## COMMISSIONER'S JOURNAL

# Monday

# Regular

July 12, 2021

The Coshocton County Commissioners met in Regular session on Monday, July 12, 2021 with Mr. Dane R. Shryock and Mr. Rick Conkle. Also in attendance was Ken Smailes, WTNS, Leonard Hayhurst and Mrs. Robin Schonauer, Budget Director.

### Approve Minutes

Mr. Shryock made a motion, seconded by Mr. Conkle to approve the minutes of the Wednesday, July 7, 2021 meeting as presented.

Vote: Shryock

yea

Conkle

yea

Fischer

absent

### Sign Memorandum of Understanding with RCI Holmes County

Mr. Conkle made a motion, seconded by Mr. Shryock to sign Memorandum of Understanding with RCI Holmes County this agreement is between Coshocton County Commissioners DBA CCCTA in partnership with Coshocton County Mobility Management and Angel Transportation effective June 1, 2021 to December 31, 2022. To provide door to door transportation to medical appointments for residents who reside within Holmes County, at the request of Valerie Shaw, Director CCCTA

Vote: Shryock

yea

Conkle

yea

Fischer

absent

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Vote: Shryock

yea

Conkle

yea

Fischer

absent

#### Transfers/Additonals/Reductions

Mr. Shryock made a motion, seconded by Mr. Conkle to approve the following Transfers/Additionals/Reductions which have been approved by the County Auditor.

### Transfer- Veterans

**AMOUNT** 

001-0910-540000 OTHER EXPENSE

001-0910-567000 RELIEF ALLOWANCE

\$5,000.00

Transfer- Engineer

050-0300-540000 OTHER EXPENSE

050-0300-526000 CONSULTANT SERVICE \$5,000.00

Additional- EMS

353-0100-526000 CONTRACT SERV.

Unappropriated Fund Balance

\$90,000.00

Vote: Shryock

yea

Conkle Fischer

yea absent

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## Prisoner Food Meal Cost

Received the Prisoner Food meal cost for the month of June 2021 from Sheriff James Crawford.

Sign Area Agency on Aging Region 9 Proposals

Mr. Conkle made a motion, seconded by Mr. Shryock to sign an Area Agency on Aging Region 9 request for proposals Title III, State Block Grant & Care Coordination Application at the request of Valerie Shaw, Director CCCTA.

Vote: Shryock

yea

Conkle

yea

Fischer

absent

#### Then and Now Certificates

Mr. Conkle made a motion, seconded by Mr. Shryock to approve the following Then and Now Certificates which have been certified by the County Auditor.

VENDOR	ACCOUNT NUMBER	AMOUNT [	DEPARTMENT	
Genesis Healthcare Syst. Advanced Correctional He	001-0611-540004 alth. 001-0611-540004		\$38,712.31 \$11,750.98	Sheriff Sheriff
is a		Vote:	Shryock Conkle Fischer	yea yea absent

## Discussion-EMS

Mr. Todd Shroyer and Mr. Ty Stewart, Coshocton EMS attended the Commissioners Meeting. Mr. Shroyer spoke about their staff shortage. He stated that they are currently down one Paramedic and this is not a local issue this is happening all over Ohio. Surrounding Counties have resulted to increasing pay rates to keep staff from leaving and going to neighboring communities to do the same job. Currently 45% of EMS runs are for non-transport calls. Non-Transport calls consist of lift assist, auto –accidents without injury and diabetic calls. All nontransports are non-billable which results in no revenue for the EMS Service. Mr. Stewart spoke about a program that they would like to implement to reduce some of the Non-transport calls. The program is called Community Risk Reduction. This program would reduce the runs and it would also help educate patients on their illness and provide them with access to services that would help them resolve on going issues and to eliminate hospitalization. If this program was implemented it would save EMS money and free up Ambulances for emergency calls. Mr. Shroyer feels that the funding is the major issue along with finding a qualified candidate. Mr. Shryock asked if they had a budget. Mr. Shroyer stated that it would take approximately \$100,000 per year for a full time position. Mr. Shryock stated that when Mr. Fischer returns from vacation they will have them back for further discussion on this matter.

## **Executive Session-EMS**

At 9:42 a.m. Mr. Shryock made a motion, seconded by Mr. Conkle to go into executive session with Mr. Todd Shroyer and Ty Stewart to discuss personnel matters. All vote aye. No action taken. At 9:50 a.m. the meeting was returned to regular session.

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Adjourn

At 12:00 p.m. Mr. Shryock adjourned the meeting.

Dane R. Shryock

Rick D. Conkle

Gary L. Fischer

Administrator/Clerk