

## MINUTES

CUYAHOGA COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS, PROCUREMENT & CONTRACTING COMMITTEE MEETING WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2013 CUYAHOGA COUNTY JUSTICE CENTER COUNCIL CHAMBERS – 1<sup>ST</sup> FLOOR 11:00 AM

## 1. CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Jones called the meeting to order at 11:09 a.m.

2. ROLL CALL

Mr. Jones asked Assistant Deputy Clerk Carter to call the roll. Committee members Jones, Germana, Conwell and Miller were in attendance and a quorum was determined. Committee member Simon was absent from the meeting. Councilmember Rogers was also in attendance.

3. PUBLIC COMMENT RELATED TO THE AGENDA

No public comments were given.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE SEPTEMBER 4, 2013 MEETING

A motion was made by Mr. Germana, seconded by Ms. Conwell and approved by unanimous vote to approve the minutes of the September 4, 2013 meeting.

- 5. MATTERS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE
  - a) <u>O2011-0048</u>: An Ordinance requiring the County Executive to contract for and conduct a Disparity Study in 2012 and, if required by law to validate the Disparity Study, every five years thereafter; and requiring annual updates of said Study, if required by law.

Ms. Sharon Cole, Deputy Chief of Operations; Ms. Lisa Averyhart, Assistant Law Director; and Mr. Trevor McAleer, Legislative Budget Advisor, addressed the Committee regarding Ordinance No. O2011-0048. Discussion ensued.

Committee members and Councilmembers asked questions of Ms. Cole, Ms. Averyhart and Mr. McAleer pertaining to the item, which they answered accordingly.

Mr. Jones introduced a proposed substitute to Ordinance No. O2011-0048. Discussion ensued.

A motion was then made by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Germana and approved by unanimous vote to accept the proposed substitute.

On a motion by Ms. Conwell with a second by Mr. Germana, Ordinance No. O2011-0048 was considered and approved by unanimous vote to be referred to the full Council agenda for second reading, as substituted.

6. MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

Mr. Jones announced that the next Public Works, Procurement & Contracting Committee meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 18, 2013 at 11:00 a.m.

7. OTHER PUBLIC COMMENT

No public comments were given.

8. ADJOURNMENT

With no further business to discuss, Chairman Jones adjourned the meeting at 11:00 a.m., without objection.