

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF COLUMBIANA COUNTY, OHIO, MET IN REGULAR SESSION IN THEIR OFFICE IN THE COURTHOUSE, 105 SOUTH MARKET STREET, LISBON, OHIO, ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 2023 AT 9:00 A.M.

ROLL CALL: COMMISSIONER PAPANODIS, COMMISSIONER HALLECK, COMMISSIONER WEIGLE

CLERK: CALLIE SOWARDS

PRAYER WAS GIVEN BY: JOHN HERSH



COUNTY COMMISSIONER'S MEETING PRAYER DECEMBER 27, 2023

WE ASK THAT YOU GUIDE OUR DECISIONS THROUGHOUT THE NEW YEAR OF 2024 AND THESE UPCOMING WINTER MONTHS. GUIDE AND DIRECT US THROUGH OUR DAILY RESPONSIBILITIES. KEEP US ALL SAFE & HEALTHY!

WE ASK THAT YOU DIRECT THE DECISIONS THAT ARE MADE TODAY BY OUR DEDICATED COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. PROTECT OUR COMMISSIONERS AND THEIR FAMILIES AND KEEP THEM ALL SAFE AND HEALTHY AS THEY CONTINUE THEIR DAILY RESPONSIBILITIES.

GUIDE & PROTECT ALL OF OUR NATIONAL, STATE, & LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL OFFICIALS, BOTH ELECTED & APPOINTED. GUIDE THEIR DECISIONS FOR THE BETTERMENT OF OUR NATION, STATE, & LOCALITIES AND ITS CITIZENS.

PROTECT OUR MEN AND WOMEN SERVING OUR ARMED FORCES, WHETHER STATESIDE OR ABROAD. KEEP THEM SAFE AND CONTINUALLY BE WITH THEM AND THEIR FAMILIES AT HOME.

WE PRAY FOR PROTECTION AROUND OUR FIRST RESPONDERS, LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS, FIREMEN, & PARAMEDICS, AS THEY CARRY OUT THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES TO MEET OUR NEEDS AND KEEP US AND OUR FAMILIES & PROPERTIES SAFE.

WE ASK THESE IN THE NAME OF OUR FATHER, SON, AND HOLY SPIRIT!

AMEN

RE: MINUTES

Motion by Mr. Halleck, seconded by Mr. Weigle to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the regular meeting of December 20, 2023 and the bills as presented.

VOTE RESULTED:
AYES: HALLECK, WEIGLE, PAPANODIS
NAYES: NONE
MOTION CARRIED

RE: TRAVEL - NONE

RE: THEN & NOW BILLS

Motion by Mr. Halleck, seconded by Mr. Weigle to; approve the Then & Now bills as presented:

COMMON PLEAS	PO#509416	ELAN FINANCIAL SERVICES	\$1,012.11
PROSECUTOR	PO#509389	MCMILLAN ABSTRACT CO	\$2,385.00
VETERANS	PO#509394	SAVE A LOT	\$1,545.67
ADULT PROBATION	PO#509351	EASTERN GATEWAY	\$1,000.00
COMMISSIONERS	PO#509418	COLUMBIANA COUNTY RECORDER	\$40,000.00
CLERK OF COURTS	PO#509421	ANTHONY DATILIO, CLERK	\$4,599.52
CLERK OF COURTS	PO#509420	ANTHONY DATILIO, CLERK	\$2,820.64
WATER & SEWER	PO#517830	SOLTIS ELECTRIC LLC	\$2,950.00
WATER & SEWER	PO#517628	SOLTIS ELECTRIC LLC	\$4,970.00
WATER & SEWER	PO#517633	ELKTON SEWER	\$4,198.15

VOTE RESULTED:

AYES: HALLECK, WEIGLE, PAPANODIS

NAYES: NONE

MOTION CARRIED

RE: ACCEPT COURT/AGENCY REPORTS FOR JOURNALIZATION

NONE

RE: AMENDED OFFICIAL CERTIFICATE AND APPROPRIATIONS

Motion by Mr. Halleck, seconded by Mr. Weigle to; accept as presented by the Office of Budget Commission the Amended Official Certificate dated December 27, 2023 and the following appropriations:

CERTIFY:

N40-N40 \$725,763.45 N41-N41 \$1,527,696.50

REDUCE:

B00-B00	\$7,500.00	O33-O33	\$5,078.76	O34-O34	\$2,340.00
N03-N03	\$18,258.18	N08-N08	\$500,000.00	N15-N15	\$506.04
N25-N25	\$4,500.00	O31-O31	\$70,871.06	O60-O60	\$2,500.00
Q02-Q02	\$1,000.00				

