The regular meeting of the Huntingdon County Commissioners was held on the above date and time in the Commissioner's Meeting Room with the following present: Commissioners Walls, Thomas, and Reeder; Chief Clerk, Heather Fellman; Solicitor, Larry Newton; Planning Director, Laurie Nearhood and Daily News Reporter, Joe Thompson.

The meeting was called to order at 9:30 a.m. by Commissioner Walls. Prayer was led by Commissioner Reeder and the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Commissioner Walls.

It was moved by Commissioner Reeder, seconded by Commissioner Thomas and carried (Walls, yes; Thomas, yes; Reeder, yes) to table approval of the minutes of the previous meeting.

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

There were no additions to the agenda.

Under announcements, Commissioner Reeder praised Octoberfest and other fall events in the community this weekend.

There were no public comments.

There were no matters to be addressed by the Solicitor.

Under new business, Laurie Nearhood, Planning Director, requested consideration of approval for the Petersburg Act 13 Legacy Fund grant agreement in the amount of \$7,330 for a new backstop and fencing. It was moved by Commissioner Reeder, seconded by Commissioner Thomas and carried (Reeder, yes; Walls, yes; Thomas, yes).

Consideration of approval was given to hire Samantha Beezer for the position of full-time Custodian effective 10/2/2024. It was moved by Commissioner Thomas, seconded by Commissioner Reeder and carried (Walls, yes; Thomas, yes; Reeder, yes).

Under Matters for Action, Commissioner Walls noted that a few weeks ago the Commissioners passed a policy for Clean and Green program to benefit the farmers. Previously, if a farmer with property in Clean and Green sold between two and 10 acres of their farm they would be required to pay rollback taxes on the entire property. This change decreased the amount of rollback taxes that the farmer would be responsible for by limiting it only to the parcel of land that is being sold.

There were no Veteran's Burial Allowances.

There being no further business, it was moved by Commissioner Reeder to adjourn the meeting at 9:40 a.m.

Minutes prepared by Heather Fellman, Chief Clerk.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jeffrey Thomas, Secretary