

Huntingdon, PA
Tuesday, June 20, 2017
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The regular weekly meeting of the Huntingdon County Commissioners was held on the above date and time in the Commissioners meeting room with the following being present: Commissioners Sather, Walls, and Thomas; Chief Clerk, Michelle Barnett; Solicitor, Peter McManamon; EMA Director, John Cirko; Probation Director, Len Hahn; Planning Director, Mark Colussy; PEMA Central Area Director, Fred Boylstein; Tri County Drug and Alcohol, Mike Hanna; Daily News Reporter, Kylie Hawn and visitor Jim Cassatt.

The meeting was called to order at 9:30 a.m. by Commissioner Sather followed by prayer led by Commissioner Walls and the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag led by Commissioner Sather.

It was moved by Commissioner Walls, seconded by Commissioner Thomas and carried (Sather, yes; Walls, yes; Thomas, yes) to approve the minutes of the June 13th public meeting.

It was moved by Commissioner Thomas, seconded by Commissioner Walls and carried (Walls, yes; Thomas, yes; Sather, yes) to approve the payment of bills.

There were three additions to the Agenda. An announcement that Allison Fisher has been appointed as interim JVBDS Director due to the resignation of Chris Wysocki. Len Hahn requested the offer of employment to Travis Betar be revoked. PEMA Director, John Boylstein to present John Cirko, Director of EMA, with the PEMA Certification.

There were no other announcements.

There were no matters addressed by the Solicitor.

Jim Cassatt inquired about a new tower that ComPros is installing on Jack's Mountain. It was explained by Commissioner Sather and Solicitor McManamon that the tower is owned by ComPros not the County and they can choose to repair or replace the tower which has no effect to the contract with the County.

Mark Colussy, Planning Director requested approval of the 2019-2022 Planning Commission Transportation Project Ranking Recommendations. It was moved by Commissioner Walls, seconded by Commissioner Thomas and carried (Thomas, yes; Sather yes; Walls, yes) to approve as presented the 2019-2022 Planning Commission Transportation Project Ranking Recommendations.

Len Hahn, Probation Director requested approval to revoke an offer of employment to Travis Betar as Juvenile Probation Officer effective June 20, 2017. It was moved by Commissioner Thomas, seconded by Commissioner Sather and carried (Sather, yes; Walls yes; Thomas, yes).

PEMA Central Area Director, John Boylstein, presented the PEMA Certification to EMA Director John Cirko.

Mike Hanna, Tri County Drug and Alcohol, gave an update on the drug epidemic, area overdose deaths and the services Tri County Drug and Alcohol can offer to those seeking assistance with Drug abuse.

There was 1 Veteran Burial Allowance for approval today.

There being no further business, it was moved by Commissioner Walls to adjourn the meeting at 10:10 a.m.

Minutes prepared by Michelle Barnett, Chief Clerk.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jeffrey Thomas, Secretary