

# **Cuyahoga County Council – Procedures for Public Comment at Council and Committee Meetings**

- Requests to speak must be submitted in writing prior to the <u>scheduled</u> <u>meeting start time</u> on the Request Form provided by the Clerk immediately prior to each meeting.\*
- Request Forms <u>must be submitted in-person</u> and may not be submitted on behalf of others (one per person).
- A maximum of thirty speakers will be selected at random during the public comment section at each meeting.
- Each speaker will receive two minutes to address the council or committee.
   A bell will ring to signal that speaking time has ended. Speakers may not yield their time to others.
- In lieu of verbal public comment, written testimony may be submitted to Council or the applicable committee through the Clerk of Council at CouncilPublicComment@cuyahogacounty.us prior to the adjournment of each meeting.
- The Council and committee meeting schedule can be found on the Council website.

<sup>\*</sup> Council chambers will open to the public 30 minutes prior to the scheduled meeting start time.

### **CUYAHOGA COUNTY COUNCIL**



#### **REGULAR MEETING**

CUYAHOGA COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE HEADQUARTERS, 4th FLOOR

MEETING AGENDA
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2025 — 5:00 P.M.

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. ROLL CALL
- 3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- 4. SILENT MEDITATION
- 5. PUBLIC COMMENT
- 6. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
  - a) September 9, 2025 Committee of the Whole Meeting
  - b) September 9, 2025 Regular Meeting
- 7. ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT
- 8. MESSAGES FROM THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE
- 9. LEGISLATION INTRODUCED BY COUNCIL
  - a) CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS OF COUNCIL FOR FIRST READING AND REFERRAL TO COMMITTEE
    - 1) R2025-0273: A Resolution awarding a total sum, not to exceed \$10,000, to the Mejor Via Foundation for the purchase and renovation of 3212 Fulton Road from the District 3 ARPA Community Grant Fund; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsor: Councilmember Sweeney

2) R2025-0274: A Resolution authorizing an amendment to Resolution No. R2024-0396 in an amount not to exceed \$250,000, to the Murtis Taylor Human Services System for the relocation of the Students of Promise/Prentiss Place Transitional Living Project from the District 8 ARPA Community Grant Fund; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsor: Councilmember Jones

3) R2025-0275: A Resolution awarding a total sum, not to exceed \$5,000, to the Friends of the Henn Mansion, Inc. for the repair of the Henn Mansion Chimney's Project from the District 11 ARPA Community Grant Fund; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsor: Councilmember Simon

### b) COMMITTEE REPORTS AND CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS OF COUNCIL FOR SECOND READING

1) R2025-0260: A Resolution awarding a total sum, not to exceed \$10,000, to PetFix Northeast Ohio, Inc. for the purpose of opening a spay/neuter clinic in Garfield Heights from the District 11 ARPA Community Grant Fund; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsors: Councilmembers Simon, Jones, Schleper and Miller

Committee Assignment and Chair: Education, Environment & Sustainability – Simon

2) <u>R2025-0261</u>: A Resolution adopting various changes to the Cuyahoga County Non-Bargaining Classification Plan; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsor: Councilmember Sweeney on behalf of Cuyahoga County Personnel Review Commission

Committee Assignment and Chair: Human Resources, Appointments & Equity – Sweeney

### c) CONSIDERATION OF AN ORDINANCE OF COUNCIL FOR FIRST READING AND REFERRAL TO COMMITTEE

1) <u>O2025-0005</u>: An Ordinance amending Sections 303.01, 303.03, and 303.06 of the Cuyahoga County Code to update and clarify the Cuyahoga County Civil Service Plan to ensure consistency with the Charter of Cuyahoga County and the Administrative Rules of the Personnel Review Commission.

Sponsor: Councilmember Sweeney on behalf of the Personnel Review Commission

## d) COMMITTEE REPORT AND CONSIDERATION OF AN ORDINANCE OF COUNCIL FOR SECOND READING

1) O2025-0004: An Ordinance amending Sections 1501.01 and 1501.02 of the Cuyahoga County Code and Section 3.02 of the Cuyahoga County Employee Handbook to prohibit discrimination on the basis of a person's hair texture or hair

style commonly associated with a particular race or national origin in the areas of housing, employment, and places of public accommodation.

