

MINUTES
CUYAHOGA COUNTY COUNCIL COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE
THURSDAY, MARCH 3, 2011
CUYAHOGA COUNTY JUSTICE CENTER
COUNCIL CHAMBERS – 1ST FLOOR
10:00 AM

CONFIRMATION HEARING FOR EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENT OF DIRECTOR OF
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Council President Connally at 10:06 a.m.

2. ROLL CALL

The Clerk called the roll. Councilmembers Greenspan, Miller, Brady, Germana, Gallagher, Schron, Conwell, Jones, Connally and Rogers were in attendance and a quorum was determined. Ms. Simon joined the meeting shortly after roll call was taken.

**3. CONFIRMATION HEARING FOR DIRECTOR OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES –
Richard Warner**

Mr. Richard Werner, nominee for the position of Director of Health and Human Services, was called upon to deliver an opening statement. Mr. Werner provided some background into his education, experience and qualifications for the position. Mr. Werner also provided information regarding his accomplishments as Deputy County Administrator at Health and Human Services under the prior governance.

Councilmembers asked questions of Mr. Werner pertaining to his experience and expertise, which he answered accordingly.

A motion was made by Mr. Brady, seconded by Mr. Miller and approved by unanimous vote to refer the County Executive's nomination of Mr. Richard Werner to the full Council for consideration.

4. PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment.

5. ADJOURNMENT

Having no further business, on a motion by Mr. Miller and seconded by Mr. Germana, the meeting was adjourned at 12:02 p.m., without objection.