

The regular weekly meeting of the Huntingdon County Commissioners was held on the above date in the Commissioners Meeting Room with the following being present: Commissioners Kough Pittenger, Hoover, and Fluke; Chief Clerk, Michelle Cerett; Solicitor, Peter McManamon; George Germann, The Daily News; Jeff Gill, Altoona Mirror; Dave Goodman; Alan Popovich; District Attorney George Zanic; Sheriff, Bill Walters, Bruce Pergament, Barry Hoover, Joan and Jim Cassett.

The meeting was called to order at 9:32 a.m. by Chairman Kough Pittenger followed by Prayer led by Commissioner Hoover and the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag led by Commissioner Kough Pittenger.

There were no additions or corrections to the July 20th minutes.

It was moved by Commissioner Hoover, second by Commissioner Fluke and carried (Kough Pittenger, yes; Hoover, yes; Fluke, yes) to approve the minutes of the July 20th meeting.

It was moved by Commissioner Fluke second by Commissioner Hoover and carried (Hoover, yes; Kough Pittenger, yes; Fluke, yes) to approve payment of invoices for the week of July 26th.

There were no additions to the agenda today.

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First on the agenda this morning was the opening of the bids for Phase II of the Bailey Building. Alan Popovich from AP Architects was present to assist in the opening of the bids. The base bids received were as follows:

General Construction:

CE Wood Construction	\$835,000
George S. Hann & Son	\$908,497
Hickes Associates	\$1,087,000
John Spearly Construction	\$997,554
Leonard S. Fiore	\$982,000
Palmer Construction	\$877,000

Plumbing:

Goodco Mechanicals	\$91,700
Hickes Associates, Inc.	\$69,600
Joseph C Hazel, Inc	\$94,385
Montgomery Bros.	\$94,500

Electrical

Bettwy Electrical, Inc.	\$439,788
Hickes Associates, Inc	494,636
Robt. P Lepley Electrical	\$525,683
Southern Contractors	\$395,777
Strouse Electric	\$418,592

After consultation between Alan Popovich and Solicitor McManamon, it was decided that the mechanical bids would not be opened today. Alan will obtain additional information from Huntingdon Borough prior to that opening. Depending on that information, a special meeting will be held later this week to continue the opening of the Mechanical bids.

Next on the agenda was a request to sign resolution #15-2010. The resolution grants permission to the District Attorney's office to apply for the 2011 DUI Task Force Grant. It was moved by Commissioner Hoover, second by Commissioner Kough Pittenger and carried (Fluke, yes; Kough Pittenger, yes; Hoover, yes) to sign resolution #15-2010.

Sheriff Walters provided an update on the two Deputies who were involved in a serious car accident on July 23rd, 2010. Both deputies were released from the hospital and are recovering well. Deputy Hetrick will be returning to work this week and Deputy Cressman will be off work approximately three weeks.

The Commissioners approved payment of 1 burial allowance.

There being no further business, it was moved by Commissioner Hoover second by Commissioner Fluke and carried to adjourn the meeting at 10:46 a.m. Minutes prepared by Chief Clerk, Michelle Cerett.

Respectfully submitted,

R. Dean Fluke, Secretary