
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, NOVEMBER 19, 2025 AT 9:00 A.M.

ROLL CALL: COMMISSIONER HALLECK, COMMISSIONER PAPARODIS, COMMISSIONER GINTER

CLERK: CALLIE SOWARDS

PRAYER WAS GIVEN BY: DONNA SHUMAN

Heavenly Father, I thank you Lord that we can assemble in this government building

this morning

and praise your name. I ask Lord Jesus that you would bless each person here and meet their every need. Bless those especially Father that served in our military to defend this right as an American citizen. Lord let your presence be felt here and your work for the county proceed as you want. We love you Jesus and ask that you would bless everything that goes forth from this off.

In Jesus Name,
Amen

PLEDGE BY: COMMISSIONER PAPARODIS

RE: MINUTES

Motion by Mr. Paparodis, seconded by Mr. Halleck to; dispense with the reading of the minutes of the regular meeting of November 12, 2025 and bills as presented.

No discussion had.

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

RE: TRAVEL

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

Commissioners: November 13-14, 2025, CCAO, Columbus, OH; Halleck - \$224.00

No discussion had.

VOTE RESULTED:
AYES: GINTER, PAPANODIS, 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:

SHERIFF	PO#517392	LEXIS NEXIS	\$3,000.00
SOIL & WATER	PO#517370	SALEM TIRE PROS	\$1,060.03
CORONER	PO#517321	NMS LABS	\$1,871.00
COMMISSIONERS	PO#517327	BLUE MANTIS INC	\$8,076.85
COMMISSIONERS	PO#517381	RODERICK LINTON BELFANCE	\$7,509.42
DEVELOPMENT	PO#517350	PORT AUTHORITY FOR COL. CTY.	\$1,728.00
WATER & SEWER	PO#518929	BP	\$1,821.20
WATER & SEWER	PO#518920	CARBON LIMESTONE LANDFILL	\$1,677.82
WATER & SEWER	PO#518715	SET INC	\$58,555.24
WATER & SEWER	PO#518934	POLYDYNE INC	\$2,331.00

No discussion had.

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

RE: ACCEPT COURT/AGENCY REPORTS FOR JOURNALIZATION

Journalize the Columbiana County Veterans Service Commission Township Cash Grant Report of October 2025.

RE: AMENDED OFFICIAL CERTIFICATE AND APPROPRIATIONS

Motion by Mr. Ginter, seconded by Mr. Paparodis to; accept as presented by the Office of Budget Commission the Amended Official Certificate dated November 19, 2025, and the following appropriations:

CERTIFY:

S40-S40 \$2,500.00 T47-T47 \$53,585.30 Y98-Y98 \$23,198.79

APPROPRIATE:

B20-B20-E-1450	\$80,000.00	A00-G01-E-1010	\$80,000.00	T69-T69-E-1323	\$25,719.00
A00-L01-E-0002	\$300,000.00	S40-S40-E-0103	\$500.00	S40-S40-E-4000	\$500.00
S40-S40-E-1010	\$1,000.00	S40-S40-E-0109	\$500.00	T47-T47-E-1008	\$53,585.30
Y98-Y98-E-2460	\$10,565.09	Y98-Y98-E-2460	\$8,948.48	Y98-Y98-E-2466	\$3,685.22
L00-L00-E-0002	\$11,100.00				

Commissioner Halleck stated this is standard as we get closer to the end of the year as departments begin to balance.

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

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Commissioner Ginter gave an update on the Archive Building stating the brick masonry has begun, the trusses are up, most of the backfill is complete, the steel is set, decking placed and roof going on. The utilities will be installed in the next few weeks.

RE: APPROVE FUND TRANSFER – CLERK OF COURTS

Motion by Mr. Paparodis, seconded by Mr. Ginter to; approve a Fund Transfer from B20-B20-E-1450 to A00-A45-R-0600 in the amount of \$80,000.00 for the Clerk of Courts.

No discussion had.

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

RE: AUTHORIZE COUNTY PROSECUTOR TO SIGN AGREEMENT

Motion by Mr. Ginter, seconded by Mr. Paparodis to; authorize Prosecutor Vito Abruzzino to sign an agreement with Borden Office Equipment for two new copiers, one located at the Juvenile Court, 260 West Lincoln Way, and the other at the Municipal Court, 38832 Saltwell Road. No discussion had.