Sponsors: Councilmembers Houser, Turner, Schleper and County Executive Ronayne

Committee Assignment and Chair: Human Resources, Appointments & Equity – Sweeney

#### 10. LEGISLATION INTRODUCED BY EXECUTIVE

### a) CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION FOR FIRST READING ADOPTION UNDER SUSPENSION OF RULES

1) R2025-0276: A Resolution amending the 2024/2025 Biennial Operating Budget for 2025 by providing for additional fiscal appropriations from the General Fund and other funding sources, for appropriation transfers between budget accounts and for cash transfers between budgetary funds, to meet the budgetary needs of various County departments; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsor: County Executive Ronayne/Fiscal Officer/Office of Budget and Management

### b) CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS FOR FIRST READING AND REFERRAL TO COMMITTEE

1) <u>R2025-0277</u>: A Resolution confirming the County Executive's appointment of Anthony W. Scott to serve on the Cuyahoga County Community Improvement Corporation Board of Trustees for an unexpired term ending 1/31/2027; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsor: County Executive Ronayne

2) R2025-0278: A Resolution confirming the County Executive's reappointment of the Honorable Mayor Gregory P. Kurtz to serve on the Cuyahoga County Planning Commission representing the Cuyahoga Region for the term 1/1/2026 – 12/31/2028; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsor: County Executive Ronayne

3) R2025-0279: A Resolution confirming the County Executive's reappointment of the Honorable Mayor Georgine Welo to serve on the Cuyahoga County Planning Commission representing the Hillcrest Region for the term 1/1/2026 – 12/31/2028; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsor: County Executive Ronayne

4) R2025-0280: A Resolution confirming the County Executive's appointment of Bryan M. Edwards to serve on the Cuyahoga County Tax Incentive Review Council for an unexpired term ending 12/31/2026; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsor: County Executive Ronayne

5) R2025-0281: A Resolution authorizing an amendment to Contract No. 4655 (formerly known as Contract Nos. 3405, 1014 and CE0800729) to consolidate it with Contract No. 4656 (fka Contract Nos. 877 and CE0600297) with 4209 Euclid, LLC for lease of parking spaces located near E. 40<sup>th</sup> St. and Euclid Avenue in the City of Cleveland. This amendment terminates the 2006 Lease (Contract No. 4656) and incorporates its 150-parking spaces into the 2008 Lease (Contract No. 4655) for the period 8/15/2024 through 4/30/2028 to extend the time period to 6/30/2028, to add additional funds not-to-exceed \$600,480.00, and to amend terms, effective 7/1/2025; authorizing the County Executive to execute the amendment and all other documents consistent with this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsor: County Executive Ronayne/Department of Public Works

6) R2025-0282: A Resolution authorizing an amendment to Contract No. 4086 (fka 864 and CE1500266-01) with HH Golden Gate, LLC for lease of office space in Golden Gate Shopping Center, located at 6420 Mayfield Road in the City of Mayfield Heights for the period 10/1/2015 – 12/31/2025 to exercise an option to extend the time period to 12/31/2030, to change the terms, and for additional funds in the amount not-to-exceed \$549,135.20, effective 8/21/2025; authorizing the County Executive to execute the amendment and all other documents consistent with this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective,

Sponsor: County Executive Ronayne/Department of Public Works and Fiscal Office/Auto Title Division

7) R2025-0283: A Resolution authorizing a contract with Johnson Controls, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$2,618,567.00 for a joint cooperative purchase of preventative maintenance and repair services for HVAC, Fire Alarm, and Security Systems at various County locations for the period 11/1/2025 – 12/31/2028; authorizing the County Executive to execute Contract No. 5627 and all other documents consistent with this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsor: County Executive Ronayne/Department of Public Works

8) R2025-0284: A Resolution authorizing a Tax Certificate Sale/Purchase Revenue Generating Agreement (via Contract No. 5653) with NAR Solutions, Inc. dba NAR Ohio, LLC in the amount not-to-exceed \$40,000,000.00 for the sale of tax lien certificates for the period 11/1/2025 – 11/30/2027; 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.

