



MINUTES

**CUYAHOGA COUNTY JUSTICE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE MEETING
FRIDAY, AUGUST 26, 2011
CUYAHOGA COUNTY JUSTICE CENTER
COUNCIL CHAMBERS – 1ST FLOOR
11:30 AM**

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Chairwoman Simon at 11:35am.

2. ROLL CALL

The Clerk called the roll. Committee Members Simon, Connally and Jones were in attendance and a quorum was established.

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE AUGUST 5, 2011 MEETING

A motion was made by Ms. Connally, seconded by Mr. Jones and approved by unanimous vote to approve the minutes of the August 5, 2011 meeting.

4. PUBLIC COMMENT RELATED TO THE AGENDA

There were no public comments.

5. MATTERS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

- a) O2011-0037: An Ordinance establishing the Department of Public Safety and Justice Services and amending Ordinance No. O2011-0027 to remove the Animal Shelter from the Department of Public Works and place it in the Department of Public Safety and Justice Services, and declaring the necessity that this Ordinance become immediately effective.

Mr. Norberto Colon, Deputy Chief of Staff of Justice, addressed the Committee regarding Ordinance No. O2011-0037. Discussion ensued. This item was postponed from consideration at this time.

6. MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

Discussion ensued regarding the status of the Juvenile Justice Center. A request was made to invite Marita Kavalec, Court Administrator, Cuyahoga County Juvenile Court, to the next Committee Meeting to provide an update.

7. OTHER PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no public comments.

8. ADJOURNMENT

With no further business to discuss and on a motion by Ms. Connally with a second by Ms. Simon, the meeting was adjourned at 12:35 pm; without objection.