
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, JANUARY 29, 2025 AT 9:00 A.M.

ROLL CALL: COMMISSIONER HALLECK, COMMISSIONER PAPARODIS, COMMISSIONER GINTER

CLERK: CALLIE SOWARDS

PRAYER WAS GIVEN BY: DONNA SHUMAN

Father God, I thank you for the opportunity to be here this morning to pray for these men and women and what they decide to do, Lord, for our community and for our county. I pray Father that your hand would be upon them; that you would give them wisdom. God bless them and keep them and meet the needs that they have, not only here in these offices today in this courthouse, but in their personal lives. Everyone of them, Lord give up their time and sacrifice what they might have or want to do, to be here to make better decisions in our county, for things to run smoothly, and I pray, Father, that your hand would just be upon them. Bless our military Father God, as they protect our country. Be with them and watch over them. Let them feel your presence God, as I asked that you would let these men and women in this office today, feel your presence and your guidance give them all your wisdom, Lord Jesus and your precious name I pray. amen.

Submitted by Rev. Donna Shuman 1-29-25

PLEDGE BY: COMMISSIONER PAPARODIS

RE: MINUTES

Motion by Mr. Paparodis, seconded by Mr. Ginter to; dispense with the reading of the minutes of the regular meeting of January 29, 2025.

No discussion had.

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

RE: TRAVEL

Motion by Mr. Paparodis, seconded by Mr. Ginter to; approve travel as presented:

Commissioners: January 27, 2025 – Solid Waste, Carrollton, OH; Halleck, Paparodis, Ginter - \$36.12
Commissioners: January 28, 2025 – MCJAS, Canton, OH; Ginter - \$54.14

No discussion had.

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

RE: THEN & NOW BILLS

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

WATER & SEWER	PO#518548	BP	\$1,001.50
WATER & SEWER	PO#518558	BP	\$3,795.35
WATER & SEWER	PO#518559	CARBON LIMESTONE LANDFILL	\$1,570.96
WATER & SEWER	PO#518559	CARBON LIMESTONE LANDFILL	\$1,625.58
WATER & SEWER	PO#518559	CARBON LIMESTONE LANDFILL	\$1,655.15
WATER & SEWER	PO#518570	ELKTON SEWER	\$2,738.90
WATER & SEWER	PO#518508	NEO SOLUTIONS INC	\$2,331.00
WATER & SEWER	PO#518578	OHIO EDISON	\$2,728.54
WATER & SEWER	PO#518582	OHIO EDISON	\$3,622.67
HUMAN SERVICES	PO#514045	PATHWAY CARING FOR CHILDREN	\$3,012.58
HUMAN SERVICES	PO#514045	REDEMPTION HOUSE	\$6,975.00
HUMAN SERVICES	PO#514051	SAFEHOUSE MINISTRIES INC	\$29,016.00
HUMAN SERVICES	PO#514045	NATIONAL YOUTH ADVOCATE	\$17,833.52
HUMAN SERVICES	PO#514045	CARING FOR KIDS	\$6,293.00
HUMAN SERVICES	PO#514045	CHEROKEE ROSE RESIDENTIAL	\$24,800.00
HUMAN SERVICES	PO#514046	CHEROKEE ROSE RESIDENTIAL	\$1,936.10
HUMAN SERVICES	PO#514045	CARRINGTON BEHAVIOR HEALTH	\$12,276.00
HUMAN SERVICES	PO#514476	CCDJFS	\$16,881.08
HUMAN SERVICES	PO#514475	ANTHONY DATTILIO, CLERK	\$1,954.19
HUMAN SERVICES	PO#514475	COMMON PLEAS COURT	\$1,128.49
HUMAN SERVICES	PO#514475	OCDA	\$7,032.00
HUMAN SERVICES	PO#514019	COMMUNITY ACTION AGENCY	\$1,873.40
HUMAN SERVICES	PO#513955	MTJC INC	\$3,134.00
HUMAN SERVICES	PO#514017	CANDACE GRUBB	\$5,116.25
HUMAN SERVICES	PO#513955	HCH CONSTRUCTION SERVICES	\$1,100.00
HUMAN SERVICES	PO#513948	CC COMMISSIONERS	\$1,640.57
HUMAN SERVICES	PO#514179	MAHONING COLUMBIANA TRAIN.	\$2,051.08
EMA	PO#514631	BRITTAI MOTORS	\$58,375.00
COMMON PLEAS	PO#514059	AMERICAN FIREARMS	\$3,839.75
VETERANS	PO#514219	TYLER TECHNOLOGIES	\$4,200.00
EMA	PO#514662	AT&T	\$1,180.05
SHERIFF	PO#514600	TIM LALLY CHEVROLET	\$60,000.00
SHERIFF	PO#514612	TIM LALLY CHEVROLET	\$4,206.69
SHERIFF	PO#514601	JUTTS AUTO REPAIR	\$8,019.08
DEVELOPMENT	PO#514358	BONNIE WREN JOB CO.	\$95,550.00
SHERIFF	PO#514553	PAUL MORRIS AUTO REPAIR	\$1,043.83
SHERIFF	PO#514627	PAUL MORRIS AUTO REPAIR	\$5,892.71
SHERIFF	PO#514636	TIM LALLY CHEVROLET	\$128,413.38
CORONER	PO#514633	CUYAHOGA COUNTY CORONER	\$6,000.00
DOG POUND	PO#514584	MWI ANIMAL HEALTH	\$2,091.62
VETERANS	PO#514212	MORNING JOURNAL	\$1,269.00
VETERANS	PO#514592	WINKLER AUTOMOTIVE LLC	\$2,500.00
VETERANS	PO#514683	SAVE A LOT	\$1,249.28
AUDITOR	PO#513931	ARK DATA CENTERS	\$8,114.50
LAW LIBRARY	PO#514156	WEST PAYMENT CENTER	\$6,457.21
LAW LIBRARY	PO#514152	MATTHEW BENDER & CO.	\$22,838.07
LAW LIBRARY	PO#514155	WEST PAYMENT CENTER	\$5,787.54
TREASURER	PO#514628	SMARTBILL LTD	\$7,559.95
CORONER	PO#514539	CUYAHOGA COUNTY CORONER	\$2,000.00
CORONER	PO#514540	NMS LABS	\$2,059.00
CORONER	PO#514541	CUYAHOGA COUNTY CORONER	\$2,000.00
CORONER	PO#514542	CUYAHOGA COUNTY CORONER	\$2,000.00
CORONER	PO#514543	CUYAHOGA COUNTY CORONER	\$2,000.00
COMMISSIONERS	PO#514611	DIGITAL DATA TECHNOLOGY	\$11,040.00
COMMISSIONERS	PO#514509	PROUT BOILER, HEATING	\$35,841.65
COMMISSIONERS	PO#514632	RODERICK LINTON BELFANCE	\$2,896.88
COMMISSIONERS	PO#514659	EAST LIVERPOOL HISTORICAL SOC.	\$20,000.00
COMMISSIONERS	PO#514590	MS CONSULTANTS INC	\$12,500.00
COMMISSIONERS	PO#514536	EDGE TECH	\$28,920.77

No discussion had.

VOTE RESULTED:

AYES: PAPARODIS, GINTER, HALLECK

NAYES: NONE

MOTION CARRIED

RE: ACCEPT COURT/AGENCY REPORTS FOR JOURNALIZATION

NONE

RE: AMENDED OFFICIAL CERTIFICATE AND APPROPRIATIONS

Motion by Mr. Paparodis, seconded by Mr. Ginter to; accept as presented by the Office of Budget Commission the Amended Official Certificate dated January 29, 2025, and the following appropriations:

CERTIFY:

T62-T62 \$205.40 Y98-Y98 \$21,233.73

APPROPRIATE:

T62-T62-E-2686	\$205.40	A00-L01-E-0002	\$27,868.06	A00-L01-E-0107	\$100.00
A00-E01-E-0002	\$3,100.00	A00-E01-E-0002	\$3.00	Y98-Y98-E-2460	\$10,054.52
Y98-Y98-E-2460	\$8,698.90	Y98-Y98-E-2466	\$2,480.31		

No discussion had.

VOTE RESULTED:

AYES: PAPARODIS, GINTER, HALLECK

NAYES: NONE

MOTION CARRIED

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Commissioner Paparodis stated that a RAISE grant last year was \$15M for water, sewer and highway construction from OMEGA, which the county did not receive. The county engineer's office contacted OMEGA for help in submitting a US DOT application for the RAISE grant funding again this spring, specifically for Route 39, East Liverpool.