Sponsor: County Executive Ronayne/Treasurer's Office

9) R2025-0285: A Resolution authorizing a contract with Cyclomedia Technology, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$ 2,588,000.00 for a joint cooperative purchase of high-resolution, street-level cyclorama imagery and LiDAR for measurement of structures for the Fiscal Office's appraisal process, effective upon signatures of all parties through 12/31/2030, authorizing the County Executive to execute Contract No. 5504 and all other documents consistent with this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsor: County Executive Ronayne/Department of Information Technology

10) R2025-0286: A Resolution making a sole source award on RQ16046 to InfoPro Computer Solutions in the amount not-to-exceed \$2,490,000.00 for maintenance and support, system documentations, training and related products and services for the Buckeye Case Management and Computer Network Systems for the period 1/1/2026 – 12/31/2030; authorizing the County Executive to execute Contract No. 5443 and all other documents consistent with said award and this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsor: County Executive Ronayne on behalf of Court of Appeals of Ohio, Eighth Appellate District

#### c) COMMITTEE REPORTS AND CONSDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS FOR SECOND READING

1) R2025-0266: A Resolution declaring that public convenience and welfare requires the rehabilitation of Fairmount Bridge No. 10.80 over the Chagrin River in the Village of Hunting Valley; total estimated project cost \$2,300,800.00; finding that special assessments will neither be levied nor collected to pay for any part of the County's costs of said improvement; authorizing the County Executive to enter into an agreement of cooperation with said municipality; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsor: County Executive Ronayne/Department of Public Works

Committee Assignment and Chair: Public Works, Procurement & Contracting – Jones

2) R2025-0267: A Resolution declaring that public convenience and welfare requires the rehabilitation of McCracken Road Bridge No. 01.36 over Mill Creek in the Cities of Garfield Heights and Maple Heights; total estimated project cost \$3,000,000.00; finding that special assessments will neither be levied nor collected to pay for any part of the County's costs of said improvement; authorizing the County Executive to enter into agreements of cooperation with said municipalities; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsor: County Executive Ronayne/Department of Public Works

Committee Assignment and Chair: Public Works, Procurement & Contracting – Jones

- 3) R2025-0269: A Resolution authorizing A Master Subgrant Agreement with various School Districts in the total amount not-to-exceed \$1,331,982.00 for the purchase and installation of solar arrays, effective upon signatures of all parties through 12/31/2025; authorizing the County Executive to execute the Master Subgrant agreement and all other documents consistent with said agreement and this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective:
  - a) Contract No. 5525 with Cleveland Municipal School District in the anticipated amount not-to-exceed \$443,994.00.
  - b) Contract No. 5526 with East Cleveland School District in the anticipated amount not-to-exceed \$443,994.00.
  - c) Contract No. 5527 with Maple Heights School District in the anticipated amount not-to-exceed \$443,994.00.

Sponsor: County Executive Ronayne/Department of Public Works/Division of Public Utilities

Committee Assignment and Chair: Education, Environment & Sustainability – Simon

### d) COMMITTEE REPORTS AND CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS FOR SECOND READING ADOPTION UNDER SUSPENSION OF RULES

1) R2025-0252: A Resolution authorizing an amendment to Agreement No. 401 with The MetroHealth System for an Opioid Treatment Program and addiction support services for inmates detained at the Cuyahoga County Corrections Center for the period 3/23/2021 – 12/31/2024 to extend the time period to 12/31/2026, to amend the terms, and for additional funds in the amount not-to-exceed \$2,882,687.00, effective upon signatures of all parties, reflecting retroactive budget changes as of 1/1/2025; authorizing the County Executive to execute the

