

COMMISSIONERS GENERAL SESSION
February 6, 2012

Present at the meeting were
Commissioners:

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

Present from the Press: Sarah Kramer, Luke Roman

Present from the Public: None

Commissioner Benner opened the meeting at 10:00 AM on February 6, 2012 with the Pledge to the Flag and a moment of silence.

Public Comments: None.

Other: Commissioner Benner informed the board of a visit from Anika Earnest on Monday, February 06, 2012, she discovered the original deed showing that her grandfather donated land to the commissioners to establish the Boro. She will present this deed to the commissioners.

Commissioner Naylor made a motion to approve the minutes of January 23, 2012. Commissioner Benner seconded the motion. Commissioner Rudy abstained. Motion carried.

Commissioner Naylor made a motion to sign the warrant lists in the amount of \$263,759.21 for the weeks of January 31, 2012 and February 6, 2012. Commissioner Benner seconded the motion. Commissioner Rudy abstained. Motion carried.

Commissioner Naylor made a motion to approve the Sharepoint Website Program with the County Commissioners Association in the amount of \$2,969.55. Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried. The County Commissioners Association of Pennsylvania (CCAP) provides a secure SharePoint Services platform for website hosting for the county. This is an annual service agreement.

Based on the recommendation of the Cumberland-Perry Drug & Alcohol Commission, Commissioner Naylor made a motion to appoint Peter Lasavage, New Bloomfield, to fill a vacancy on the Drug & Alcohol Community Advisory Board. Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried. His term would extend from March 2012 through March 2015.

Employee Status: Based on the approval from the State and the Commissioners, Commissioner Rudy made a motion to hire Michele Ritchie-Harris to the position of Director, for the office of Perry County Area Agency on Aging, effective February 21, 2012, Commissioner Naylor seconded the motion. Motion carried. Salary Board will be held later.

Solicitors Report: Solicitor Bunt updated the Board on notice he received for the County to provide the Teamsters Union No. 776 with meeting dates for the purpose of negotiating a new contract for the 3 courthouse units and the county.

Solicitor Bunt also informed the board of a lawsuit involving Larry Walters where Mr. Walters is seeking \$3,300 in “actual damage” and \$50,020 punitive damage for “misrepresentation of character and psychosomatic illnesses”, for a tax claim issue that occurred in 2009-2010, for real estate taxes. The claims representative for CCAP has been notified.

Public Comments: Commissioner Rudy made a motion to reflect the cost savings to the County associated with the adoption of Resolution 2012- 1 to abolish the office of Jury Commissioners be added to the minutes of February 6, 2012. The motion died because of a lack of a second to the motion.

Open Forum for the Press: None.

Commissioner Naylor made a motion to adjourn. Commissioner Rudy seconded the motion. Motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 10:25 A.M.

Kathy Burkholder, Chief Clerk

Paul L. Rudy Jr. – Secretary