

County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2023-0133

Sponsored by: County Executive Ronayne	A Resolution confirming the County Executive’s reappointment of Debra Rex to serve on the Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS) Advisory Board for the term 3/1/2023 – 2/28/2027; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.
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WHEREAS, Ohio Revised Code Section 205.10 establishes an “advisory committee on children services” of Cuyahoga County; and

WHEREAS, the Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS) Advisory Board shall provide independent perspective and feedback to the County and the Cuyahoga County Division of Children and Family Services (“DCFS”) leadership; and

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, pursuant to the Ohio Revised Code Section 205.10, the Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS) Advisory Board shall consist of ten (10) appointed members; and

WHEREAS, members of the Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS) Advisory Board shall be appointed to serve a four-year term; and

WHEREAS, the County Executive has nominated Debra Rex to serve on the Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS) Advisory Board for the term 3/1/2023 – 2/28/2027; and

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 of Debra Rex to serve on the Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS) Board for the term 3/1/2023 – 2/28/2027.

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. Pursuant to Cuyahoga County Charter Section 3.10(5), provided that this resolution receives the affirmative vote of a majority of 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 Mr. Jones, seconded by Ms. Conwell, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

Yeas: Miller, Sweeney, Tuma, Gallagher, Schron, Conwell, Stephens, Simon, Kelly and Jones

Nays: None

County Council President

Date

Clerk of Council

Date

First Reading/Referred to Committee: May 9, 2023

Committee(s) Assigned: Human Resources Appointments & Equity

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