

COMMISSIONERS GENERAL SESSION
December 12, 2022

Present at the meeting were

Commissioners:

Brian S. Allen – Chairman
Brenda L. Watson – Secretary
William R. Bunt - Solicitor
Cheri Appleby- Clerk

Present from the Press: None

Present from the Public in Person or via WebEx: Tim Bassett, Frank Campbell, Brandi Clendenin, Dr. Patricia Gutheil, Rich Pluta, Dave Pundock, Marty Smith, Sally Tengeres, Rob Troxell, Randy Waggoner, Susan Washinger

Commissioner Allen opened the meeting at 10:00 a.m. on December 12, 2022 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: None

Public Comments: None

Approval of Minutes: Commissioner Watson made a motion approve the minutes from the December 5, 2022 meeting. Commissioner Allen seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

Meeting Business: Per Sally Tengeres recommendation Commissioner Watson made a motion to approve the Perry County Conservation Appointment (below). Commissioner Allen seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

- Ken Martz – Farmer Director (4-year term)
- Gary Eby – Commissioner (1-year term)

Employee Status: Commissioner Watson stated Warden Karen Barclay is retiring and will be missed, she is an integral part of the Prison, and we wish her the best. Commissioner Watson made a motion to accept the retirement of Karen Barclay, Warden at the Perry County Prison effective March 3, 2023. Commissioner Allen seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried. Tim Bassett stated Karen has worked with the Prison for over 33 years and wished her the best of luck.

Commissioner Watson made a motion to accept the retirement of Bonnie Delancey, Director of Election/Voter Registration effective January 1, 2023. Commissioner Watson recognized Bonnie for her 50 + years with the County and her dedication to her office and the Voters of Perry County. Commissioner Allen seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

Commissioner Watson made a motion to approve the appointment of Gary Rosenberry to the position of Sergeant at the Perry County Prison effective December 18, 2022 at an hourly rate of \$28.79. Commissioner Allen seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

Commissioner Watson made a motion to accept the retirement of Alan Keck, Correctional Officer at the Perry County Prison, effective January 21, 2023. Tim Bassett stated Alan has over 34 years in Corrections and 11 years with the Perry County Prison and wished him the best of luck.

Solicitor's Report: Solicitor Bunt commented that Warden Barclay did an outstanding job and wished her well. It was his pleasure working with her. Also, he stated as far as he and Bonnie Delancey that they had a great working relationship. She deserves this retirement more than anyone he knows. He then stated both of these employees will be greatly missed.

Public Comments: Dr. Gutheil stated that Bonnie will be missed.

Comments from the Press: None

Announcements/Updates: Commissioner Watson stated that the County needs your feedback on Broadband. Please go to the County Website to participate in the Broadband Test. It is very important for the County to receive additional funds towards deployment here in the County. After receiving some feedback, the Website is being updated to make more user friendly. She also stated the importance of doing this from your home and business.

Commissioner Watson made a motion to adjourn at 10:13 a.m. Commissioner Allen seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried.

Cheri Appleby, Clerk

Brenda L. Watson, Secretary