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

Sponsors: County Executive Ronayne/Sheriff's Department and Councilmember Turner

Committee Assignment and Chair: Public Safety & Justice Affairs - Gallagher

- 2) R2025-0258: A Resolution authorizing an amendment to a Master Contract with various providers for Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) to Skills Employment and Training services for the period 10/1/2023 9/30/2025 to extend the time period to 9/30/2026 and for additional funds in the total amount not-to-exceed \$1,300,000.00, effective 10/1/2025; authorizing the County Executive to execute the Master Contract and all other documents consistent with this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective:
  - a) Contract No. 3684 with The Centers for Families and Children in the amount not-to-exceed \$140,000.00.
  - b) Contract No. 3704 with Cleveland Center for Arts & Technology dba New Bridge Cleveland in the amount not-to-exceed \$400,000.00.
  - c) Contract No. 3707 with Cuyahoga County Public Library in the amount not-to-exceed \$50,000.00.
  - d) Contract No. 3710 with Goodwill Industries of Greater Cleveland and East Central Ohio, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$60,000.00.
  - e) Contract No. 3706 with Lutheran Metropolitan Ministry in the amount not-to-exceed \$150,000.00.
  - f) Contract No. 3708 with Towards Employment in the amount not-to-exceed \$200,000.00.
  - g) Contract No. 3711 with West Side Catholic Center in the amount not-to-exceed \$300,000.00.

Committee Assignment and Chair: Health, Human Services & Aging-Conwell

3) R2025-0259: A Resolution authorizing an amendment to Contract No. 3344 (fka Contract No. 2574) with Keefe Commissary Network, LLC for Jail Commissary services for the period 8/11/2022 – 8/10/2025 to extend the time period to 12/31/2030, to establish a not-to-exceed amount of the contract at \$15,500,000.00, and to amend pricing schedules, effective 8/10/2025; authorizing the County Executive to execute the amendment and all other documents

consistent with this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsors: County Executive Ronayne/Sheriff's Department and Councilmember Turner

Committee Assignment and Chair: Public Safety & Justice Affairs – Gallagher

4) R2025-0264: A Resolution confirming the County Executive's appointment of Michael J. Negray to serve on Cuyahoga County Corrections Planning Board for the term 1/2/2025 – 1/1/2028; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsors: County Executive Ronayne and Councilmember Sweeney

Committee Assignment and Chair: Human Resources, Appointments & Equity – Sweeney

5) <u>R2025-0265</u>: A Resolution confirming the County Executive's reappointment of Lauren Beene, MD to serve on the Cuyahoga County Women's Health Commission for the term 5/1/2025 – 4/30/2028; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsor: County Executive Ronayne

Committee Assignment and Chair: Human Resources, Appointments & Equity – Sweeney

6) R2025-0268: A Resolution authorizing an amendment to Contract No. 2359 (fka Contract Nos. 900 & CE1500299-01, 02, 03 and 06) with Halle Industrial Park, LLC for lease of space located at 1890 East 40<sup>th</sup> Street, Cleveland for the period 6/1/2015 - 8/31/2025, to extend the time period to 8/31/2030, to amend terms, and for additional funds in the amount not-to-exceed \$8,513,154.72; authorizing the County Executive to execute the amendment and all other documents consistent with this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsors: County Executive Ronayne/Department of Public Works and Councilmember Conwell

Committee Assignment and Chair: Public Works, Procurement & Contracting – Jones

7) R2025-0270: A Resolution authorizing affordable housing loans to various organizations in the total amount not-to-exceed \$5,100,000.00 for the Affordable Housing Gap Financing Program which will assist in the creation of 557 new construction, affordable housing units and the retention of 147 units; authorizing

the County Executive and/or Director of Housing and Community Development to execute all documents consistent with said loans and this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective:

