
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, FEBRUARY 15, 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 FEBRUARY 15, 2023

WE ASK THAT YOU PROTECT & KEEP THE CITIZENS OF EAST PALESTINE WERE DISPLACED AFTER THE TRAIN DERAILMENT HEALTHY AND SAFE. PROTECT ALL BUSINESSES WHICH WERE AFFECTED. GUIDE AND PROTECT ALL SAFETY PERSONNEL USED IN THE CLEAN-UP.

WE ASK THAT YOU GUIDE THE DECISIONS THAT ARE MADE TODAY BY OUR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. PROTECT OUR COMMISSIONERS AND THEIR FAMILIES AND KEEP THEM ALL HEALTHY AND SAFE EVERY DAY.

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 FOR 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 February 8, 2023 and the bills as presented.

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

RE: TRAVEL

Motion by Mr. Halleck, seconded by Mr. Weigle to; approve travel as presented:

Juvenile Court: March 16-17, 2023; Annual Ohio Inter Court Conference, Columbus – King - \$1,004.00
Juvenile Court: March 16-17, 2023; Annual Ohio Inter Court Conference, Columbus – Baronzzi - \$1,004.00

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

RE: THEN & NOW BILLS

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

Table with 4 columns: Item Name, PO#, Vendor Name, and Amount. Includes items like ADULT PROBATION, WATER & SEWER, HUMAN SERVICES, etc.

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

RE: ACCEPT COURT/AGENCY REPORTS FOR JOURNALIZATION

Journalize the Columbiana County Veteran’s Service Cash Grants for February 2023.

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 February 14, 2023 and the following appropriations:

CERTIFY:

S40-S40 \$2,000.00

APPROPRIATE:

A00-G02-E-1010	\$616.91	A00-D01-E-1013	\$5.00	S40-S40-E-0109	\$2,000.00
A00-J01-E-1009	\$1,800.25	A00-E01-E-0002	\$2,604.00	A00-E01-E-0002	\$641.66
A00-L01-E-0002	\$13,401.01				

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

COMMITTEE REPORTS: NONE

RE: APPROVE AGREEMENT WITH OSU – HEALTHY LIVING WELLNESS PROGRAM 2023

Motion by Mr. Halleck, seconded by Mr. Weigle to; approve an agreement for special services with The Ohio State University to provide six healthy eating lunch and learn sessions as part of the county wellness program for 2023.

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

RE: PERMISSION TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS – COUNTY ENGINEER

Motion by Mr. Halleck, seconded by Mr. Weigle to; grant permission to advertise for bids for BUT-165-26, Whinnery Road (CR-415) Bridge Replacement, Butler Township. Advertisement shall be online at bidexpress.com and the Morning Journal February 22, 2023, March 1st and 8th, 2023 with the electronic bids opened March 22, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. at the County Engineer’s Office at 315 South Market Street, Lisbon, Ohio 44432.

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

RE: APPROVE NEW HIRES - CCDJFS

Motion by Mr. Halleck, seconded by Mr. Weigle to; approve the hiring of the following individuals as Social Services Worker 2 (SSW2) employees in the Children Services Division:

Melody Cobb of Minerva; Billie Jo Dickson of Wellsville; Bradley Elliott of Wellsville; Amber Lacy of Hanoverton, and Terry Madison of Salem.

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

RE: PUBLIC HEARING – SOLAR/WIND FARMS – FAIRFIELD, FRANKLIN, PERRY & WEST TWP.

Commissioner Papanodis addressed those who signed in and wishing to give testimony either for or against the ban of the unincorporated areas in Fairfield, Franklin, Perry and West Townships as restricted areas for the purpose of prohibiting the construction of large solar facilities and/or wind farms.

Several individuals spoke from each township expressing their concerns and were advised all testimony will be taken into consideration and a final decision will be made sometime after the written submission deadline which is no later than 4:00 p.m. on Friday, February 24, 2023. These may be mailed to the Commissioner’s Office, 105 South Market Street, Lisbon, Ohio 44432.

Being no further business Commissioner Papanodis adjourned the Commissioners regular meeting.