

OCTOBER 10 – MEETING 41
VOLUME 26

The Ross County Board of Commissioners met on this day, October 10, 2023, in regular session.

Commissioner Dwight Garrett called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m., with Commissioners James E. Lowe and Jack A. Everson, in attendance.

Commissioner Garrett led the Pledge of Allegiance.

BILLS APPROVED FOR PAYMENT

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, the following bills of the county be approved for payment:

DEPARTMENT	PURCHASE ORDER	PAY TO NAME	TOTAL VALUE					
Auditor	2023000110	Ross County Humane Society	10000		Juvenile Court	2023000822	Verizon Wireless	1134.31
Auditor	2023000111	Google, Inc.	1977.3		Law Library	2023001250	West Group	854
Auditor	2023000461	Fairfield Computer Services, LLC	165		Law Library	2023000555	Office City Express	313.98
Auditor	2023000451	CEBCO	738170.67		Litter Control	2023000768	All Ohio Portable Toilets	100
Auditor	2023000180	Benson, Melinda J	250		Litter Control	2023000767	US Safety Gear, Inc.	12.94
Auditor	2023001012	OSU Extension - Ross County	75000		Litter Control	2023000724	Wex Bank	352.26
Auditor	2023000180	Benson, Melinda J	125		Planning Commission	2023001987	Westside Media	1500
Auditor	2023000065	Horizon Chillicothe Telephone	721.99		Probate Court	2023000273	Cutright, James K.	200
Auditor	2023000073	Chillicothe Utilities Dept.	533.18		Probate Court	2023000273	Rutherford, Sherri K.	200
Auditor	2023001946	US Safety Gear, Inc.	89.2		Recorder	2023000534	Gordon Flesch Co., Inc.	3.52
Auditor	2023000474	Office City Express	179.23		Ross County Court System	2023001997	Charter Communications Holdings,	134.98
Auditor	2023000996	Rich & Gillis Law Group LLC	57		Ross County Court System	2023002011	Amazon Capital Services	5949.55
Auditor	2023000462	Glacier Mountain Bottled Water	42.5		Ross County Court System	2023000540	Lexis-Nexis	318
Auditor	2023000065	Horizon Chillicothe Telephone	589.1		Ross County Court System	2023002012	The Water Express	51.75
Automatic Data Processing Board	2023000764	Westside Media	236.25		Ross County Court System	2023002022	Wex Bank	217.02
Automatic Data Processing Board	2023001010	Swango Cabling and Trenching, LLC	519		Ross County Court System	2023002021	Westside Media	123.75
Automatic Data Processing Board	2023000251	Horizon Business Systems	3804.3		Ross County Court System	2023002020	Horizon Network Partners	1426.36
Automatic Data Processing Board	2023001993	Swango Cabling and Trenching, LLC	8705.4		Ross County Court System	2023000539	Thomson Reuters - West	302.84
Board of Elections	2023001966	Pitney Bowes	162.24		Sheriff	2023001679	Wex Bank	639.73
Board of Elections	2023001967	Election Systems & Software, Inc.	735.21		Sheriff	2023000850	Horizon Chillicothe Telephone	262.3
Building Department	2023000545	Josh Hettinger	30		Sheriff	2023000320	Bound Tree Medical LLC	101.24
Building Department	2023000552	John Deere Financial	386.97		Sheriff	2023001865	Welch, David Michael	260
Commissioners	2023001420	Haulin' Grass LLC	115		Sheriff	2023001864	Johnson, Jonina	620
Commissioners	2023000571	Glacier Mountain Bottled Water	21.5		Sheriff	2023001863	Cottrill, Treiva J.	1800
Commissioners	2023000504	Columbia Gas of Ohio, Inc	180.01		Sheriff	2023000345	Adena Medical Group, LLC	172.27
Commissioners	2023001514	American Electric Power	614.54		Sheriff	2023000345	Columbus Radiology Corp.	498.91
Commissioners	2023000561	American Electric Power	27.85		Sheriff	2023000348	Adena Health System	1628.55
Commissioners	2023001514	American Electric Power	47.94		Sheriff	2023000348	Galls, LLC	105.04
Commissioners	2023000491	South Central Power Company	73		Sheriff	2023000332	American Jail Association	60
Commissioners	2023001972	Bright Solutions of Ohio, Inc.	300		Sheriff	2023000317	Office City Express	42.04
Commissioners	2023000563	DTB Distributors, Inc.	538.19		Sheriff	2023000348	Office City Express	44.85
Commissioners	2023001138	K&K Carpet Care of Chillicothe	200		Sheriff	2023000326	Office City Express	6.54
Commissioners	2023000518	Chillicothe Utilities Dept.	198.59		Sheriff	2023000320	DTB Distributors, Inc.	487.09
					Sheriff	2023000348	DTB Distributors, Inc.	1028.55
Commissioners	2023000517	Chillicothe Utilities Dept.	652.3		Sheriff	2023000327	DTB Distributors, Inc.	75.77
Commissioners	2023000516	Ross Co. Water Company	176.98		Sheriff	2023000310	AT&T Mobility	2324.83
Commissioners	2023000622	Southern Ohio Shredding LLC	417		Sheriff	2023000304	Southern Ohio Shredding LLC	51.5
Commissioners	2023000617	Lowe's	429.81		Sheriff	2023000311	Chillicothe Utilities Dept.	6327.2
Commissioners	2023001512	Bricker and Graydon	937.5		Sheriff	2023000318	Wex Bank	15586.1
