

**COMMISSIONERS GENERAL SESSION  
October 5, 2015**

**Present at the meeting were**

**Commissioners:**

Brenda K. Benner-Chairman  
 Stephen C. Naylor-Vice-Chairman  
 Paul L. Rudy Jr.- Secretary  
 Kathy Burkholder-Chief Clerk  
 William R. Bunt-Solicitor

**Present from the Press:** Kristie Smith-Perry County Times

**Present from the Public:** Harva Owings Baughman, William Cameron, Bill Carpenter, Dennis Collier, Dion DeNault, Rich Fultz, John Gothel, Dave Magee, Jeffrey Mattern, Harry McCombs, Allen Metzger, David Miller, Terry Mullen, Carl Nace, Dennis Plant, David Shenk, Bill Shilling, Brian Shonyo, Timothy Ward, Frank Wilmarth

Commissioner Benner opened the meeting at 10:00 AM on October 5, 2015 with the Pledge to the Flag and a moment of silence.

**Public Comment:** Statements were made by the public and Veterans for the need for a full time Veterans Director upon the retirement of Lynn Van Leaven.

**Approval of Minutes:** Commissioner Rudy made a motion to approve the minutes of September 28, 2015. Commissioner Naylor seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**Approval of Warrant List:** Commissioner Naylor made a motion to approve the warrant list for a total of \$92,195.30 for the week of October 5, 2015. Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Commissioner Naylor made a motion to adopt a County wide Smoking Policy which addresses the use of smoking, chewing and vaping (electronic cigarettes) of tobacco products in county vehicles and county property. Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Commissioner Naylor made a motion to approve the Preventative Maintenance Agreement with CILS for the prison commercial washers and dryers at a rate of \$72 per hour and a flat rate charge of \$55. For a twelve month period. Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Based on the recommendation of the MH/IDD Board, Commissioner Naylor made a motion to approve the following Mental Health and Early Intervention Contracts. Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried.

<b>Provider</b>	<b>Contract Number</b>	<b>Total Contract Amount</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Summary of Services</b>
<b><i>Mental Health</i></b>				
Holy Spirit Hospital - A Geisinger Affiliate	MH14-0001	\$ 2,044,541	Increase	MH Servies
Perry County (Prison)	MH14-0019	\$ 31,025	Increase	MH Services - Prison service
Perry County Transportation Authority				
Thomas James MS	MH14-0017	\$ 54,689	Increase	MH Services - Family support
<b>Total</b>	MH14-0010	\$ 8,812	Increase	MH Services - Prison service
		\$ 2,139,067		

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<b><i>Early Intervention</i></b>				
International Corporate Training & Marketing LLC	EI15-0071	\$ 12,304	Increase	EI Services - Base funded language
Nicole Custer, OTR/L	EI15-0046	\$ 37,676	Renewal	EI Services - Base funded occupation
Nicole Custer, OTR/L	EI15-0047	\$ -	Renewal	EI Services -Waiver occupational therapy
<b><i>Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities</i></b>				
Living Unlimited Inc.	ID15-0121	\$ 5,005	Renewal	IDD Services – Home/ community habilitati
The ARC of Dauphin County	ID15-0161	\$ 2,500	New	IDD Services - Family support
<b><i>Mental Health</i></b>				
Dauphin County MH-ID Program	MH15-0038	\$ 254,296	Renewal	MH Services - Residential (long term)
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$ 311,781</b>		

**Employee Status:**

Commissioner Rudy made a motion to accept letter of transfer for Olivia Frymoyer from Office of Aging, Care Manager to C&Y, Caseworker, effective October 19, 2015. Commissioner Naylor seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Commissioner Naylor made a motion to accept letter of transfer for Laureen Eichelberger from full time law clerk to p/t District Attorney, effective October 19, 2015. Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Commissioner Rudy made a motion to approve the hiring of Courtney Roth, Counselor, Prison, effective October 6, 2015, \$15.49 hourly. Commissioner Benner seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Commissioner Naylor made a motion to approve the hiring of Jessica N. Acheson, full time law clerk, \$27,000 annually, effective October 12, 2015. Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Commissioner Naylor made a motion to approve the hiring of Joseph Donegan, p/t law clerk, \$10 per hour, effective October 12, 2015. Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Commissioner Naylor made a motion for the termination of Emily Rentschler, p/t 911 dispatcher, effective October 5, 2015. Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**Solicitors Report-** Nothing that required action.

**Public Comments:** Dave Magee, Marysville Boro. Council noted that the County's G.I.S. employee, Dave Unger did an outstanding job helping the public with some data that was needed and should be commended.

The lack of infrastructure for a natural gas line pipe was also discussed for the Marysville area.

Jeff Mattern, Historical Society of Perry County mentioned the society is trying to restore a property at Dromgold's Corner and would like to see if the County would be interested in doing a prison program similar to Dauphin County using inmates to help with the project.

**Open Forum for the Press:** Questions were asked and answered by the press.

Commissioner Naylor made a motion to adjourn at 10:30 a.m. Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried.