

**Cuyahoga Falls City Council
Minutes of the Public Affairs Committee**

November 3, 2025

Members: Rachel Loza, Chair
Brian Ashton, Vice Chair
Jerry James, Frank Stams, Gary DeRemer

Ms. Loza called the meeting to order at 8:18 p.m. Mr. Stams was absent.

Legislation Discussed:

Temp. Res. B-92

Discussion:

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A resolution confirming the reappointment of Dr. Patrick Blakeslee as the City of Cuyahoga Falls representative to serve on the Summit County Combined General Health District Board of Health for a four-year term beginning January 1, 2026 and ending December 31, 2029, and declaring an emergency.

Mayor Walters presented Temporary Resolution B-92 to Council. Dr. Patrick Blakeslee, having been appointed by the Mayor as the City of Cuyahoga Falls representative on the Summit County Combined General Health District Board of Health for a four-year term beginning January 1, 2026 and ending December 31, 2029, will be designated to act on behalf of the City in the discharge of his duties as a Board Member.

Mayor Walters stated that every four years, Board of Health requires a Resolution to place an appointee on the Board. It does not require Council's confirmation. He has asked Dr. Patrick Blakeslee to serve another four years. They are blessed to have him on the board. He is with Unity Health, so Western Reserve. He's offered to serve again, so he has reappointed him starting January 1.

Ms. Loza stated that she is sorry he could not be here, but she appreciates his willingness to serve.

Mr. Ashton moved to bring out Temp. Res. B-92 with a favorable recommendation, second by Mr. James. Motion passed (4-0).

The meeting adjourned at 8:20 p.m.