- a) Cleveland West Veterans Housing L.P in the amount not-to-exceed \$1,000,000.00 for the development of 62 units of multifamily and permanent supportive housing for homeless veterans, located at 3311 West 73<sup>rd</sup> Street in the City of Cleveland.
- b) Hough Senior Independent Living L.P. in the amount not-to-exceed \$500,000.00 for the development of 55 units of permanent supportive housing for seniors, located at 8910 Hough Avenue in the City of Cleveland.
- c) Cleveland Heights Senior Housing Limited Partnership in the amount not-to-exceed \$600,000.00 for the development of 71 senior housing units, located at 2728 Lancashire Road in the City of Cleveland Heights.
- d) Depot on Detroit L.P. in the amount not-to-exceed \$500,000.00 for the development of 60 multifamily housing units, located at 10300 Detroit Avenue in the City of Cleveland.
- e) Gateway 66 Limited Partnership in the amount not-to-exceed \$500,000.00 for the development of 80 multifamily housing units, located at 1521 E. 66<sup>th</sup> Street in the City of Cleveland.
- f) Fairfax Innovation Square 2, L.P in the amount not-to-exceed \$500,000.00 for the development of 67 multifamily housing units, located at 2287 East 103<sup>rd</sup> Street in the City of Cleveland.
- g) Kirby Manor Senior Housing Limited Partnership in the amount not-to-exceed \$500,000.00 for rehabilitation of 147 units of senior housing, located at 11500 Detroit Avenue in the City of Cleveland.
- h) Midtown Lofts LLC in the amount not-to-exceed \$500,000.00 for development of 120 units of multifamily housing, located at 3300 Payne Avenue in the City of Cleveland.
- i) Walton Senior LLC in the amount not-to-exceed \$500,000.00 for development of 52 units of senior housing, located at 3577 Walton Avenue in the City of Cleveland.

Sponsors: County Executive Ronayne/Department of Housing and Community Development and Councilmember Houser

Committee Assignment and Chair: Community Development & Housing – Houser

8) R2025-0271: A Resolution authorizing an amendment to Contract No. 5003 (fka Contract No. 4223) with Catholic Charities Corporation for success coaching services for eligible Ohio Works First applicants and management of the incentive payment system in connection with the Benefit Bridge Pilot Program for the period 3/1/2024 – 6/30/2025 to extend the time period to 6/30/2026, to amend terms, and for additional funds in the amount not-to-exceed \$1,996,754.24, effective 3/1/2025; authorizing the County Executive to execute the amendment and all other documents consistent with this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsor: County Executive Ronayne/Department of Health and Human Services/Cuyahoga Job and Family Services

Committee Assignment and Chair: Health, Human Services & Aging – Conwell

- 9) R2025-0272: A Resolution authorizing an amendment to a Master Contract with various providers for emergency assistance services for the period 9/1/2024 8/31/2025 to extend the time period to 8/31/2026 and for additional funds in the total amount not-to-exceed \$1,575,000.00, effective 9/1/2025; authorizing the County Executive to execute the amendment and all other documents consistent with this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective:
  - a) Contract No. 4620 with A-Z Furniture Co., Inc. in the anticipated amount not-to-exceed \$315,000.00.
  - b) Contract No. 4617 with Burlington Stores in the anticipated amount not-to-exceed \$500,000.00.
  - c) Contract No. 4622 with Dave's Supermarket, Inc. in the anticipated amount not-to-exceed \$125,000.00.
  - d) Contract No. 4621 with Penney OpCo LLC, dba JCPenney in the anticipated amount not-to-exceed \$250,000.00.
  - e) Contract No. 4619 with West 25th Furnishings and Appliances, Inc. in the anticipated amount not-to-exceed \$385,000.00.

Sponsor: County Executive Ronayne/Department of Health and Human Services/Division of Children & Family Services

Committee Assignment and Chair: Health, Human Services & Aging – Conwell

### e) CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION FOR THIRD READING ADOPTION

1) R2025-0241: A Resolution authorizing a contract with The Centers for Families and Children in the amount not-to-exceed \$7,000,000.00 for capital funding towards the construction of a new Comprehensive Behavioral Healthcare Center with priority for the development of a detoxification unit, effective upon signatures of all parties through 12/31/2026; authorizing the County Executive to execute Contract No. 5477 and all other documents consistent with said award and this Resolution; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.

Sponsor: County Executive Ronayne/Department of Public Safety and Justice Services

Committee Assignment and Chair: Public Safety & Justice Affairs – Gallagher

- 11. MISCELLANEOUS COMMITTEE REPORTS
- 12. MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS
- **13. ADJOURNMENT**

### **NEXT MEETING**

<u>REGULAR MEETING:</u> TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2025

5:00 PM / 4<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR

<u>COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE:</u> TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2025

 $1:00 \text{ PM} / 4^{\text{TH}} \text{ FLOOR}$ 

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