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

RE: LIQUOR LICENSE PERMIT – ELKRUN TOWNSHIP

Accept a Liquor License Permit with No Hearing Requested for 1830 Gathering Place, LLC, Elkton’s Pub & Restaurant, 42087 SR 154, Lisbon, Ohio, Elkrun Township. No action needed and no discussion had.

RE: RESOLUTION #61-2025 – PUBLIC DEFENDERS OF COLUMBIANA COUNTY

Motion by Mr. Ginter, seconded by Mr. Paparodis to; renew contract of Public Defenders of Columbiana County, Inc. to provide legal representation for indigent clients of Columbiana County in the Juvenile Court, the Court of Common Pleas and the Municipal Court for the calendar year 2026. Ms. Shelli Freeze has agreed to the same price as 2025, which is \$795,000.00 and is quite a savings for the county.

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

RE: MIDDLETON TOWNSHIP 50% WEIGHT LIMIT ROAD REDUCTION

Motion by Mr. Paparodis, seconded by Mr. Ginter to; approve 50% weight limit reduction on the following roads and streets in Middleton Township:

MIDDLETON TOWNSHIP
ROBERT CHAPMAN
FISCAL OFFICER
P.O. BOX 339
MIDDLY, OH 44441-0339
PHONE: 330 426-9904

NOVEMBER 3, 2025

COLUMBIANA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
105 SOUTH MARKET ST.
LISBON, OH 44432

RE: 50% WEIGHT LIMIT REDUCTIONS
COMMISSIONERS,

AT THE TRUSTEES REGULAR MEETING ON NOV. 3RD, THE BOARD PASSED A MOTION REQUESTING 50% WEIGHT LIMIT REDUCTIONS ON THE FOLLOWING ROADS AND STREETS: DARLINGTON, CARMEL-OCTOR, PANTHER-CLARKSON, QUAY, FREDERICKTOWN-CLARKSON, VALE, SMITS, DYKS, ADAMS, UNION RIDGE, STATE LINE, RIFLE, FINE HOLLOW, SBEM, PIONEER, CARBON HILL, LATA, JUSTISON, CARTER, LESLIE, ECHO DELL, HILLROCK, PEACE VALLEY, SCOTT-MILL, GASTON, CARLISLE, ELLIOTT, TAYLOR, GORBY LAKE, JACKMAN AND YEAGER ROADS, ALONG WITH N. FRONT ST., S. FRONT ST., NORTH ST., COMMERCE ST., AMARILLO AVE., TOMAHAWK DR. AND ANY OTHER ROAD, STREET OR ALLEY UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE MIDDLETON TWP. TRUSTEES AS OF NOV. 3, 2025.

SHOULD YOU REQUIRE ANY FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL 330 426-9904 AND LEAVE A MESSAGE.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,
Tonia Bevington
Tonia Bevington
Asst To Fiscal Officer

No discussion had.

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

RE: LOAD LIMIT REDUCTION - COLUMBIANA COUNTY ROADS

Motion by Mr. Ginter, seconded by Mr. Paparodis to; approve load limit reduction of up to 50% on the following County Roads per ORC 5577.07 as recommended by the County Engineer:



BERT DAWSON
Columbiana County
ENGINEER

November 18, 2025

Columbiana County Commissioners
Courthouse
Lisbon, Ohio 44432

RE: Load Limit Reduction

Dear Commissioners:

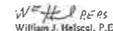
We hereby request your approval for a load limit reduction of up to 50% on the following County Roads per ORC 5577.07.

