

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 O’Korn, Fluke, and Thomas; Solicitor, Peter McManamon; Deputy Chief Clerk, Kristen Croyle; Children and Youth Services Administrator, Joyce Zolten; Daily News Reporter, Zach Myers; visitors Stan Westbrook and Jim Cassatt.

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

It was moved by Commissioner Fluke, seconded by Commissioner Thomas and carried (Thomas, yes; O’Korn, abstained; Fluke, yes) to approve the minutes of the December 23rd public meeting.

It was moved by Commissioner Thomas, seconded by Commissioner Fluke and carried (O’Korn, yes; Fluke, yes; Thomas, yes) to approve the payment of bills.

There are no new additions to the agenda.

There were no items addressed by the Solicitor today.

Commissioner O’Korn addressed to the public the Birthday of Commissioner Fluke. Commissioner O’Korn wished him a happy birthday from the county and hopes he has a good upcoming year.

It was moved by Commissioner O’Korn, seconded by Commissioner Thomas and carried (Fluke, yes; Thomas, yes; O’Korn, yes) to table the hiring of Alyssa Ciccarelli as a full time case-worker. It was noted by Joyce Zolten that CYS is waiting for approval from civil service.

It was moved by Commissioner Thomas, seconded by Commissioner Fluke and carried (Thomas, yes; O’Korn, yes; Fluke, yes) for the approval of the purchase of service agreement for attorney Christopher Wencker. He is currently the Guardian-Et-Litem for CYS cases.

It was moved by Commissioner Thomas, seconded by Commissioner Fluke and carried (O’Korn, yes; Fluke, yes; Thomas, yes) for the approval of the purchase of service agreement for attorney Erica Shoaf for the year. She is currently the Guardian-Et-Litem for CYS cases. With discussion from Commissioner Fluke he asked why it was so late in getting contracts signed, since the contract goes from July to July every year. CYS Administrator advised it is a process between the lawyers and CYS. It could take several months to get the paperwork though as they have over 50 lawyers under contract.

It was moved by Commissioner Fluke, seconded by Commissioner Thomas and carried (Fluke, yes; O’Korn, yes; Thomas, yes) to approve the Hazardous Materials Emergency Grant for the amount of \$17,680.00

It was moved by Commissioner Thomas and seconded by Commissioner O’Korn and carried (Thomas, yes; O’Korn, yes; Fluke, yes) for the approval to re-appoint Sara May Clarkson to the Huntingdon County Library Board for the term 2015 through 2017.

It was moved by Commissioner Thomas and seconded by Commissioner O’Korn and carried (O’Korn, yes; Fluke, no; Thomas, yes) for the approval to re-appoint Belle Tuten to the Huntingdon County Library Board for the term 2015 through 2017.

It was moved by Commissioner Thomas and seconded by Commissioner Fluke and carried (Fluke, yes; Thomas, yes; O’Korn, yes) for the appointment of Michael Mower to the Huntingdon County Conservation Board for the term of 4 years.

There were no veteran burial allowances for approval today.

There being no further business, it was moved by Commissioner Thomas to adjourn the meeting at 9:45 a.m. Minutes prepared by Kristen Croyle, Deputy Chief Clerk

Respectfully Submitted,

Jeffrey Thomas, Secretary