Commissioners	2023001512	Bricker and Graydon	3237.5		Sheriff	2023000320	Downtown Auto Body Repair, Inc.	100
Commissioners	2023000740	Master Locksmith and Safe Service,	6		Sheriff	2023000320	Galls, LLC	105.04
Commissioners	2023000925	Central Auto Parts	60.75		Sheriff	2023000320	Ross County Engineer	2087.68
Commissioners	2023000715	Veregy East, LLC	575		Sheriff	2023000327	Kristen Hough	42.89
Commissioners	2023000633	Ag-Pro Ohio, LLC	97.74		Sheriff	2023000320	Vance Outdoors, Inc.	774.7
Commissioners	2023000642	Worly Plumbing Supply, Inc.	18.54		Sheriff	2023000348	Vance Outdoors, Inc.	254
Commissioners	2023000577	Waste Management of Ohio	230.99		Sheriff	2023000327	Vance Outdoors, Inc.	38.1
Commissioners	2023000578	Waste Management of Ohio	248.93		Sheriff	2023000303	Modern Office Methods, Inc.	333.9
Commissioners	2023000580	Waste Management of Ohio	198.91		Sheriff	2023000338	Modern Office Methods, Inc.	111.3
Commissioners	2023000579	Waste Management of Ohio	921.26		Sheriff	2023000323	Modern Office Methods, Inc.	278.3
Commissioners	2023002006	Ross County Engineer	310.81		Sheriff	2023000329	Modern Office Methods, Inc.	55.65
Commissioners	2023002005	Muffler Brothers	2023.7		Sheriff	2023000306	Pitney Bowes	73.19
Commissioners	2023000629	State Electric Supply, Inc.	2160.88		Sheriff	2023000341	Pitney Bowes	25.83
Commissioners	2023000708	Perfection One Collision Center Inc.	110.93		Sheriff	2023000324	Pitney Bowes	109.78
Commissioners	2023000564	Central Center Hardware	152.26		Sheriff	2023000331	Pitney Bowes	6.45
Common Pleas Court #1	2023001984	The Water Express	26.75		Sheriff	2023000342	Trinity Services Group	6031.8
Common Pleas Court #1	2023001985	Office Depot Inc.	179.15		Sheriff	2023000850	Rumpke Of Ohio, Inc	71.51
Coroner	2023000004	Lexis-Nexis Risk Data Management	105		Treasurer	2023001994	Proforma Graphic Services	1720
Coroner	2023000160	Haller Funeral Home, LLC	350		Treasurer	2023001995	Smartbill Ltd	416.72
Coroner	2023000006	Westside Media	30		Treasurer	2023001996	Ross County Recorder	1632
Coroner	2023001921	Amazon Capital Services	16.5		Veterans Service Commission	2023001480	Centec Cast Metal Products	3170.54
Dog Warden	2023001675	Menards	39.96		Veterans Service Commission	2023000109	ComDoc, Inc.	32.8
Dog Warden	2023000263	Davis Tire of Chillicothe	59.95		Veterans Service Commission	2023000095	The Corner Market	996.25
Dog Warden	2023001675	Covetrus North America	43.64		VOCA	2023001326	Office City Express	15.51
Dog Warden	2023001675	Printex Printing	128.63		VOCA	2023001999	T-Mobile USA Inc	23.78
Emergency Management	2023000260	US Bank NA	152.44		VOCA	2023001998	Westside Media	75
Emergency Management	2023000991	RDI Solutions, LLC	1900		VOCA	2023002002	Horizon Technology	9.95
Emergency Management	2023000258	Alexander, Sharon	50		VOCA	2023002000	Modern Office Methods, Inc.	217.35
Emergency Management	2023000259	AT&T Mobility	140.26					\$970,299.01
Emergency Management	2023000252	Horizon Chillicothe Telephone	147.53					
Emergency Management	2023000254	Gordon Flesch Co., Inc.	840.68					
Emergency Management	2023000257	Office City Express	160.96					
Emergency Management	2023000253	GFC Leasing	121.65					
Engineer	2023001885	Ace Truck Body, Inc.	841.61					
Engineer	2023001887	Capital One Trade Credit	2499.99					
Engineer	2023000994	Cintas Corporation # 530	343.22					
Engineer	2023001887	Coppel Coal & Supply Co.	675					
Engineer	2023001887	Jack's Tire & Auto Center, Inc.	109.75					
Engineer	2023001887	John Deere Financial	902.85					
Engineer	2023001887	Kenworth Truck Co.	232.33					
Engineer	2023001356	Kleem, Inc.	763.52					
Engineer	2023001887	Lowe's	275.13					
Engineer	2023000138	Ohio AFSCME Care Plan	495					
Engineer	2023001731	Old Canal Stop	33					
Engineer	2023001866	Resource International, Inc.	4290					
Engineer	2023001887	Ross Auto Parts	51.09					
Engineer	2023001886	Rush Truck Centers of Ohio	910.26					
Engineer	2023001887	Sargent Sales & Rentals	238					
Engineer	2023001887	Southeastern Equipment Co.	393.55					
Engineer	2023001731	Terminal Supply Co	9.36					
Engineer	2023001887	Tim's Tires & Accessories	304					
Engineer	2023000982	Tow Path Materials	573.3					
Engineer	2023001356	Tow Path Materials	7310.3					
Engineer	2023000760	WW. Williams	845					
Engineer	2023001887	Advanced Hydraulics and Hoses	229.2					
Engineer	2023001887	Central Auto Parts	2507.85					
Engineer	2023001890	Melvin Stone Co.	5900.72					
Engineer	2023001887	Do It Right Cleaning Service, LLC	600					
Engineer	2023001132	Hettinger, Joshua R.	200					
Juvenile Court	2023000277	Make Paper Digital, LLC	10000					
Juvenile Court	2023000588	CHERI SMITLEY	30.14					
Juvenile Court	2023000587	Project Badass	750					
Juvenile Court	2023000274	Forum Ohio, LLC	1600					

