Minutes

Greater Cleveland RTA Civilian Oversight Committee
5:15 p.m., Tuesday, September 29, 2026

Civilian Oversight Committee Members: Jonathan England, Jakolya Gordon, Rebecca Wharton

Not present: David Morris

GCRTA BOT: Mayor Gallo

Staff: Bailey, Burney, Darden, Degraffinried, Ext, Gettings, Hudson

Public: None

The meeting was called to order at 5:15 p.m. There were three (3) Civilian Oversight Committee ("Committee") members present.

It was advised that notice of this meeting had been posted more than twenty-four (24) hours in advance of the meeting, that the usual notification had been given to the news media and other interested persons, and that all requirements of the Ohio Revised Code and Rules and Bylaws of the Board of Trustees regarding notice of meeting had been complied with.

Approval of July 28,2026 Meeting Minutes.

It was moved by Ms. Wharton and seconded by Ms. Gordon to approve the meeting minutes for the July 28, 2026, regular meeting. All were in favor, and none opposed. The minutes from July 28, 2026, were approved.

New Business

Ms. Bailey notified the Committee that Dr. Floun'say Caver, Deputy General Manager of Operations, had passed away in August. She stated that Teresa Muti has been appointed Acting DGM of Operations and would be attending committee meetings in the future. Ms. Wharton added that Doc was an integral part of the committee and that the committee would not be here without his leadership. Ms. Gordon thanked Doc for his work and his leadership at RTA and with the committee.

Old Business

Ms. Wharton inquired about the commendation that the committee recommended be given for Complaint Number C26-009. Commander Hudson responded to the committee stating that the commendation letter had been given to Chief Jones.

Adjourn

5:19 p.m. – It was moved by Ms. Wharton and seconded by Ms. Gordon that the meeting be adjourned. There were three (3) ayes, and none opposed. The meeting was adjourned.

The next regularly scheduled Civilian Oversight Committee Meeting is Tuesday November 17, 2026, at 5 p.m. in the Board Room of the Authority, Root-McBride Building, 1240 West Sixth Street, Cleveland, Ohio 44113. The public is welcome to attend in person.