Road Number	Location	Reduction %
CR 400	from Stark County line east to CR 403	50%
CR 400	from CR 404 east to Salem Corp	50%
CR 401	from CR 400 north to SR 62	50%
CR 402	from SR 30 north to CR 400	50%
CR 403	from CR 402 north to CR 400	50%
CR 404	from CR 400 north to SR 62	50%
CR 405	from CR 400 north to SR 62	50%
CR 406	from Carroll County line north to Hanover Corp	50%
CR 407	from SR 518 northwesterly to SR 30	50%
CR 407A	from CR 407 north to SR 30	50%
CR 408	from CR 410 west to CR 415	50%
CR 409	from SR 45 west to the County Line	50%
CR 410	from SR 30 north to Salem Corp	50%
CR 411	from SR 172 east to SR 45	50%
CR 412	from SR 30 north to SR 172	50%
CR 413	from SR 39 north to SR 318	50%
CR 414	from SR 45 north to SR 558	50%
CR 415	from CR 408 north to SR 9	50%
CR 416	from SR 164 to Leostonia Corp	50%
CR 417	from SR 45 north to SR 45	50%
CR 418	from Wellsville Corp north to SR 39	50%
CR 419	from SR 154 east to SR 7	50%
CR 420	from SR 154 north to Columbiana Corp	50%
CR 421	from SR 7 north to Columbiana Corp	50%
CR 422	from SR 7 north to Columbiana Corp	50%
CR 423	from dead end east to SR 45	50%
CR 424	from CR 425 east to CR 425	50%
CR 425	from SR 30 east to SR 170	50%
CR 426	from SR 7 east to CR 428	50%

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Road Number	Location	Reduction %
CR 427	from East Liverpool Corp to SR 7	50%
CR 428	from East Liverpool Corp north to SR 7	50%
CR 429	from CR 424 north to CR 451	50%
CR 430	from CR 425 east to Pennsylvania State Line	50%
CR 430A	from CR 430 east to CR 430	50%
CR 431	from CR 450 east to East Palestine Corp	50%
CR 432	from SR 170 north to SR 46	50%
CR 433	from SR 517 to SR 517	50%
CR 434	from SR 170 to Top of Hill	50%
CR 435	from southern East Liverpool Corp to CR 436	50%
CR 435	from northern East Liverpool Corp to CR 430	50%
CR 436	from CR 435 east to Dixonville	50%
CR 437	from SR 14 east to Pennsylvania State Line	50%
CR 439	from SR 45 north to SR 9	50%
CR 440	from SR 164 northerly to Columbiana Corp	50%
CR 443	from East Palestine Corp north to SR 170	50%
CR 444	from CR 410 east to CR 444A	50%
CR 444A	from SR 45 north to Salem Corp	50%
CR 445	from CR 410 east to SR 45	50%
CR 447	from East Liverpool Corp to SR 170	50%
CR 448	from CR 425 west to dead end	50%
CR 448	from SR 30 east to dead end	50%
CR 448A	from SR 45 north to SR 517	50%
CR 449	from SR 7 east to New Waterford Corp	50%
CR 450	from New Waterford Corp. Line to SR 14	50%
CR 451	from CR 429 north to CR 425	50%

Thank you for your assistance with this program. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at 330-424-1740.

Sincerely,
 P.E., P.S.
 William J. Halseck, P.E., P.S.
 Chief Deputy Highway Engineer
 For
 Bert Dawson, P.E., P.S.
 Columbiana County Engineer

No discussion had.

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

RE: RESOLUTION #62-2025 – APPOINT BOARD MEMBERS TO TID

Motion by Mr. Paparodis, seconded by Mr. Ginter to; adopt Resolution #62-2025 appointing Ms. Brittany Smith and the Honorable Mr. Peter Wilson, to the Transportation Improvement District (TID) Board for a two-year term commencing November 19, 2025 and ending November 17, 2027. Commissioner Halleck congratulated both who were in attendance.

No discussion had.

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

RE: RESOLUTION #63-2025 – CREDIT CARD APPLICATION

Motion by Mr. Ginter, seconded by Mr. Paparodis to; adopt Resolution #62-2025 approving the application for and use of a credit card provided by Huntington National Bank for certain purchases by the Economic Development and Geographic Information Services (GIS) Departments. No discussion had.

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

RE: AUTHORIZE SIGNATURE – REAL ESTATE CONTRACT

Motion by Mr. Ginter, seconded by Mr. Halleck to; authorize Commissioner Ginter to sign any and all documents relating to the purchase of a building for a potential storage facility for the Veterans Service Commission. No discussion had.

