

## COMMISSIONERS GENERAL SESSION

July 3, 2023

### Present at the meeting were

#### Commissioners:

Brian S. Allen – Chairman  
Brenda L. Watson – Vice Chairman  
Larry F. Reisinger - Secretary  
William R. Bunt - Solicitor  
Gladys Carns – Deputy Chief Clerk

**Present from the Press:** Paul Wyatt

**Present from the Public in Person or via WebEx:** Tim Bassett, Frank Campbell, Brandi Clendenin, Shariyah Etienne, Jim Frank, Sarah Geesaman, Jason Harvey, Taira Little, Rob Troxell

Commissioner Allen opened the meeting at 10:00 a.m. on July 3, 2023 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' Conference Room. The meeting was recorded by the County.

**Announcements/Updates:** Commissioner Reisinger wished everyone a Happy 4<sup>th</sup> of July.

**Public Comments:** Warden Harvey stated that former Warden David Yeingst passed away on Sunday, July 2, 2023. He retired from the Perry County Prison in 2018 and had worked for the County for 14 years.

Sarah Geesaman, Voter Registration Director stated that Deb Shrawder and herself had attended the Eastern PA Directors meeting recently. It was nice to be updated on the new procedures for their office.

**Approval of Minutes:** Commissioner Watson made a motion approve the minutes from the June 26, 2023 meeting. Commissioner Reisinger seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

**Approval of the Warrant List(s):** Commissioner Reisinger made a motion to approve the warrant lists totaling \$637,290.72. Commissioner Watson seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

**Meeting Business:** Commissioner Watson made a motion to approve the agreement with Telesystem for a countywide telephone system. Commissioner Reisinger seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

Commissioner Watson made a motion to approve the agreement with Grudi Associates for telecommunications consulting services at a cost of \$700/month. Commissioner Reisinger seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

Commissioner Reisinger made a motion to approve the estimate from Global Satellite for television service at the Perry County Prison in the amount of \$22,499. Commissioner Watson seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried. Commissioner Allen stated that the Commissary Fund will pay for this and the current television service is no longer available.

Commissioner Reisinger made the motion to approve the agreement with Clear Ballot for a software upgrade in the amount of \$6,800. Commissioner Watson seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

Commissioner Watson made the motion to approve the MH/IDD contracts for Early Intervention for fiscal year 2022/2023 with the total amount of \$434,400. Commissioner Reisinger seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

Commissioner Watson made the motion to approve the MH/IDD contracts for Early Intervention for fiscal year 2023/2024 in the total amount of \$529,952. Commissioner Reisinger seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

Commissioner Watson made the motion to approve the Cumberland-Perry Drug & Alcohol Commission contracts. Commissioner Reisinger seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

**Employee Status:** Commissioner Reisinger made a motion to accept the resignation of Christina Clark, Full Time Food Specialist at the Perry County Prison effective June 30, 2023. Commissioner Watson seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried. Christina is now a new Full-Time employee with the Nutrition Group, Inc. Commissioner Reisinger asked the Prison Warden how the new food service was doing. Warden Harvey said it was good and going smoothly.

**Solicitor's Report:** None

**Public Comments:** None

**Comments from the Press:** Mr. Wyatt asked why Perry County did not apply for DCEDC Home Program. Commissioner Allen explained there are other Home services thru SEDA-COG available and he didn't know this was a new service. Also, Mr. Wyatt asked why there are more decreases than increases for MH/IDD recently. Commissioner Allen stated it is only used if someone needs the services of this contract. Commissioner Watson stated there was not a need for it at the time.. Commissioner Reisinger stated it wasn't being used at this time.

Commissioner Watson made a motion to adjourn at 10:16 a.m. Commissioner Reisinger seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

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Gladys Carns, Deputy Chief Clerk

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Larry F. Reisinger, Secretary

## FY 2022-2023 MH/IDD Contract Information

Provider / Summary of Services	Contract #	Status	Previous Contract Total	Current Contract Total	Increase / Decrease
EARLY BIRD THERAPY LLC	EI22-0095	Increase	\$ 326,992	\$ 379,630	\$ 52,638
Amendment - Increase for FY 22-23 based on authorized services					
EI Services - Occupational, physical, and speech therapies; special instruction					
FEEDING LITTLE BELLIES LLC	EI22-0098	Increase	\$ 44,285	\$ 49,270	\$ 4,985
Amendment - Increase for FY 22-23 based on authorized services					
EI Services - Nutrition support					
LIVING UNLIMITED INC	EI22-0035	Increase	\$ 4,403	\$ 5,500	\$ 1,097
Amendment - Increase for FY 22-23 based on authorized services					
EI Services - Special instruction					

## 2023-2024 MH/IDD Contract Information

Provider / Summary of Services	Contract #	Status	Previous Contract Total	Current Contract Total	Increase / Decrease
ASPIRATONS LLC	EI23-0069	Increase	\$ 279,269	\$ 281,872	\$ 2,603
New/Renewal for FY 23-24					
EI Services - Occupational, physical, and speech therapies; special instruction					
BUILDING BLOCKS THERAPY LLC	EI23-0027	Decrease	\$ 90,223	\$ 84,473	\$ (5,750)
New/Renewal for FY 23-24					
EI Services - Occupational, physical, and speech therapies; special instruction					
GROW AND TELL SEEDLINGS	EI23-0107	Decrease	\$ 16,346	\$ 12,436	\$ (3,910)
New/Renewal for FY 23-24					
EI Services - Speech therapy					
JOANNA KARNS, MT-BC	EI23-	No	\$	\$	\$

