

COMMISSIONERS GENERAL SESSION
February 29, 2016

Present at the meeting were Commissioners:
 Brenda K. Benner-Chairman
 Paul L. Rudy Jr-Vice-Chairman
 Stephen C. Naylor-Secretary
 Kathy Burkholder- Chief Clerk
 William R. Bunt - Solicitor

Present from the Press: Jim Ryan, Perry County Times

Present from the Public: Ed Albright, Harva Owings- Baughman, Jim Fuller, T.J. George, Robert Hench, Dave Magee, Allen Metzger, Carl Nace, Nancy Pote, Jill Quigley, Randy Waggoner

Commissioner Benner opened the meeting at 10:00 AM on February 29, 2016 with the Pledge to the Flag and a moment of silence.

Public Comment: No public comment. Commissioner Benner mentioned the minutes were being recorded.

Approval of Minutes: Commissioner Rudy made a motion to approve the minutes of February 22, 2016. Commissioner Naylor seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Commissioner Naylor made a motion to appoint the warrant list for the week of February 29, 2016 in the amount of \$120,697.18. Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried.

A Proclamation was presented to the American Red Cross for the month of March to be designated as American Red Cross Month in Perry County.

Commissioner Rudy made a motion to adopt Resolution 2016-4. This Resolution urges the General Assembly and Administration to restore funding for human services programs to historic levels, and to put mechanisms in place to assure any future budget impasse or budget delay does not become a burden on Perry County. Commissioner Naylor seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Based on the recommendation of the Cumberland/Perry Mh/IDD Board, Commissioner Naylor made a motion to approve the following contracts for 2015- 2016:

Provider	Total Contract Amount	Status
<i>Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities</i>		
Center for Independent Living	\$ 35,520	Renewal
Easter Seals Western & Central PA	\$ 2,000	New
Keystone Service Systems Inc. DBA	\$ 44,950	Increase
Total	\$ 82,470	

Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Employee Status: Commissioner Rudy made a motion to approve the hiring of Joshua Lahr for the position of p/t as needed Clerk, MDJ office at an hourly rate of \$11.16 effective March 7, 2016. Commissioner Naylor seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Solicitors Report: Nothing that required Action. A date has been scheduled for a union grievance mediation for March 29, 2016. Treasurer Baughman will be representing the County.

Public Comments: A Marysville update was reported by Allen Metzger regarding Route 11/15 for road work effective immediately. Jim Fuller, Wheatfield Township Supervisor expressed concerns for county recycling. Jim also serves as the local president for the Pennsylvania Farm Bureau. He thanked Commissioner Naylor for serving on the board and the support of the commissioners.

Open Forum for the Press: None.

Commissioner Naylor made a motion to adjourn at 10:15 a.m. Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Kathy Burkholder, Chief Clerk

Stephen C. Naylor, Secretary