



MINUTES

CUYAHOGA COUNTY PUBLIC SAFETY & JUSTICE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE MEETING
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2019
CUYAHOGA COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE HEADQUARTERS
C. ELLEN CONNALLY COUNCIL CHAMBERS – 4TH FLOOR
1:00 PM

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Gallagher called the meeting to order at 1:08 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

Mr. Gallagher asked Deputy Clerk Carter to call the roll. Committee members Gallagher, Baker and Tuma were in attendance and a quorum was determined. Committee members Brady and Conwell were absent from the meeting.

3. PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no public comments given.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE OCTOBER 29, 2019 MEETING

A motion was made by Mr. Tuma, seconded by Ms. Baker and approved by unanimous vote to approve the minutes from the October 29, 2019 meeting.

5. MATTERS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

- a) R2019-0251: A Resolution confirming the extension of the County Executive's appointment of Interim Cuyahoga County Sheriff David G. Schilling, Jr. for the term ending 12/31/2020, and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Mr. William Mason, Chief of Staff to County Executive Budish; and Mr. David Schilling, Interim Sheriff, addressed the Committee regarding Resolution No. R2019-0251. Discussion ensued.

Committee members asked questions of Messrs. Mason and Schilling pertaining to the item, which they answered accordingly.

On a motion by Mr. Tuma with a second by Ms. Baker, Resolution No. R2019-0251 was considered and approved by unanimous vote to be referred to the full Council agenda with a recommendation for passage under second reading suspension of the rules.

6. MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

- a) Attorney/client visitation at County jail

Mr. Mason and Mr. Jack Greene, representing the Cuyahoga County Public Defender's Office; addressed the Committee regarding scheduling, staffing, privacy concerns, video conferencing, dates and times relating to attorney/client visitation at the County jail. Discussion ensued.

Committee members asked questions of Messrs. Mason and Greene pertaining to the item, which they answered accordingly.

- b) Emergency calls for County jail

Sheriff Schilling; Ms. Brandy Carney, Chief Community Protection and Safety Officer; and Ms. Donna Kaleal, Business Services Manager, addressed the Committee regarding hospital admission procedures for inmates and medical costs relating to the emergency calls at the County jail. Discussion ensued.

Committee members asked questions of Sheriff Schilling, Ms. Carney and Ms. Kaleal pertaining to the item, which they answered accordingly.

7. ADJOURNMENT

With no further business to discuss, Chairman Gallagher adjourned the meeting at 2:29 p.m., without objection.