County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2017-0155

Sponsored by: County Executive Budish

A Resolution confirming the County Executive’s appointment or reappointment of various individuals to serve on the City of Cleveland/Cuyahoga County Workforce Development Board for various terms, and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

WHEREAS, the Cuyahoga County Charter Section 6.04, entitled Special Boards and Commissions, states that “[w]hen general law or any agreement with another public agency or court order provides for appointment of members of a special board or commission or other agency by the board of county commissioners, such appointment shall be made by the County Executive, subject to confirmation by the Council;” and

WHEREAS, the City of Cleveland/Cuyahoga County Workforce Development Board, formerly known as Workforce Investment Board, was established to fulfill the functions outlined in the Federal Workforce Investment Act of 1998 and was created pursuant to the provisions of Ohio Revised Code Chapter 6301; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 114 of the Cuyahoga County Code provides the requirements for submission of appointments to County Council; and

WHEREAS, the joint operation between the City of Cleveland and Cuyahoga County provides public policy guidelines and exercises oversight of local programs of workforce activities; and

WHEREAS, County Executive Armond Budish has nominated the following individuals to serve on the City of Cleveland/Cuyahoga County Workforce Development Board for various terms:

i) Appointments for an unexpired term ending 6/30/2020:

   a. Sheila Wright
   b. Grace Gallucci
   c. C. Jay Matthews

ii) Reappointment:

WHEREAS, this Council by a vote of at least eight (8) members determines that it is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective in order that Charter requirements can be complied with and critical services provided by Cuyahoga County can continue, and to provide for the usual, daily operation of a County Board.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO:

SECTION 1. That the Cuyahoga County Council hereby confirms the County Executive’s appointment or reappointment of the following individuals to serve on the City of Cleveland/Cuyahoga County Workforce Development Board for various terms:

i) Appointments for an unexpired term ending 6/30/2020:
   a. Sheila Wright
   b. Grace Gallucci
   c. C. Jay Matthews

ii) Reappointment:

SECTION 2. It is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective for the usual daily operation of the County; the preservation of public peace, health, or safety in the County; and any additional reasons set forth in the preamble. Provided that this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of at least eight members of Council, this Resolution shall become immediately effective.

SECTION 3. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of the Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

On a motion by Ms. Brown, seconded by Ms. Conwell, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

Yeas: Hairston, Simon, Baker, Miller, Tuma, Gallagher, Conwell, Jones, Brown and Brady

Nays: None
First Reading/Referred to Committee: September 12, 2017
Committee(s) Assigned: Human Resources, Appointments & Equity

Legislation Substituted in Committee: September 19, 2017

Committee Report/Second Reading: September 26, 2017

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