

COMMISSIONERS GENERAL SESSION

February 27, 2017

**Present at the meeting were
Commissioners:**

Brenda K. Benner-Chairman
Paul L. Rudy Jr-Vice-Chairman
Stephen C. Naylor- Secretary
William R. Bunt-Solicitor
Kathy Burkholder- Chief Clerk

Present from the Press: Jim Ryan. Eric Semmel, ABC 27 news

Present from the Public: Melinda Anderson, Miriam Briscoe, Mary Colledge, Steve Copp, Amy Davis, Jason Finnerty, Rich Fultz, Allen Metzger, Carl Nace, Harva Owings Baughman, Nancy Pote, Jill Quigley, Marty Smith, Randy Waggoner

Commissioner Benner opened the meeting at 10:00 AM on February 27, 2017 with the Pledge to the Flag and a moment of silence in the Commissioners Conference Room. The meeting was being recorded.

Public Comment: Melinda Anderson, Bloomfield Boro Council, asked Commissioners if they had acted on the two PA Legislative Acts that were recently passed to deal with blighted properties regarding owners in violation of maintaining properties in the period of 12 months. Commissioner Benner responded that the County has decided not to pursue this Act. Melinda also let the public know that the Boro was not involved in any discussions or issues involving the Soldiers & Sailors monument. Construction on the Barnett Woods Bridge in the Boro will begin in August.

Approval of Minutes: Commissioner Rudy made a motion to approve the minutes of February 13, 2017. Commissioner Naylor seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Commissioner Naylor made a motion to approve the warrant list for the weeks of February 20, 2017 and February 27, 2017 in the amount of \$435,877.02. Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Based on the recommendation of the Cumberland-Perry Drug & Alcohol Board, Commissioner Naylor made a motion to approve the following contract:

Holy Spirit Hospitals Maternal Assistance Program \$220,000. effective 7/1/16 through 6/30/17
Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Commissioner Rudy made a motion to approve the Agreement for Architectural Services for Reed Hoffman in the amount of \$700.00. Commissioner Naylor seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Commissioner Rudy made a motion to approve Perry County as a Block Grant County for the Human Service Block Grant Application. Perry is a joinder in the application process with Cumberland County. Commissioner Naylor seconded the motion. Motion carried.

A proclamation was presented to Stephanie Fost, Executive Director for the Mid-Central PA Chapter of the American Red Cross proclaiming March 2017 as American Red Cross Month.

Commissioner Naylor made a motion to approve the contract for Lepley Electrical Contractor, Inc. in the amount of \$56,190.00 to supply and install a UPS power supply sytem for the 911 Center contingent upon a timely installation for the project. Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Employee Status:

Commissioner Rudy made a motion to accept the resignation for Thomas Radel, Chief Probation Officer effective February 17, 2017. Commissioner Naylor seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Commissioner Rudy made a motion to approve the appointment of Michelle Orris as Acting Chief Probation Officer effective February 17, 2017. Commissioner Naylor seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Commissoner Naylor made a motion to approve the hiring of Joan Smoker, Tipstaff, Courts effective February 28,

2017. Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Solicitors Report: Nothing that required action.

Open forum for the Press: None.

Public Comments: None.

Commissioner Naylor made a motion to adjourn. Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Kathy Burkholder, Chief Clerk

Stephen C. Naylor, Secretary