OHIO SENATE
Committee on Higher Education Minutes
October 1, 2025
136th General Assembly

The Senate Committee on Higher Education was called to order pursuant the meeting notice at approximately 9:01am in the South Hearing Room.

Attendance was taken. A quorum was present.

The minutes of the May 15th meeting were approved as is.

Chair Roegner presented the following Governor's Appointment for the Committee's review:
Christyann Chavez, Washington State Community College Board of Trustees
Tyeis Baker-Baumann, Edison State Community College Board of Trustees
Sam Bassitt, James A. Rhodes State College Board of Trustees
William Ebbing, Miami University Board of Trustees
Timothy Ellenberger, Terra State Community College Board of Trustees
Nancy Fellows, Lakeland Community College Board of Trustees
Douglas Fortkamp, Edison State Community College Board of Trustees
Nicholas Gerber, Terra State Community College Board of Trustees
Derek Gerstenberger, Terra State Community College Board of Trustees
Anuj Goyal, Wright State University Board of Trustees
Kyle Hall, Clark State Community College Board of Trustees
Jean Halpin, Columbus State Community College Board of Trustees
Michael McDorman, Clark State Community College Board of Trustees
Manuel Ramirez, Clark State Community College Board of Trustees
D. Geoffrey Vince, Cleveland State University Board of Trustees
Ava Wood, Ohio University Board of Trustees
Arushi Agrawal, Miami University Board of Trustees

Vice-Chair Timken moved that the appointment be recommended to the Committee on Rules and Reference. The Motion was agreed to by a vote of 6-0.

Chair Roegner presented the following James A. Rhodes State College Trustee Selection Committee Appointments for the Committee's review:
Jill Jacobs, James A. Rhodes State College Board of Trustees

Vice-Chair Timken moved that the appointment be recommended to the Committee on Rules and Reference. The Motion was agreed to by a vote of 6-0.

There being no further business to come before the committee, Chair Roegner adjourned the meeting at approximately 9:05am.

Kristina D. Roegner, Chair