

Date: June 28, 2022

Resolution No. 22-548

Title: Supporting the Establishment of and Endorsement of Representatives to the OneOhio Recovery Foundation Region 4 Board

Department/Agency: Administration

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Summary/Background: In March 2020, the State of Ohio and local governments throughout the State banded together to create The OneOhio Memorandum of Understanding (MOU), a one-of-a-kind in the Nation, agreement giving Ohio's Local Governments (counties, townships, cities and villages) a direct role in directing Opioid Funds to implement strategies for community recovery from the opioid crisis. The OneOhio MOU establishes a mechanism to disburse settlement proceeds from opioid litigation into Ohio's communities to help abate the opioid crisis through investment in programs that address prevention, treatment, recovery, public awareness, criminal justice and other crucial services. A component of The OneOhio MOU establishes a statewide foundation (OneOhio Recovery Foundation) and regional boards to distribute portions of settlement funds. The geographic boundaries of Lucas County are designated as Region 4 of the OneOhio Recovery Foundation. As a region, Lucas County (Region 4) is to establish a regional board to designate recipients of regional foundation allocations and to appoint a representative to the statewide OneOhio Recovery Foundation.

The Board of County Commissioners supports the establishment of the OneOhio Recovery Foundation Region 4 Board with the following representation:

Three (3) representatives from the Board of County Commissioners;

Two (2) representatives from the City of Toledo;

One (1) representative appointed by a simple majority of the municipalities of Lucas County, excluding any municipality that already has a seat; and

One (1) representative appointed by a simple majority of the townships of Lucas County, excluding any township that already has a seat.

The Board of County Commissioners endorses Linda Howe, Johnetta McCollough, and Said Orra to serve as the Board of County Commissioner representatives on the OneOhio Recovery Foundation Region 4 Board.

Budget Impact: N/A

Statutory Authority/ORC: OneOhio Memorandum of Understanding

Commissioner Skeldon Wozniak offered the following resolution:

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WHEREAS, in consideration of the above, NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners, Lucas County, Ohio, that:

Section 1. The Board supports the establishment of the OneOhio Recovery Foundation Region 4 Board with the following representation:

Three (3) representatives from the Board of County Commissioners;

Two (2) representatives from the City of Toledo;

One (1) representative appointed by a simple majority of the municipalities of Lucas County, excluding any municipality that already has a seat; and

One (1) representative appointed by a simple majority of the townships of Lucas County, excluding any township that already has a seat.

Section 2. The Board endorses Linda Howe, Johnetta McCollough, and Said Orra to serve as the Board of County Commissioner representatives on the OneOhio Recovery Foundation Region 4 Board.

Section 3. This Board finds and determines that all formal actions of this Board concerning and relating to the adoption of this resolution were taken in an open meeting of this Board and that all deliberations of this Board that resulted in those formal actions were in meeting open to the public in compliance with the law.

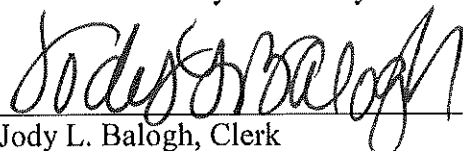
Section 4. This resolution shall be in full force and effect from and immediately upon its adoption.

Action Taken:

Commissioner Skeldon Wozniak voted yes

Commissioner Gerken voted yes

Commissioner Byers voted yes.



Jody L. Balogh, Clerk