Commissioner Halleck welcomed Judge Linger for her visit to the meeting and thanked Ray Cox for his kind remarks on Facebook regarding the sales tax. Mr. Cox feels we need to ban together and if there is misleading information he feels it is beneficial to correct the statements, and he will comment. It is the fairest tax.

RE: LIQUOR LICENSE PERMIT – ELKRUN TOWNSHIP

Accept a liquor license permit for Due Sorelle Food Imports LLC, Elkrum Township, Lisbon, Ohio with NO HEARING REQUESTED.

No discussion had.

RE: LETTER OF AGREEMENT/HAND RECEIPT - EMA

Motion by Mr. Ginter, seconded by Mr. Paparodis to; accept a Letter of Agreement and Hand Receipt and grant permission to EMA for the transfer of its Incident Management Truck, a 2012 Ford F250 Super Duty Cab to the Columbiana County Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Association for its use of incident management response.

No discussion had.

VOTE RESULTED:

AYES: GINTER, PAPARODIS, HALLECK

NAYES: NONE

MOTION CARRIED

RE: BID OPENINGS – COUNTY ENGINEER

Motion by Mr. Paparodis, seconded by Mr. Ginter to; approve the following bid openings for the County Engineer and refer for recommendation:

Elkton Water Sewer Extension

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Submitted Bids			
Business	Opened at	Status	Bid Total
Yarian Brothers Construction	2025-01-29 14:01:49 UTC	Responsive	\$2,379,283.00
S.E.T., Inc.	2025-01-29 14:02:10 UTC	Responsive	\$2,556,859.88
Rudzik Excavating	2025-01-29 14:00:58 UTC	Responsive	\$2,441,363.80
Marucci & Gaffney Excavating Co.	2025-01-29 14:01:27 UTC	Responsive	\$2,276,268.00

CR430-0.00
Roadway Realignment Project

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Submitted Bids			
Business	Opened at	Status	Bid Total
S.E.T., Inc.	2025-01-29 14:05:21 UTC	Responsive	\$2,788,562.90
Shelly & Sands, Inc.	2025-01-29 14:04:37 UTC	Responsive	\$2,260,169.90
Rudzik Excavating	2025-01-29 14:05:43 UTC	Responsive	\$1,871,674.00
Mike Pusateri Excavating, Inc	2025-01-29 14:04:58 UTC	Responsive	\$2,658,899.63

No discussion had.

VOTE RESULTED:

AYES: PAPARODIS, GINTER, HALLECK

NAYES: NONE

MOTION CARRIED

RE: NEW HIRE – CCDJFS

Motion by Mr. Paparodis, seconded by Mr. Ginter to; approve the hiring of Noah Clark of Youngstown Ohio, as a Social Service Worker II (SSWII) in the Social Services division.

No discussion had.

VOTE RESULTED:

AYES: PAPARODIS, GINTER, HALLECK

NAYES: NONE

MOTION CARRIED

RE: CONTRACT – CCDJFS

Motion by Mr. Paparodis, seconded by Mr. Ginter to; approve the following PA Cost Pool Contract:

Contract**Contractor: 821 Consulting LLC**

Service: Professional Coaching Services

Funding: PA Cost Pool

Contract Ceiling: \$5,000.00

Contract Period: January 1, 2025-December 31, 2025

No discussion had.

VOTE RESULTED:

AYES: PAPARODIS, GINTER, HALLECK

NAYES: NONE

MOTION CARRIED

RE: RESOLUTION #12-2025 – CCDJFS

Motion by Mr. Ginter, seconded by Mr. Paparodis to; approve and adopt Resolution #12-2025 determining to proceed with the submission to the electors of the question of levying a tax renewal exceeding the ten-mill limitation for the benefit of Columbiana County to provide food, clothing, shelter, housing, medical care, counseling, and other necessary services for abused, neglected, and dependent children.

Director Ketterman explained this RENEWAL is extremely important for the benefit of the abused, neglected and dependent children of the county. In 2024 they paid out \$3.5 million, with an average of 64 kids compared to \$2.8 million in 2022 with an average of 106 kids for the care of those in custody. Some contracts have risen more than 30% and there is a huge placement crisis. She explained this levy has been in effect for over 22 years.

VOTE RESULTED:

AYES: GINTER, PAPARODIS, HALLECK

NAYES: NONE

MOTION CARRIED

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