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

THEN & NOW CERTIFICATES APPROVED

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, the Ross County Board of Commissioners approve "Then & Now" Certificates, dated September 25 through October 10, 2023, in the amount of \$15,582.59 prepared by the Office of the Ross County Auditor and certified by the auditor as to the appropriation of funds for the purpose of encumbering the sum of the contract(s) or order(s) outlined therein, or the imminent collection of funds for credit to the appropriated fund(s) of the county, and as to the availability of funds for transfer within the appropriate department(s).

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

TRANSFER OF FUNDS

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, \$2,900.00 be transferred from General Fund account code 100-01-04-7106 Rentals, into account code 100-01-04-7157 Supplies Mntc., per a request of October 10, 2023 from the Ross County Commissioners.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.
Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, \$3,000.00 be transferred from General Fund account code 100-01-10-7118 Janitorial, into account code 100-01-10-7150 Supplies, per a request of October 10, 2023 from the Ross County Engineer.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, \$3,000.00 be transferred from General Fund account code 100-01-00-7102 Contract Repairs, into account code 100-01-00-7103 Contract Services per a request of October10, 2023 from the Ross County Commissioners.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, \$1,400.00 be transferred from General Fund account code 100-21-00-75555 Out of County Autopsies, into account code 100-21-00-7200 Equipment, per a request of October 10, 2023 from the Ross County Coroner.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, \$16,000.00 be appropriated from ISP/Prison Diversion Grant account code 420-11-+37-7001 Salaries into account code 420-11-37-7014 Group Insurance (\$14,500.00) and from account code 420-11-37-7012 PERS, into account code 420-11-37-7014 Group Insurance (\$1,500.00) per a request of October10, 2023 from the Ross County Common Pleas Court Administrator.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, \$4,106.76 be transferred from Sheriff’s Diversion TCRC Fund account codes 420-29-07-7001 Salaries (\$3,706.45), account code 420-29-07-7100 Travel & Training (\$32.22), account code 420-29-07-7101 Advertising and Printing (\$92.00), account code 420-29-07-7103 Contract Services (\$87050), account code 420-29-07-7151 Educational Supplies (\$117.91) and account code 420-29-07-7757 Electronic Monitoring (\$70.68), into account code 420-29-07-7800 Reimbursements, per a request of October 10, 2023 from the Ross County Sheriff.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, \$37,384.25 be transferred from General Fund account code 100-00-00-00-010, into account code 088-06-01-5901 SCOJFS Public Asst. per a request of October 10, 2023 from the Ross County Auditor.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

