



Ohio Attorney General's Charitable Advisory Council
10 a.m. August 21, 2023
Meeting by Teams
Minutes

Participants

Advisory Council members: Tom Poulson, Erynn Beaton, David Ball, Monica Moloney, Howie Beigelman, Deborah Aubert Thomas, Jane Pfeifer
Ohio Attorney General's Office Charitable Law Staff: Dan Fausey, Thaddius Townsend, Beth Short, Lynette Santoro-Au, Rachael Riggs Leyva, William Donovan, Megan Nelson

The meeting was called to order by Beth Short at 10:06am

All present introduced themselves.

An updated roster is being sent to members to update contact information.

Minutes will be sent forthwith, for approval at the next meeting.

Presentation from PhilanthropyOhio, sharing findings from Giving USA and data collected in Ohio.

Legislative updates

Dan Fausey shared information about the Moritz Bill and proposed bingo changes.

Update from the Charitable Law Section – William Donovan shared a summary of the Ohio Clean Water Fund case connected with the East Palestine train derailment.

Training and Charitable University updates – Beth Short shared that the entire curriculum of Charitable University should be posted on the AGO website any day now. The Attorney General recently adopted a policy requiring that one half of the board members of any group receiving grant funds from the office must complete Charitable University. School districts are adopting similar language.

Other business

Tom Paulson shared he is seeing an increase in COVID and other contagious illnesses. Funding for security is much needed in a variety of situations in Ohio, including places of worship, Howie Beigelman said.

Adjournment – Having no other business for the good of the order, and with thanks for everyone's attendance and participation, Beth Short adjourned the meeting at 11:35am