
THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF COLUMBIANA COUNTY, OHIO, MET IN REGULAR SESSION IN THEIR OFFICE IN THE COURTHOUSE, 105 SOUTH MARKET STREET, LISBON, OHIO, ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26, 2026 AT 9:00 A.M.

ROLL CALL: COMMISSIONER PAPARODIS, COMMISSIONER GINTER, COMMISSIONER HALLECK

CLERK: CALLIE SOWARDS

PRAYER WAS GIVEN BY: DIANA MULLINS

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 "Columbiana County Commissioners Prayer."
 Our Dear Wonderful Heavenly Father, Who
 is in Heaven. We come before you today
 to pray for our dependable Columbiana
 County Commissioners. We Thank you for
 them, and all the work that they are doing
 for all of us here in Columbiana County Ohio.
 We ask you to Bless and Help each one here,
 to be in unity with each other and to have
 no divisions among themselves, but to
 have good communication skills between
 each other. And to love one another as GOD
 has loved us in I JOHN 4:7-11 And in this
 was revealed the "LOVE OF GOD" towards us,
 because that GOD sent his only Begotten
 Son "JESUS" into the world that we might
 live through Him: Verse 11 Beloved if GOD SO

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 "LOVED US" WE ought also "To LOVE ONE
 ANOTHER" AMEN. I JOHN 4:7-11 And who ever shall
 that "JESUS" THE SON OF GOD, GOD will dwell
 in him, and he is "GOD." For "GOD IS LOVE."
 And He that dwelleth in "LOVE" dwelleth in
 "GOD," And "GOD" IN "Him." AND No Man has
 seen "GOD" at any time. But if we "LOVE" one
 another "GOD" dwelleth in "us," and His "LOVE"
 is completed in US. AMEN! SO We offer your
 wonderful "LOVE" to be here among our faithful
 Columbiana County Commissioners today,
 and every day of their lives. We also pray
 for Blessings from "JESUS" to be upon their
 families and all their loved ones also.
 We ask this all in The Mighty Name
 of "JESUS" AMEN!
 AMEN!

PLEDGE BY: COMMISSIONER HALLECK

RE: MINUTES

Motion by Mr. Ginter, seconded by Mr. Halleck to; dispense with the reading of the minutes of the regular meeting of August 19, 2026 and the bills as presented.

No discussion had.

VOTE RESULTED:
 AYES: GINTER, HALLECK, PAPARODIS
 NAYES: NONE
 MOTION CARRIED

RE: TRAVEL

Motion by Mr. Halleck, seconded by Mr. Ginter to; approve travel as presented:

Commissioner: August 25, 2026; MCJAS, Canton OH; Ginter - \$56.08
Auditor: September 4, 2026; Auditor's Conference, Cleveland, OH; Poppelriter - \$120.00
Recorder: September 17, 2026; Recorder Assoc. Continuing Education, Columbus, OH; \$445.00

No discussion had.

VOTE RESULTED:
AYES: HALLECK, GINTER, PAPARODIS
NAYES: NONE
MOTION CARRIED

RE: THEN & NOW BILLS

Motion by Mr. Halleck, seconded by Mr. Ginter to; approve the Then & Now bills as presented:

CORONER	PO#520451	CUYAHOGA COUNTY CORONER	\$2,000.00
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CLERK OF COURTS	PO#520511	ANTHONY DATTILIO, CLERK	\$2,895.36
COMMON PLEAS	PO#520466	SWEETWATER	\$1,038.00
SHERIFF	PO#520542	BLUE LINE LTD	\$2,362.90
WATER & SEWER	PO#519391	BUCKEYE POWER SALES	\$3,085.74
WATER & SEWER	PO#519398	DALTON SERVICE	\$3,204.00
WATER & SEWER	PO#519400	OHIO EDISON	\$1,169.46
ENGINEER	PO#224456	KELLY OIL PRODUCTS	\$7,307.55

No discussion had.

