Clermont County Board

of Developmental Disabilities

Regular Board Meeting April 24, 2025

The regular meeting of the Clermont County Board of Developmental Disabilities was held on April 24, 2025, at the Thomas A. Wildey Center, 2040 US Highway 50, Batavia, Ohio 45103.

President Mary Jane West called the meeting to order at 5:33 p.m.

All present joined in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call

Janie Pfankuch called the roll. All Board Members were present.

Resolution 25-51

Mr. Chapman made a motion seconded by Mr. Thamann to approve the Agenda as presented. Upon roll call, all members voted yea, with the exception of Mrs. Fiscus, who abstained. Motion carried.

The Board recognized Dan for his 15 Years of Service with the Clermont County Board DD. Each Board Member took a moment and spoke very kind and thoughtful words of Dan. Congratulations, Dan on your 15 Years of Service.

Resolution 25-52

Mr. Chapman made a motion seconded by Mr. Thamann to approve the March 28, 2024, Board Meeting Minutes. Upon roll call, all members voted yea. Motion carried.

Resolution 25-53

Mr. Chapman made a motion seconded by Mrs. Fiscus that the Board approve the Operations Report and Payment of Bills. Recap to be made part of the CCBDD Journal. Upon roll call, all members voted yea. Motion carried.

Resolution 25-54

Mr. Chapman made a motion seconded by Mr. Fiscus to approve the Directors Reports as presented. Upon roll call, all members voted yea. Motion carried.

Superintendent's Report

Dan welcomed Angel Gregory and Andrew Burden to the meeting. Angel's son attends our program.

A few of the Individuals who attended the Project Stir Conference would like to attend the May Board Meeting to talk about what they learned from the conference and what cool things they have been doing.

The Aktion Club group is mourning the loss of Mark Iles, Jr., who passed away on Saturday after a very short illness. He was a friend to all, a great self-advocate for himself and others, and had the best sense of humor. A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, May 3.

Dan informed the Board that he and Arley met with DODD today and they are looking to fully fund the Hearing Program so it can continue. Dan and Arley have communicated with the employee to let her know.

Congratulations to Pam Perrotti and Amy Clifton for receiving honors at the Clermont County Educational Service Excellence in Education event. Pam was recognized as the Instructor of the year for Wildey and Amy was the Paraprofessional of the Year. Both ladies were recognized for their dedication, support, and guidance of the students and staff within the Thomas A. Wildey School.

Dan shared that he has been continuing to monitor the status of legislative action occurring around the possible elimination of agencies like ours being able to run future Replacement levies. House Bill 28 passed the House and now moves to the State Senate. The legislators were on Spring Break around Easter so news about their work will become more prominent in the next couple of weeks.

Senator Terry Johnson along with Andrew McAfee from the Chamber of Commerce visited the Wildey Center on Friday April 3 for a tour of the facility.

Dan informed the Board he signed the Title VI document. Title VI provides that "no person in the United States shall, on the ground of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity receiving Federal financial assistant."

Thomas A. Wildey School Graduation Ceremony is scheduled for May 23, 2025, at 12:30p at the Wildey School. Wildey Red, White, and Blue Parade at 1:00p.

Resolution 25-55

Mr. Chapman made a motion seconded by Mr. Thompson that the Board approve Policy 1700 – Occupational Health and Safety as submitted. Upon roll call, all members voted yea. Motion carried.

Resolution 25-56

Mr. Chapman made a motion seconded by Mrs. Fiscus that the Board approve Policy 1900 – Home and Community Based Waiver Waiting List as submitted. Upon roll call, all members voted yea, with the exception of Mrs. Jensen, who abstained. Motion carried.

Resolution 25-57

Mr. Chapman made a motion seconded by Mr. Thamann that the Board approve Policy 2300 – Employment First as submitted. Upon roll call, all members voted yea. Motion carried.

Resolution 25-58

Mr. Chapman made a motion seconded by Mr. Thamann that the Board continue to participate in Part B Individuals Disabilities Education Act Federal Grant for FY 2026. Upon roll call, all members voted yea. Motion carried.

Resolution 25-59

Mr. Chapman made a motion seconded by Mrs. Jensen that the Board approve the Table of Organization as presented. Upon roll call, all members voted yea. Motion carried.

Resolution 25-60

Mrs. Fiscus made a motion seconded by Mr. Chapman that the Board approve the Superintendent's Report as presented. Upon roll call, all members voted yea. Motion carried.

Committee Reports

Resolution 25-61

Mr. Thamann made a motion seconded by Mr. Chapman to approve the Ethics Committee Report as presented for March 2025. Upon roll call, all members voted yea. Motion carried.

Mrs. Fiscus thanked everyone from the bottom of her heart for all the thoughts and prayers her and her family have received.

Mrs. Fiscus announced that Josh Reno, who is a Wildey School Aide and a father of one of our students, has published his first book - The Tale of the Brave Prince and His AMAZING MAGICAL and AWESOME Chair with the Wheels. She shared with the Board, Josh dedicated a page to her son, David. If you would like to purchase a book, you can contact Josh Reno.



Resolution 25-62

Mr. Weir made a motion seconded by Mrs. Jensen that the Clermont County Board of Developmental Disabilities adjourn. Upon roll call, all members voted yea. Motion carried.

Time: 6:23 p.m.

David Thamann, Secretary