### COMMISSIONER'S JOURNAL

## Wednesday

## Regular

September 30, 2009

The Coshocton County Commissioners met in Regular session on Wednesday, September 30, 2009 with Mr. Dane Shryock, Mr. Gary Fischer and Mr. D. Curtis Lee in attendance. Also present was Mr. Ken Smailes, WTNS and Mrs. Mary Beck, Administrator/Clerk.

#### Minutes

Mr. Lee made a motion, seconded by Mr. Fischer to approve the minutes of the Monday, September 28, 2009 meeting.

Vote: Shryock yea Fischer yea Lee yea

#### Konica Lease

Mr. Fischer made a motion, seconded by Mr. Lee to sign a Municipal Lease Agreement with Graphic Enterprises for Konica copiers at the Sheriff's Office. The lease is for a 60 month period in the amount of \$410.43 per month as requested by Sheriff Tim Rogers.

Vote: Shryock yea Fischer yea Lee yea

#### Resolution 2009-68

Mr. Lee made a motion, seconded by Mr. Fischer to sign Resolution 2009-68 to oppose the transfer of Verizon land line services to Frontier and to recommend to the Ohio Public Utilities Commission to reject this merger.

Vote: Shryock yea Fischer yea Lee yea

#### Hopewell Bandwidth

Mrs. Jill Lahna, Hopewell, Mr. Conrad Yoder, Hopewell IT and Mr. Mike LaVigne, County IT attended the meeting to discuss Hopewell's bandwidth. Mr. Shryock stated that we are here to try to find a solution for the Ms. Lahna's request for more bandwidth. At this time they have a T1 line that the county pays for. Mr. Yoder stated that with 50-60 teachers and other employees utilizing the system, the need for additional bandwidth is immediate. The T1 is similar to what a standard household utilizes. With the training that is required for the teachers, this is not enough bandwidth. Mr. Shryock asked what additional bandwidth they will need. They are looking at 6-10 Megs at this time. Mr. Shryock stated that when we started this system, the departments were told that we would put in place what is there now and if the department would like to increase their bandwidth they will need to pay for this. Mr. LaVigne stated that there is fiber available in their area, and it would cost them an additional \$500 and some odd dollars per month plus the cost to input the fiber. Mr. Shryock asked if it would be possible for LightSpeed to hit Hopewell with the wireless at a lower cost than the fiber. Mr. LaVigne stated that it might be something to look at. Wireless, fiber or T1's are all options. We just need to find the option that will fit the best as well as be the most cost effective. Mr. Yoder stated that he is hesitant to utilize wireless if there is a hard wire option available. Mr. Shryock stated that they can price it on their own and get quotes from AT&T or they can get their own pricing if they don't want to stay with the county. Mrs. Lahna stated that they will talk things over and she will contact Mr. LaVigne with their decision. The Commissioners thanked them for attending.

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Recess

At 11:56 a.m. Mr. Shryock moved the meeting to recess. At 1:00 p.m. Mr. Shryock adjourned the meeting.

Dane R. Shryock

Gary L. Fischer

D. Curtis Lee

Administrator/Clerk