

## COMMISSIONERS GENERAL SESSION

November 1, 2021

### Present at the meeting were

#### Commissioners:

Brian S. Allen – Chairman  
Gary R. Eby – Vice-Chairman  
Brenda L. Watson – Secretary  
William R. Bunt – Solicitor  
Shannon Hines – Chief Clerk

**Present from the Press:** None

**Present from the Public via WebEx Video/Telephone or In Person:** Malinda Anderson, Alane Balchunas, Jack Carroll, Noah Cline, Jason Finnerty, Rich Fultz, Jan Gibboney, Dave Hammar, Michelle Jones, Sarah Keller, Wayne Leshar, John Matter, Kim McMullen, Rich Pluta, Becky Smiley, Deb Smith, Marty Smith, Wes Smith, Glenn Supplee, Susan Washinger, and Christina Zook

Commissioner Allen opened the meeting at 10:00 a.m. on November 1, 2021 with the Pledge to the Flag and a moment of silence. The meeting was conducted in person and via WebEx telephone/video conference in the Commissioners' Meeting Room. The meeting was recorded by the County.

**Commendations:** Commissioner Allen presented Clinical Save Commendations to 911 Dispatchers John Matter and Glenn Supplee for their actions that saved lives. The entire 911/EMA Department was also recognized. The commendations were from the Emergency Health Services Federation.

**Announcements/Updates:** None

**Public Comments:** Alane Balchunas stated that she had read in the newspaper about the increase in COVID deaths in the County. She commented that she missed the weekly COVID updates by Rich Fultz and hoped that the updates would be added back into the Commissioners' meeting agendas in the future or via the Perry County Times.

Malinda Anderson, New Bloomfield Borough President, stated that a large amount of debris is still on the property from the fire at the Cumberland Perry housing units located on West Main Street. She said rodents have been spotted in the area and was looking for assistance to get the property cleaned up. She commented that the building manager had been spoken to several times, but no action has been taken to date and residents are complaining to the borough.

Wayne Leshar said if the County was looking into cleaning up buildings, they should look into the Freysinger building. He asked for a broadband update and questioned if the project was bid more than once. Mr. Leshar asked why the broadband RFP was not sent out again for additional proposals. He said there may be additional vendors to consider. He commented that he is looking to move out of the County due to the technological issues he has trying to run his business.

**Approval of Minutes:** Commissioner Eby made a motion to approve the minutes from the October 25, 2021 Commissioners' Meeting. Commissioner Watson seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

**Meeting Business:** Commissioner Eby made a motion to approve the MH/IDD contracts for Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities and Mental Health for fiscal year 2020/2021 and fiscal year 2021/2022 in the total amount of \$1,100,642 (attached). Commissioner Watson seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

Commissioner Watson made a motion to approve the 2021/2022 Cumberland-Perry Drug & Alcohol Commission contracts. Commissioner Eby seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

Provider	Service	20/21	21/22	Rate increase	Percent Increase
UHS of PA (Roxbury Treatment Center)	3.7 WM Activity 823A	283.00	283.00	\$0.00	0%
UHS of PA (Roxbury Treatment Center)	3.5 High Adult Activity 823B	237.00	241.00	\$4.00	2%
UHS of PA (Roxbury Treatment Center)	3.5 High Co-occurring Activity 823B	251.00	251.00	\$0.00	0%
UHS of PA (Roxbury)	Case Management - Assessment, GRPA, Coordination	\$80	\$80	\$0	0.00%
	1 Outpatient Activity 861A Individual	\$80	\$80	\$0	0.00%
	1 Outpatient Activity 861A Group	\$30	\$30	\$0	0.00%
	2.1 Intensive Outpatient Activity 861B Individual	\$80	\$80	\$0	0.00%
	2.1 Intensive Outpatient Activity 861B Group	\$26	\$26	\$0	0.00%
Gaudenzia, Inc.	3.7 WM Activity 823A (Coal Township)	260.00	243.00	-\$17.00	-7%
Gaudenzia, Inc.	3.5 High Adult Activity 823B (Coal Township)	217.00	243.00	\$26.00	12%
Gaudenzia, Inc.	3.7 WM Activity 823A (Common Ground)	230.00	275.00	\$45.00	20%
Gaudenzia, Inc.	3.5 High Adult Activity 823B (Common Ground)	194.00	194.00	\$0.00	0%
Gaudenzia, Inc.	3.5 High Adult Activity 823B Co-occurring (Common	232.00	275.00	\$43.00	19%
Gaudenzia, Inc.	3.5 High Adult Activity 823B (Concept 90)	130.00	171.00	\$41.00	32%
Gaudenzia, Inc.	3.1 Low Activity 852B Female (New Destiny)	170.00	198.00	\$28.00	16%
Gaudenzia, Inc.	3.5 High Adult Activity 823B W/C (Vantage)	219.00	263.00	\$44.00	20%
Gaudenzia, Inc.	3.5 High Adult Activity 823B W/C (Fountain Springs)	195.00	237.00	\$42.00	22%

Commissioner Watson made a motion, based on extensive conversations with the Chief Fiscal Officer, to approve the quote from Tyler Technologies for payroll processing software at a cost of \$34,833. Commissioner Eby, confirmed that the purchase did not need to be bid, seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

Commissioner Watson made a motion to approve the health insurance plan structure change and changed the employee premium share to 10% effective January 1, 2022. Commissioner Eby seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

**Employee Status:** Commissioner Eby made a motion to approve the appointment of Tracy Fife to the position of full time Judicial Secretary in the Judge’s Chamber effective November 8, 2021 at an hourly rate of \$14.03. Commissioner Watson seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

**Solicitor’s Report:** None

**Public Comments:** None

**Comments from the Press:** None

Commissioner Watson made a motion to adjourn at 10:20 a.m. Commissioner Eby seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

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Shannon Hines, Chief Clerk

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Brenda L. Watson, Secretary

**MH/IDD Contracts 2020/2021**

<b>Provider / Summary of Services</b>	<b>Contract #</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Previous Contract Total</b>	<b>Current Contract Total</b>	<b>Increase / Decrease</b>
<i><b>Mental Health</b></i>					
KEYSTONE SERVICE SYSTEMS INC	MH20-0009	Increase	\$739,002	\$765,097	\$26,095
Amendment - Increase due to additional services billed					
MH Services - Residential					
<b>Total All Contracts</b>				\$765,097	

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<i><b>Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities</b></i>					
KENCREST SERVICES INC	ID21-0029	Increase	\$155,694	\$171,081	\$15,387
Renewal - Increase for FY 21-22					
IDD Services - Community participation support; residential					
KEON ENTERPRISES LLC	ID21-0154	Increase	\$15,749	\$53,747	\$37,998
Amendment - Increase for FY 21-22 due to additional services					
IDD Services - Transportation					
<i><b>Mental Health</b></i>					
REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND	MH21-0002	Decrease	\$114,413	\$110,717	(\$3,696)
Renewal - Decrease for FY 21-22					
MH Services - Housing support					
<b>Total All Contracts</b>				\$335,545	