VOTE RESULTED:
AYES: HALLECK, GINTER, PAPARODIS
NAYES: NONE
MOTION CARRIED

RE: ACCEPT COURT/AGENCY REPORTS FOR JOURNALIZATION

NONE

RE: APPROPRIATIONS

Motion by Mr. Ginter, seconded by Mr. Halleck to; accept as presented the following appropriations:

APPROPRIATE:

A00-G01-E-1010 \$150,000.00

No discussion had.

VOTE RESULTED:
AYES: GINTER, HALLECK, PAPARODIS
NAYES: NONE
MOTION CARRIED

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

NONE

RE: PERMISSION TO HUNT ON COUNTY HOME ROAD PROPERTY

Motion by Mr. Ginter, seconded by Mr. Halleck to; grant permission to hunt on County Home Road property only to John Cope.

No discussion had.

VOTE RESULTED:

AYES: GINTER, HALLECK, PAPARODIS

NAYES: NONE

MOTION CARRIED

RE: FUND TRANSFER – CLERK OF COURTS

Motion by Mr. Halleck, seconded by Mr. Ginter to; approve a fund transfer from B20-B20-E-1450 to A00-A45-R-0600 in the amount of \$150,000.00 for Clerk of Courts.

No discussion had.

VOTE RESULTED:

AYES: HALLECK, GINTER, PAPARODIS

NAYES: NONE

MOTION CARRIED

RE: LIQUOR LICENSE PERMIT – UNITY TOWNSHIP

Journalize a liquor license permit for Adam May Inc./Gulf Unity, East Palestine, Ohio, Unity Township with NO hearing requested.

RE: CCDJFS – SENIOR SERVICES LEVY CONTRACT AMENDMENT

Motion by Mr. Halleck, seconded by Mr. Ginter to; approve the following Senior Services Levy contract amendment:

Contractor: Clean Choice Maids

Service: Homemaker Services

Funding: Senior Services Levy

Contract Period: January 1, 2026 – December 31, 2026

Ceiling: \$70,000.00

No discussion had.

VOTE RESULTED:

AYES: HALLECK, GINTER, PAPARODIS

NAYES: NONE

MOTION CARRIED

RE: CCDJFS – TANF CONTRACT AMENDMENT

Motion by Mr. Ginter, seconded by Mr. Halleck to; approve the following TANF contract amendment:

Subgrantee: Catholic Charities

Program: Domestic Violence Shelter

Funding: TANF

Contract Period: October 1, 2025 – September 30, 2026

Unit Rate Increase: \$26.00 increase from \$24.28

No discussion had.

VOTE RESULTED:

AYES: GINTER, HALLECK, PAPARODIS

NAYES: NONE

MOTION CARRIED

RE: CCDJFS – EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion by Mr. Halleck, seconded by Mr. Ginter to; enter into executive session at 9:07 a.m. to discuss employee discipline. Action will be recommended.

No discussion had.

VOTE RESULTED:

AYES: HALLECK, GINTER, PAPARODIS

NAYES: NONE

MOTION CARRIED

RE: CCDJFS – RETURN FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion by Mr. Ginter, seconded by Mr. Halleck to; return from executive session at 9:25a.m. Action will be recommended.

No discussion had.

VOTE RESULTED:

AYES: GINTER, HALLECK, PAPARODIS

NAYES: NONE

MOTION CARRIED

RE: CCDJFS – ACTION RECOMMENDED FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion by Mr. Halleck, seconded by Mr. Ginter to; authorize action as recommended in executive session.

No discussion had.

VOTE RESULTED:

AYES: HALLECK, GINTER, PAPARODIS

NAYES: NONE

MOTION CARRIED

Mr. Pete Conkle of the County SWCD invited the Board to their annual meeting to be held on September 17, 2026, at 5:00 p.m., at the Jan-Paul Farms, Inc., Kensington, Ohio. Pete also informed the Board that a professor from KSU has been working on a cover crop project and will have a drone flyover on the County Home Road farm fields in the near future.

Being no further business, Commissioner Paparodis adjourned the Commissioners' regular meeting.