



MINUTES

CUYAHOGA COUNTY PUBLIC SAFETY & JUSTICE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE MEETING

TUESDAY, JULY 14, 2020

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 1:03 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

Mr. Gallagher asked Deputy Clerk Carter to call the roll. Committee members Gallagher, Baker, Tuma, Conwell were in attendance and a quorum was determined. Committee member Brady entered the meeting shortly after the roll-call was taken. Councilmembers Miller and Stephens were also in attendance.

3. PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no public comments given.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE JUNE 30, 2020 MEETING

A motion was made by Mr. Tuma, seconded by Mr. Gallagher and approved by unanimous vote to approve the minutes from the June 30, 2020 meeting.

5. MATTERS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

- a) R2020-0146: A Resolution authorizing an agreement with Alcohol, Drug Addiction and Mental Health Services Board of Cuyahoga County in the amount not-to-exceed \$884,400.00 for residential and intensive outpatient treatment services in connection with the Medication Assisted Treatment II Drug Court Expansion Project for the period 5/31/2019 - 5/30/2024; authorizing the County Executive to execute

the agreement and all other documents consistent with this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Mr. Martin Murphy, Administrator of the Corrections Planning Board, addressed the Committee regarding Resolution No. R2020-0146. Discussion ensued.

Committee members and Councilmembers asked questions of Mr. Murphy pertaining to the item, which he answered accordingly.

On a motion by Ms. Conwell with a second by Mr. Brady, Resolution No. R2020-0146 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. PRESENTATION

a) Cuyahoga County Police Officer Training

Chief Clayton Harris, Chief of Police for Cuyahoga Community (TRI-C) College; Ms. Carole Ballard, Director of Education and Training for the Alcohol, Drug Addiction and Mental Health Services (ADAMHS) Board of Cuyahoga County; Mr. Greg Truhan, Consultant for the ADAMHS Board; Mr. Ellis Johnson Jr., representing Tri-C; Chief Jack Hall, Chief of the Village of Westfield Police Department; Lt. George Lichman, representing the City of Rocky River Police Department; Mr. Pierre Bejjani, Chairman of the Cleveland American Middle East Organization; Mr. Scott Osiecki, Chief Executive Officer of the ADAMHS Board; and The Honorable Pamela Bobst, Mayor of the City of Rocky River, provided the Committee with an overview of the police training model and information related to communication and de-escalation tactics, role of law enforcement in mass gatherings and bias free policing. Discussion ensued.

7. MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

There was no miscellaneous business.

8. ADJOURNMENT

With no further business to discuss, Chairman Gallagher adjourned the meeting at 2:12 p.m., without objection.