APPRORIATION OF FUNDS

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, \$15,000.00 be appropriated from General Fund into account codes 100-01-00-7103 Contract Services and account code 100-00-04-7103 Contract Services, per a request of October 10, 2023 from the Ross County Commissioners.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, \$21,000.00 be appropriated from General Fund into account code 100-01-10-7107 Utilities, per a request of October 10, 2023 from the Ross County Commissioners.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, \$2,510.85 be appropriated from Law Enforcement Canine Donations Fund into account code 213-39-00-7229 Canine Unit, per a request of October 10, 2023 from the Ross County Sheriff.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, \$185,000.00 be appropriated from Real Estate Assessment Fund into account code 208-02-00-7103 Contract Services, per a request of October 10, 2023 from the Ross County Auditor.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

ASSET DISPOSAL

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, the Ross County Board of Commissioners approve an Asset Disposal Form submitted by the Ross County Sheriff for disposal of the following surplus property of the county as indicated:

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	TAG/ SERIAL	METHOD OF DISPOSAL
1	2014 Chevy Impala	1G1125S33EU102310	Total Loss

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

TIME SHEET APPROVED - COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, the Ross County Board of Commissioners approve the time sheet submitted by Bradford M. Cosenza, County Administrator for the pay period ending October 7, 2023.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

The following Resolution was passed at the regular meeting of the Ross County Board of Commissioners on June 20, 2023, with Dwight A. Garrett, James E. Lowe and Jack A. Everson in attendance.

RESOLUTION 031-23

WHEREAS, the Ross County Board of Commissioners enter into an Agreement with the City of Chillicothe, Ohio, providing for city reimbursement for the costs of legal services provided to indigent persons in Municipal Court, and

WHEREAS, the County agrees to pay appointed counsel for legal services provided to indigent persons in Municipal Court charged under City Ordinances.

WHEREAS, the Ross County Auditor will itemize and bill the City of Chillicothe, Ohio Auditor for the amount spent in the quarter for such services minus the percent of reimbursement to be paid by the State of Ohio Public Defender Commission under Chapter 120 of the Ohio Revised Code, and the City will pay the County that amount, and

WHEREAS, Counsel appointed for representation in Municipal Court shall be paid according to the schedule promulgated by the County under Section 120.33 of the Ohio Revised Code, and

THEREFORE, this agreement shall commence on January 1, 2024, and end on December 31, 2024. This contract may be renewed on an annual basis upon proper Resolution by the Ross County Commissioners and Ordinance by the City Council and appropriation of funding. Copies of said ordinance authorizing its renewal shall be sent to the Ohio Public Defender.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

PAY REQUEST SOUTH CENTRAL OHIO REGIONAL JUVENILE DETENTION CENTER

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to pay the invoice for South Central Ohio Regional Juvenile Detention Center for services rendered for the month of September in the amount of \$73,871.39.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

APPLICATION FOR APPROPRIATION TO ATTEND MEETING/CONVENTION

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to approve a request for application for appropriation to attend meeting/convention from the Ross County Recorder, Kathy Dunn to attend the Winter ORA CE Conference at Hilton Columbus at Polaris, 8700 Lyra Drive, Columbus OH 43240 on November 13 - 15, 2023 at an approximate of \$448.00 to the county.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

SUBORDINATION AGREEMENT

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to sign a Subordination Agreement with Becky M Strausbaugh by mortgage dated August 23, 2023 and recorded August 30, 2023 in the Recorder's Office of Ross County, Ohio, in Official Record Volume 570, Page 3466 - 3472 did convey unto Homeland credit Union, Inc. certain premises in Ross County, Ohio, described as: Property Address: 4298 Marietta Road, Chillicothe, OH 45601 Parcel Number: 14-0114021000, to secure a note dated August 23, 2023 for \$20,000.00 with interest payable as therein provided.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

The following Resolutions were passed at the regular meeting of the Ross County Board of Commissioners on June 20, 2023, with Dwight A. Garrett, James E. Lowe and Jack A. Everson in attendance.

