

Chair Richardson invited guests and members to rise for the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Chair then asked the committee to review minutes from the previous committee meeting. Without objection, the minutes were approved.

Chair Richardson called forward House Bill 297 for its third hearing. The Chair's office did not receive any testimony for this bill. This concluded the third hearing of House Bill 297.

Chair Richardson called forward House Resolution 243 for its first hearing. The Chair passed the gavel to Vice Chair Mathews while she and Representative Ghanbari provided sponsor testimony. At the conclusion of the testimony, Chair Richardson and Representative Ghanbari answered questions from the committee. This concluded the first hearing of House Resolution 243.

Vice Chair Mathews then returned the gavel to Chair Richardson.

Chair Richardson adjourned the committee meeting at 10:46 a.m.

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Tracy M. Richardson, Chair

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