

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, Commissioner Walls and Commissioner Thomas; Chief Clerk, Michelle Barnett; Solicitor, Peter McManamon; District Attorney, David Smith; EMA Director, Joe Thompson; Daily News Reporter, Kylie Hawn and visitors Jim Cassatt, Mike Hannon and Deb Fleagle.

The meeting was called to order at 9:30 a.m. by Commissioner Sather followed by prayer led by Commissioner Thomas 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 January 23rd 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 no additions to the agenda.

There no announcements.

There were no public comments.

First on the Agenda was District Attorney, David Smith with a request to approve a contract between Huntingdon County and PA SAVIN (PA State Automated Victim Notification System)

PA SAVIN is Pennsylvania's automated victim notification system and part of our state's commitment to support victims of crime. This service provides crime victims, their families and their circles of support with free, confidential notification regarding an offender's release, transfer, or escape. It was moved by Commissioner Walls, seconded by Commissioner Thomas and carried (Thomas, yes; Sather, yes; Walls, yes) to approve the contract as presented.

Joe Thompson, EMA Director; Mike Hannon, Tri County Drug and Alcohol and Deb Fleagle of JC Blair Hospital provided an update on the distribution of Naloxone to first responders and qualified agencies. Mike Hannon explained the project is in response to the opioid epidemic. It was announced that a training is scheduled for February 15th at the JC Blair hospital Education Building. There are two sessions starting at 1:00 p.m. with an evening session at 7:00 p.m. The training is provided at no cost.

There were 6 Veterans Burial allowances.

There being no further business, it was moved by Commissioner Walls to adjourn the meeting at 9:56 a.m.

Minutes prepared by Michelle Barnett, Chief Clerk.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jeffrey Thomas, Secretary