South Central Ohio Job & Family Services

Area 20 Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act Board Appointment

Resolution No.: 032-23

WHEREAS, the director of South Central Ohio Job & Family Services (SCOJFS) has requested that the Ross County Board of Commissioners appoint the following individual as a board member to the Area 20 Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act Board effective; July 1, 2023 for a term of three (3) years:

Mike Throne – Business (Chillicothe-Ross Chamber of Commerce)

RESOLVED, that the Ross County Board of Commissioners hereby appoint the following individual as a board member to the Area 20 Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act Board for a term of three (3) years effective; July 1, 2023 expiring; June 30, 2026

Mike Throne – Business (Chillicothe-Ross Chamber of Commerce)

Resolution No.: 033-23

WHEREAS, the director of South Central Ohio Job & Family Services (SCOJFS) has requested that the Ross County Board of Commissioners re-appoint the following individual as a board member to the Area 20 Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act Board effective; July 1, 2023 for a term of three (3) years:

Carrie Fife – Adult Education & Literacy (Pick-Ross Career & Technology Center)

RESOLVED, that the Ross County Board of Commissioners hereby re-appoint the following individual as a board member to the Area 20 Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act Board for a term of three (3) years effective; July 1, 2023 expiring; June 30, 2026

Carrie Fife – Adult Education & Literacy (Pick-Ross Career & Technology Center)

Resolution No.: 034-23

WHEREAS, the director of South Central Ohio Job & Family Services (SCOJFS) has requested that the Ross County Board of Commissioners re-appoint the following individual as a board member to the Area 20 Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act Board effective; July 1, 2023 for a term of three (3) years:

Pamela Spangenberg – Business (Adena Health System)

RESOLVED, that the Ross County Board of Commissioners hereby re-appoint the following individual as a board member to the Area 20 Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act Board for a term of three (3) years effective; July 1, 2023 expiring; June 30, 2026.

Pamela Spangenberg – Business (Adena Health System)

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

CONTRACT SIGNING WATER POLLUTION CONTROL LOAN FUND 2022 BATCH 5

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to enter into a contract with Duncan & Daniels Enterprises, LLC for replacement of 2 home sewage systems at a cost of \$45,085.00, per a bid award on October 2, 2023.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

QUOTE COMBS HEATING & COOLING INC

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to approve a quote from Combs Heating & Cooling Inc., for three (3) new heating units for 15 North Paint Street, Adult Probation at a cost of \$34,050.00.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

EMA DIRECTOR HIRED

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Garrett seconded, to hire Mark Thompson as Ross County EMA Director at a salary of \$60,000.00, vacation after one year of employment and flex time, effective 9/25/2023.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes; Mr. Everson, abstained. Motion carried.

TAP FEE FOR UNION HEIGHT SEWER

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to set a tap fee of \$1,000.00 plus a \$35.00 inspection fee, for residents wishing to tie into the Union Heights Sewer. The monthly fee will remain at \$30.00.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

OTHER BUSINESS

Jill Caplinger – Building Department discussed her retirement with the Commissioners. Her last day of service will be 1/31/2024.

American Fidelity Open Enrollment – The rates for this supplemental insurance, for county employees, will remain the same for 2024.

Rhiannon Gill – Child Protection Agency asked the Commissioners to consider continuing to help fund the agency with another \$15,000.00 for 2024.

Elizabeth Spears – Village of Adelphi Administrator returned to the office to discuss the difficulty she is having contacting the Senior Citizens center to get the Village of Adelphi center back open. Ms. Spears has records starting in May 2021 up to September 27, 2023 requesting a meeting, a phone call, and board members information, all to no avail. She has finally been invited to a November 3, 2023 meeting to hopefully find some answers.


Ms. Deborah Canter – The Dolly Parton Imagination Library of Ohio visited the Commissioners to provide information about the Dolly Parton Imagination Library.

VIP Reporting Demo – Jim Kimmel demonstrated a Budget Reporting add on for the VIP system. The quote for the add-on is \$9,000.00 with an additional \$1,800.00 for software support. Mr. Kimmel will provide another quote for the program that is Cloud based.

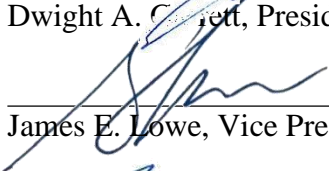
ADJOURN

Mr. Dwight A. Garrett, President, adjourned the regular meeting of October 10, 2023, at 3:05 p.m.

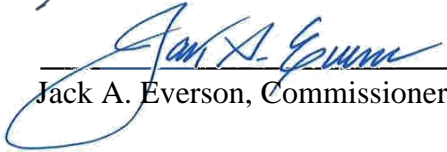
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