

The regular meeting of the Clearfield County Commissioners was held on Tuesday, February 22, 2022 with Chair Sobel conducting the meeting. The following were in attendance: Commissioners Scotto and Glass; Heather Bozovich, Solicitor; Rob Edwards, Controller; Dawn Graham, Director of Elections; Jessica Shirey, gantdaily.com; Diane Byers, Progress/Courier; Yvonne Lehmann, Radio WOKW; Yanni Tragellis, WTAJ Television; Cameron Strom, IT; Lisa McFadden, Chief Clerk.

Minutes of the previous meeting of February 8, 2022 were approved by motion of Commissioner Scotto, seconded by Commissioner Glass; motion carried unanimously.

Controller Edwards presented the following bills for approval: General Fund, \$1,738,952.82; Liquid Fuels, \$208.42; Hazardous Materials Fund, \$409.89; American Rescue Plan, \$29.95; 911 Fund, \$380,387.25; Hotel Tax Fund, \$226,179.47; Communities Development Block Grant, \$1,657.14; Domestic Relations, \$10,196.76; Children and Youth Services Fund, \$480,189.08. Approval of the bills by Commissioner Scotto, seconded by Commissioner Glass; motion carried unanimously.

Personnel Changes

New Hires – Tessa Irvin, Full time Corrections Officer, effective 2/14/22.

Angie Kushner, Secretary II/DRO, effective 2/16/22.

Brandon Desmett, Deputy Sheriff, effective 02/2/22.

Transfers – Matthew Savard, Full time Telecommunicator to Deputy EMA Director, effective 2/20/22.

Douglas Waite, Full time Telecommunicator to Part time Telecommunicator, effective 2/22/22.

Separations/Retirements – Nicholas Wells Full time Telecommunicator effective 2/18/22.

Amy Harris, Fiscal Technician/CYS, effective 3/11/22.

Approval of the Personnel Changes by Commissioner Glass, seconded by Commissioner Scotto; motion carried unanimously.

Public Comment – None

Old Business – None

New Business

Dawn Graham attended the meeting to announce a polling place change for Bradford 1st Precinct. Ms. Graham explained that the Election Board of the Bradford 1st Precinct requested that the location be moved from the Bigler YMCA to the BJW Fire Company Social Hall. Ms. Graham explained that in past Elections there have been issues where scheduled YMCA activities interfere with the Election such as baseball, soccer, parking and handicapped accessibility.

Chair Sobel presented Linkage Agreements with CORE Psychiatric & Psychological Services to be used by Probation and Children and Youth. Motion to execute the agreements by Commissioner Scotto, seconded by Commissioner Glass; motion carried unanimously.

Chief Clerk McFadden asked for permission to advertise for Bosch NVR Server. The server will be used at the County Prison in conjunction with the Bosch Camera system that was installed in 2021. Motion to approve the advertising by Commissioner Glass, seconded by Commissioner Scotto; motion carried unanimously.

Chair Sobel asked for a motion to approve an Internship Agreement with Bloomsburg University for the Probation Department. Approval by motion of Commissioner Glass, seconded by Commissioner Scotto; motion carried unanimously.

Purchase of Service Agreement with Children's Aid Society of Mercer County was approved by motion of Commissioner Scotto, seconded by Commissioner Glass; motion carried unanimously.

Chair Sobel asked for a motion to approve a Textile Products Rental Agreement with Paris Uniform Services. The agreement allows for rental of carpet mats for the EMA/911 Department. Approval of the agreement by Commissioner Scotto, seconded by Commissioner Glass; motion carried unanimously.

Solicitors Report

Solicitor Bozovich reported that arguments on the Redistricting Maps were held on Friday, February 18, 2022 with no decision as of this morning. Also, there was a stay issued with respect to the Mail In Ballot challenge and if no decision is made by March 15 the stay will be lifted.

Motion to adjourn by Commissioner Scotto, seconded by Commissioner Glass; motion carried unanimously.

Lisa McFadden, Chief Clerk