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

RE: CCDJFS – APPROVE SENIOR SERVICES LEVY CONTRACTS

Motion by Mr. Ginter, seconded by Mr. Paparodis to; approve the following Senor Services Levy contracts:

Contractor: Always Best Care
Service: Home Health Aide, Homemaker & Chore
Funding: Senior Services Levy
Contract Period: 1/1/2026-12/31/2026
Ceiling: \$40,000.00

Contractor: FTC Cleaning LLC
Service: Homemaker & Chore
Funding: Senior Services Levy
Contract Period: 1/1/2026-12/31/2026
Ceiling: \$45,000.00

Contractor: Clean Choice Maids
Service: Homemaker
Funding: Senior Services Levy
Contract Period: 1/1/2026-12/31/2026
Ceiling: \$40,000.00

Contractor: Mother’s Karing Touch
Service: Home Health Aide, Homemaker & Chore
Funding: Senior Services Levy
Contract Period: 1/1/2026-12/31/2026
Ceiling: \$15,000.00

Contractor: Companion Care
Service: Home Health Aide, Homemaker & Chore
Funding: Senior Services Levy
Contract Period: 1/1/2026-12/31/2026
Ceiling: \$105,000.00

Contractor: ShineOn LLC Cleaning
Service: Home Health Aide, Homemaker & Chore
Funding: Senior Services Levy
Contract Period: 1/1/2026-12/31/2026
Ceiling: \$50,000.00

Director Ketterman stated they have had these same contracts for years, none are new. They all provide home health aide and/or chore services to seniors over 60 in the county who qualify after a free assessment of home conditions and needs. Last year they provided service to over 3000 residents.

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

RE: CCDJFS – APPROVE SENIOR SERVICES LEVY CONTRACTS

Motion by Mr. Ginter, seconded by Mr. Paparodis to; approve the following Senor Services Levy contracts with Case Managers:

Contractor: Randy Calhoun
Service: Case Manager
Funding: Senior Services Levy
Contract Period: 1/1/2026-12/31/2026
Ceiling: \$47,495.34

Contractor: Bree Paynter
Service: Case Manager
Funding: Senior Services Levy
Contract Period: 1/1/2026-12/31/2026
Ceiling: \$47,495.34

Contractor: Lisa Argiro-Hetric
Service: Case Manager
Funding: Senior Services Levy
Contract Period: 1/1/2026-12/31/2026
Ceiling: \$47,495.34

Contractor: Brittany Bankston-Williams
Service: Case Manager
Funding: Senior Services Levy
Contract Period: 1/1/2026-12/31/2026
Ceiling: \$25,240.00

When questioned about what services the case managers provide, Director Ketterman stated Randy Calhoun specializes in home repairs. Bree Paynter and Brittan Bankston-Williams provide general assessments along with Lisa Argiro-Hetric who also has knowledge of home repairs.

Commissioner Ginter stated I'm sure the public doesn't know the magnitude of what the Director is responsible for overseeing with three divisions, 120 employees and millions of dollars that flow through the CCDJFS.

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

RE: CCDJFS – TERMINATION OF CONTRACT

INFORMATION ONLY: Notice of Termination of Contract

This is notification of record that CCDJFS has given a written notice to Lisa Felekey-Bigelow to terminate our FCFC Service Coordination contract signed by the Columbiana County Commissioners on July 2, 2025. The termination is dated November 4, 2025.

RE: EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion by Mr. Ginter, seconded by Mr. Paparodis to; enter executive session at 9:19 a.m. to consider discipline of a public employee pursuant to ORC Section 121.22 (G)(1). Action will be recommended following executive session.

No discussion had.

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

RE: RETURN FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion by Mr. Ginter, seconded by Mr. Paparodis to; return from executive session at 9:29 a.m.

No discussion had.

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

RE: CCDJFS – EMPLOYEE DISCIPLINE

Motion by Mr. Ginter, seconded by Mr. Paparodis to; accept action as recommended by Director Ketterman as it relates to employee discipline.

No discussion had.

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

Commissioner Halleck mentioned the Board will not meet during the week of December 24, 2025.

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