	0075	Change	13,851	<b>13,851</b>	-
New/Renewal for FY 23-24					
EI Services - Special instruction					
LIVING UNLIMITED INC	EI23-0035	Increase	\$ 4,403	<b>\$ 5,045</b>	\$ 642
New/Renewal for FY 23-24					
EI Services - Special instruction					
MATTIKO PEDIATRIC THERAPIES LLC	EI23-0096	Decrease	\$ 9,003	<b>\$ 5,830</b>	\$ (3,173)
New/Renewal for FY 23-24					
EI Services - Speech therapy					
SHANNON SWEENEY, PT	EI23-0059	No Change	\$ 9,022	<b>\$ 9,022</b>	\$ -
New/Renewal for FY 23-24					
EI Services - Physical therapy					
UNITED CEREBRAL PALSY OF CENTRAL PA INC	EI23-0003	Decrease	\$ 117,884	<b>\$ 117,423</b>	\$ (461)
New/Renewal for FY 23-24					
EI Services - Occupational, physical, and speech therapies; special instruction					

## Cumberland-Perry Drug & Alcohol Commission Contracts

Provider	Service	22/23	23/24	Rate Increase	Percent Increase	Last Increase
Mazzitti & Sullivan	Case Management - Assessment, GRPA, Coordination - Adult	\$84	\$90	\$6	7.14%	
	1 Outpatient Activity 861A Adult and Adolescent Individual	\$84	\$90	\$6	7.14%	
	1 Outpatient Activity 861A Group	\$32	\$32	\$0	0.00%	
	2.1 Intensive Outpatient Activity 861B Adult and Adolescent I	\$84	\$90	\$6	7.14%	
	2.1 Intensive Outpatient Activity 861B Outpatient Group	\$28	\$28	\$0	0.00%	
	2.5 Adult Partial Hospital Activity 852A	\$105	\$105	\$0	0.00%	
	2.5 Adolescent Partial Hospital Activity 852A	\$115	\$115	\$0	0.00%	
	Pyramid	Case Management - Assessment, GRPA, Coordination - Adok	\$88	\$94	\$6	6.82%
1 Outpatient Activity 861A Adolescent Individual		\$88	\$94	\$6	6.82%	
1 Outpatient Activity 861A Adolescent Group		\$32	\$32	\$0	0.00%	
.5 Early Intervention Individual Adolescent		\$88	\$94	\$6	6.82%	
.5 Early Intervention Group Adolescent		\$32	\$32	\$0	0.00%	
Perry Human Services		Case Management - Assessment, GRPA, Coordination	\$84	\$90	\$6	7.14%
	1 Outpatient Activity 861A Individual	\$84	\$90	\$6	7.14%	
	1 Outpatient Activity 861A Group	\$32	\$32	\$0	0.00%	
Addiction Recovery (ARS)	Methodone Maintenance	\$14.75	\$14.75	\$0.00	0%	
	Outpatient Individual	\$84	\$90	\$6.00	7%	
	Outpatient Group	\$32	\$32	\$0.00	0%	
Firetree, Ltd	3.5 High Adult Activity 823B (Conewago Place)	\$233.00	\$255.00	\$22.00	9%	
	3.5 High Adult Activity 823B (Conewago Pottsville)	\$246.00	\$260.00	\$14.00	6%	
	3.7 WM Activity 823A (Conewago Snyder)		\$395.00	new		
	3.5 High Adult Activity 823B (Conewago Snyder)	\$220.00	\$235.00	\$15.00	7%	
Catholic Charities	3.1 Low Activity 852B (Female)	\$117.00	\$143.00	\$26.00	22%	
Huntington Creek Recovery Center	3.7 WM Activity 823A (Adolescent)		\$579.00	new		
	3.5 Medium Activity 823B (Adolescent)		\$472.00	new		
Gaudenzia, Inc.	3.5 High Adult Activity 823B (Common Ground)	\$194.00	\$194.00	\$0.00	0%	
	3.5 High Adult Activity 823B Enhanced (Common Gr	\$275.00	\$275.00	\$0.00	0%	
	3.7 WM Activity 823A (Common Ground)	\$275.00	\$275.00	\$0.00	0%	
	3.5 High Adult Activity 823B (Concept 90)	\$171.00	\$174.00	\$3.00	2%	
	3.5 High Adult Activity 823B W/C (Fountain Springs)	\$251.00	\$273.00	\$22.00	9%	
	3.1 Low Activity 852B Female (New Destiny)	\$210.00	\$230.00	\$20.00	10%	
	3.5 High Adult Activity 823B W/C (Vantage)	\$292.00	\$324.00	\$32.00	11%	
Daystar	3.1 Low Activity 852B (Male)	\$159.00	\$175.00	\$16.00	10%	
Drug & Alcohol Rehab Services	3.5 Clinically Managed Medium Intensity Residential Services	\$173.00	\$191.00	\$18.00	10%	
	3.5 Clinically Managed Medium Intensity Residential Services	\$185.00	\$191.00	\$6.00	3%	
Perry Human Services	Prevention	\$116,190.00	\$125,500.00	\$9,310.00	8%	