

July 18, 2023

The Juniata County Commissioners met on the above date with Commissioners Alice Gray, Todd Graybill, and Mark Partner present. Also attending were Juniata Sentinel reporters Becky Lock and Jeremiah Parson, Mifflin-Juniata Human Services representatives Allison L Fisher, County Treasurer Laurie S. Hower, Chief Probation Officer Michelle A. Beaver, and Deputy Chief Probation Officer Abigail V. Krepps. Participating via WebEx conference call was Sentinel correspondent Brian Carson.

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m. by Chairperson Gray. A moment of silence was observed followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. On a motion by Partner and a second by Graybill, the Minutes of the July 11, 2023 meeting were unanimously approved as submitted.

There being no public comment, the Board took the following actions:

- The following meetings and events were reported as being attended.

T. Graybill	M. Partner	A. Gray
Chamber of Commerce	Industrial Authority	CCAP Taxation Committee
Christian Retreat Center Lunch	Seda-Cog	Broadband
JCIDA/JBI (2)		Prevention Board
Fire Chiefs		Seda-Cog
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- The Board issued Proclamation No. 2023-6 proclaiming the week of July 16th through July 23rd, 2023 “Pretrial, Probation, and Parole Supervision Week”.
- It was moved by Partner and seconded by Graybill to approve the “Medical Assistance Transportation Program (MATP) Participation Grant Agreement” and “Assurance of Compliance”. The Agreement shall commence on July 1, 2023 and terminate on June 30, 2024. The motion was unanimously carried.
- It was moved by Graybill and seconded by Partner to ratify a “Letter of Support” for the Juniata County Historical Society supporting a grant application to fund the digitizing of archived documents. The motion was unanimously carried.
- It was moved by Partner and seconded by Graybill to approve the “Child Welfare Information Solution” (CWIS) Data Sharing Agreement between Juniata County Government on behalf of Juniata County Children and Youth Services and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the period of October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2024 as recommended by Ashley J. Baxter Children & Youth Director. The motion was unanimously carried.
- It was moved by Graybill and seconded by Partner to approve the following “Purchase of Service Agreements” between Juniata County Children and Youth Services, the Juniata County Probation Department, and the entities listed. Unless otherwise noted, the agreements shall be in force and effect from July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024. The motion was unanimously carried.
 - Adelphoi Village, Inc.
 - City Missions – Living Stone, Inc.
 - Pathways Adolescent Center
- It was moved by Partner and seconded by Graybill to approve payment of the following Juniata County Hazardous Materials check. The motion was unanimously carried.
 - #1431 \$172.12 Wex Bank Fuel
- It was moved by Graybill and seconded by Partner to approve the tax exonerations for Susquehanna Township as per the material provided. The motion was unanimously carried.
- It was moved by Graybill and seconded by Partner to approve the resignation of Kalen B. Colwell as a caseworker at Juniata County Children and Youth Social Services Agency effective as of the end of business on August 11, 2023. The motion was unanimously carried.
- It was moved by Partner and seconded by Graybill to approve payment of checks #68717 - #68780 in the amount of \$211,700.44. The motion was unanimously carried.
- The Board reviewed the following June 2023 departmental reports:
 - “Children and Youth Statistical Report” as submitted by Ashley J. Baxter, Children & Youth Director.
 - “Summary of Collections Report – Fines and Costs” as submitted by Jacqueline T. Leister, Magisterial District Judge.

There being no further business, it was moved by Graybill and seconded by Partner to adjourn at 10:09 a.m. The motion was unanimously carried.

II. Salary Board

Chairperson Alice Gray called to order the Salary Board Meeting on Tuesday, July 18, 2023, at 10:12 am. Other Salary Board Members present were Commissioners Mark Partner and Todd Graybill, and County Treasurer Laurie S. Hower. Also attending were, County Administrator S. James Bahorik, Director of Human Services Allison Fisher, Juniata Sentinel Reporter Becky Lock and Juniata Sentinel Representative Jeremiah Parson. Attending via Webex was The Sentinel Reporter Brian Carson.

Chairperson Alice Gray called for a motion to approve the July 11, 2023 minutes. Commissioner Partner made a motion to approve and Commissioner Graybill seconded the motion. Motion passed 4/0.

A discussion regarding establishing a wage for the Chief Deputy position in the Juniata County Sheriff's Department was tabled due to a scheduling mix up. The discussion will be scheduled for the July 25, 2023 Salary Board as originally requested by the Juniata County Sheriff.

Chairperson Gray called for a motion to adjourn at 10:12 am. Commissioner Graybill made a motion to adjourn and Commissioner Partner seconded the motion. Motion approved 4/0.

Respectfully, Laurie S. Hower

III. Retirement Board – No business scheduled.

Alice J. Gray, Chairperson

Todd A. Graybill, Vice Chairman

Mark R. Partner, Secretary

Submitted for Approval
S. James Bahorik, County Administrator