

Huntingdon, PA

Tuesday, April 23, 2019

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The regular weekly meeting of the Huntingdon County Commissioners was held on the above date and time in the Commissioners Meeting Room with the following present: Commissioners Sather, Walls, and Thomas; Chief Clerk, Heather Fellman; Solicitor, Peter McManamon; Veterans Affairs Director, Brian Bassett; Treasurer, Susan Harry; Job Shadow, Shavonna Fegan; Deputy Emergency Manager, Jack Harman; Robert Reitman from Huntingdon County Business and Industry; Rebecca Wills from the Abuse Network; Daily News Reporter, Kylie Hawn and visitors, Jim Cassatt and Nancy MacNamera.

The meeting was called to order at 9:30 a.m. by Commissioner Sather, followed in prayer led by Commissioner Sather and the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag by Commissioner Walls.

It was moved by Commissioner Walls, seconded by Commissioner Thomas and carried (Sather, yes; Walls, yes; Thomas, yes) to approve the minutes of the April 16, 2019 Public Meeting.

It was moved by Commissioner Thomas, seconded by Commissioner Walls and carried (Walls, yes; Thomas, yes; Sather, yes) to approve the payment of bills.

The following item was added to the agenda: Report on storm damage from Jack Harman from EMA.

There were no announcements.

There were no public comments.

There were no matters to be addressed by the Solicitor.

Rebecca Wills of the Abuse Network requested consideration of approval for a proclamation to declare April Sexual Assault Awareness Month. It was moved by Commissioner Walls, seconded by Commissioner Thomas and carried (Thomas, yes; Sather, yes; Walls, yes).

Robert Reitman of Huntingdon County Business and Industry requested consideration of approval for a loan package collateral adjustment for Stone Town Gallery. Payments have been made faithfully and the owner is requesting the removal of a lien on the residence so that they can sell the house. This house is currently being used as collateral for the EZ Loan. Kylie Hawn asked if anything else would still be listed as collateral on the loan. Mr. Reitman responded that the Stone Town Restaurant would still be listed as collateral. Jim Cassatt asked if the terms of the loan would remain the same and if the loan would still be paid off in the same amount of time. Commissioner Sather responded that nothing would be changing about the loan except the structure of the collateral. It was moved by Commissioner Thomas, seconded by Commissioner Walls and carried (Sather, yes; Walls, yes; Thomas, yes).

Under Matters for Action, Consideration, and Discussion Jack Harman from EMA presented an update on damage from the recent tornado. Several barns were either partially damaged or destroyed and there was significant tree damage. One church was also damaged. There were no reported injuries.

There was 1 Veteran's Burial Allowance.

There being no further business, it was moved by Commissioner Walls to adjourn the meeting at 9:55 a.m.

Minutes prepared by Heather N. Fellman, Chief Clerk.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Jeffrey Thomas, Secretary