



Committee Minutes

COMMITTEE: Children and Human Services
CHAIRPERSON: Andrea White
DATE: February 26, 2025
TIME: 3:00 PM
ROOM: Room 121

Chair White called the House Children and Human Services Committee to order at 3:17 p.m. The clerk called the roll and a quorum was present. It proceeded as a full committee.

Chair White called on Nancy Eigel-Miller of 1N5 to provide interested party testimony on House Bill 96.

Chair White called on Chris Bennett of Wonderschool to provide interested party testimony on House Bill 96. He answered several questions from members of the committee.

Chair White called on Luke Russell of NAMI Ohio to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 96.

Chair White called on Dustin McKee of the Ohio Psychological Association to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 96. He answered several questions from members of the committee.

Chair White called on Liz Henrich of the Ohio Association of County Behavioral Health Authorities and Scott Sylak of the Mental Health & Recovery Services Board of Lucas County to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 96. They answered several questions from members of the committee.

Chair White called on Mark Mecum of the Ohio Children's Alliance to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 96. He answered several questions from members of the committee.

Chair White called on Vickie Thompson-Sandy of The Buckeye Ranch to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 96. She answered several questions from members of the committee.

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Chair White called on Fran Gerbig of the Prevention Action Alliance to provide interested party testimony on House Bill 96. She answered several questions from members of the committee.

Chair White called on Don Schiffbauer of Riveon Mental Health and Recovery to provide interested party testimony on House Bill 96. He answered several questions from members of the committee.

Chair White called on Michael Krause of the Ohio Peer Recovery Organizations to provide interested party testimony on House Bill 96. He answered several questions from members of the committee.

Chair White called on Karen Rose of The Ohio State University College of Nursing to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 96. She answered several questions from members of the committee.

Chair White called on Teresa Lampl of the Ohio Council of Behavioral Health and Family Services Providers to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 96. She answered several questions from members of the committee.

Chair White called on Danielle Gray of Ohio Recovery Housing to provide interested party testimony on House Bill 96. She answered several questions from members of the committee.

Chair White called on Steve MacIntyre of LifeAct to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 96. He answered several questions from members of the committee.

Chair White called on Tonya Fulwider and Maggie Hallett of Mental Health America of Ohio to provide interested party testimony on House Bill 96. They answered several questions from members of the committee.

Chair White called on Molly O'Neill of the Ohio Citizen Advocates for Addiction Recovery to provide interested party testimony on House Bill 96. She answered several questions from members of the committee.

Chair White called on Tony Coder of the Ohio Suicide Prevention Foundation to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 96. He answered several questions from members of the committee.

Seeing no further business before the committee, Chair White adjourned the committee at 6:37 p.m.

Andrea White, Chair

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