



**COMMISSIONERS**

Jane L. Campbell  
Jimmy Dimora  
Tim McCormack

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**CUYAHOGA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

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**RESOLUTION**

**Resolution: The Board of County Commissioners of Cuyahoga County, Ohio takes profound pride and deep personal pleasure in supporting the passage of House Bill 290 and Senate Bill 127, also known as the Ohio Prescription Drug Fair Pricing Act.**

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**WHEREAS, Representative Dale Miller and Senator Robert Hagan introduced House Bill 290 and Senate Bill 127 that creates the Ohio Prescription Drug Fair Pricing Act; and**

**WHEREAS, one of four Americans, including 2.2 million Ohioans have no prescription drug coverage; and**

**WHEREAS, these identical bills seek to provide prescription coverage for Ohioans who are uninsured, underinsured, or have limited prescription coverage; and**

**WHEREAS, these bills would provide a voluntary prescription program for all Ohioans at no additional cost to taxpayers; and**

**WHEREAS, the Ohio Prescription Drug Fair Pricing Act would enable the Ohio Department of Jobs and Family Services the ability to negotiate discounts on prescriptions much like the federal government does for veterans and Health Maintenance Organizations do for their members; and**

**WHEREAS, even after paying the administrative costs of the program, it is predicted that the discount to consumers would be 50% to 60%.**

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Cuyahoga County, Ohio that said Board hereby supports the passage of House Bill 290 and Senate Bill 127, also known as the Ohio Prescription Drug Fair Pricing Act.**

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the Board be, and she is, hereby instructed to transmit a copy of this resolution to Jane Fumich, Director, Department of Senior and Adult Services.**

**On Motion of Commissioner McCormack, seconded by Commissioner Campbell, the foregoing resolution was duly adopted.**

**Ayes: McCormack, Campbell, Dimora.**

**Nays: None.**

**Resolution Adopted.**

**Marjorie J. Pettus  
Clerk of the Board**

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