APPROPRIATE:

A00-S01-E-1460	\$9,873.93	A00-L05-E-0102	\$386,825.00	N40-N40-E-1010	\$725,763.45
N41-N41-E-1010	\$1,527,696.50				

REDUCE:

N03-N03-E-2102	\$8,082.12	N08-N08-E-1009	\$453,343.83	N15-N15-E-1008	\$506.04
N25-N25-E-2103	\$4,500.00	O31-O31-E-2102	\$2,987.87	O60-O60-E-2103	\$2,500.00
Q02-Q02-E-1010	\$1,000.00				

VOTE RESULTED:

AYES: HALLECK, WEIGLE, PAPANODIS

NAYES: NONE

MOTION CARRIED

COMMITTEE REPORTS: NONE

RE: APPROVE FUND TRANSFER

Motion by Mr. Halleck, seconded by Mr. Weigle to; approve Fund Transfer from A00-S01-E-1460 to D01-D01-R-0600 in the amount of \$9,872.93, EPA Tipping Fees.

VOTE RESULTED:
AYES: HALLECK, WEIGLE, PAPANODIS
NAYES: NONE
MOTION CARRIED

RE: PUBLIC DEFENDER AGREEMENT WITH DHR

Motion by Mr. Halleck, seconded by Mr. Weigle to; approve Columbiana County Public Defender Contract with Defendants Have Rights, Inc. (DHR) for 2024.

VOTE RESULTED:
AYES: HALLECK, WEIGLE, PAPANODIS
NAYES: NONE
MOTION CARRIED

RE: RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT LETTERS

Motion by Mr. Halleck, seconded by Mr. Weigle to; approve Resolution of Support Letters for Spectrum and Comcast for the Ohio Residential Broadband Expansion Grant Program to deploy broadband infrastructure to unserved and/or underserved locations in Columbiana County resulting in greater high-speed internet connectivity.

VOTE RESULTED:
AYES: HALLECK, WEIGLE, PAPANODIS
NAYES: NONE
MOTION CARRIED

RE: LIQUOR PERMIT REQUEST – ELKRUN TOWNSHIP

Motion by Mr. Halleck, seconded by Mr. Weigle to; approve a Liquor License Permit request to Elkton’s Pub & Restaurant LLC, Elkrum Township, Lisbon, Ohio with no hearing requested.

VOTE RESULTED:
AYES: HALLECK, WEIGLE, PAPANODIS
NAYES: NONE
MOTION CARRIED

RE: RE-BID OPENING – SLAG, CRUSHED LIMESTONE & ICE CONTROL FOR 2024 – COUNTY ENGINEER

Motion by Mr. Halleck, seconded by Mr. Weigle to; accept and table the bids for inspection, review and recommendation by the Columbiana County Engineer for various types of slag, gravel, crushed limestone, asphalt, and ice control materials to be used by the Columbiana County Highway Department for the calendar year 2024.

VOTE RESULTED:
AYES: HALLECK, WEIGLE, PAPARODIS
NAYES: NONE
MOTION CARRIED

Ms. Stevie Halverstadt, in attendance, invited the Commissioners to attend and help with the Founder’s Day Breakfast on February 17, 2024 and to judge artwork from village students.

Mr. Pete Conkle introduced Ms. Mckinsie Klim as the new Little Beaver Creek Watershed Coordinator.

RECESS:

Commissioner Paparodis recessed at 9:17 a.m. the Commissioners regular meeting up until and not to exceed Friday, December 29, 2023 at 12:00 p.m. as recommended by the County Auditor.

RECONVENE FROM RECESS

Commissioner Paparodis opened the meeting from recess on December 29, 2023 at 10:05 a.m.
Roll Call: Commissioner Paparodis, Commissioner Halleck, Commissioner Weigle.

Motion by Mr. Halleck, seconded by Mr. Weigle for an additional appropriation for the Sheriff’s Office in the amount of \$35,038.22 as follows:

A00-L01-E-1404 \$22,190.56 A00-L01-E-1404 \$12,847.66

VOTE RESULTED:
AYES: HALLECK, WEIGLE, PAPARODIS
NAYES: NONE
MOTION CARRIED

Commissioner Paparodis wished a Happy New Year to all.

Being no further business, Commissioner Paparodis adjourned the Commissioners regular meeting.