

OHIO SENATE
Committee on Health Minutes
February 3, 2021
134th General Assembly

The Senate Committee on Health was called to order pursuant to the meeting notice at approximate 9:32 am in the North Hearing Room of the Statehouse.

Attendance was taken. A quorum was present.

The minutes of the January 27th 2021 meeting were approved.

The Chairman called up S.B. 11 for its first hearing.

The following testimony was provided:

Sen. Brenner, Ohio Senate - Sponsor (Written Testimony)

The Chairman called up S.B. 21 for its first hearing.

The following testimony was provided:

Sen. Antonio, Ohio Senate - Sponsor (Written Testimony)

Sen. Nathan Manning, Ohio Senate - Sponsor (Written Testimony)

Adam Arthur, M.D., Society of Neuro Interventional Surgery (Written Testimony Only)

Pete de la Porte, Ohio Ambulance and Medical Transportation Association (Written Testimony Only)

Mark Matasic, American Heart Association (Written Testimony Only)

Dustin Holfinger, American Heart Association (Written Testimony Only)

Dr. Mark Bain, Dr. Hussain, Dr. Peter Rasmussen, Dr. Russman, Cleveland Clinic (Written Testimony Only)

Esteban Cheng-Ching, MD, Society of NeuroInterventional Surgery (Written Testimony Only)

Lauren Thomas, Self (Written Testimony Only)

Ann Gupton, Self (Written Testimony Only)

Mahesh Jayaraman, M.D, Society of NeuroInterventional Surgery (Written Testimony Only)

Rebecca L. Finni, DHS, Ohio Occupational Therapy Association (Written Testimony Only)

The Chairman called S.B. 3 for its second hearing.

The following testimony was provided:

Tiffany Bukoffsky, Ohio Nurses Association (Written Testimony Only)

Tina Thornton, Nationwide (Written Testimony Only)

Lorie Rhine, SUMMA Health (Written Testimony Only)

Jeff Dillon, AFP (Written Testimony Only)

The Chairman called up S.B. 5 for its second hearing.

The following testimony was provided:

Candace Sabers, UC Health (Written Testimony Only)
Jeff Dillon, AFP (Written Testimony Only)

Senator Roegner moved that S.B. 5 be favorably reported to the Committee on Rules and Reference. The motion was agreed to and by a vote of 7-0 the bill was favorably reported to Rules and Reference.

The Chairman called S.B. 7 for its second hearing.

The following testimony was provided:

Mary Arnold, DOT, Ohio Occupational Therapy Association (Written Testimony)
Chuck Willmarth, CAE, American Occupational Therapy Association (Written Testimony Only)
Dennis S. Cleary, OTD, Self (Written Testimony Only)
Candace Sabers, UC Health (Written Testimony Only)
Jeff Dillon, AFP (Written Testimony Only)
Paul Grace, MS, National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy (Written Testimony Only)

Senator Roegner moved that S.B. 7 be favorably reported to the Committee on Rules and Reference. The motion was agreed to and by a vote of 7-0 the bill was favorably reported to Rules and Reference.

The Chairman called S.B. 6 for its second hearing.

The following testimony was provided:

Arick Forrest, MD, The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center (Written Testimony Only)
Chelsea Wonksi, State Medical Board of Ohio (Written Testimony Only)
Thomas Collins, MD, Academy of Medicine of Cleveland and Northern Ohio (Written Testimony Only)
Dr. Cliff Deveny, CEO - SUMMA Health (Written Testimony Only)

The committee adjourned at approximately 10:00 am.

Stephen A. Huffman, Chair