

COMMISSIONERS GENERAL SESSION

October 19, 2026

**Present at the meeting were
Commissioners:**

R. Franklin Campbell - Chair
Brenda L. Watson – Vice Chair
William G. Lyons - Secretary
Angela Schlegel – Deputy Chief Clerk
William R. Bunt - Solicitor

Present from the Press: Paul Wyatt

Present from the Public: Tara Collier, Sarah Geesaman, Darla McNaughton, Rich Pluta, Bob Ressler, Wes Smith, Robert Woolever

Commissioner Campbell opened the meeting at 10:00 a.m. on October 19, 2026 with the Pledge to the Flag and a moment of silence. The meeting was recorded by the County.

Updates/Announcements: None

Public Comments: None

Approval of Minutes: Commissioner Watson made a motion to approve the minutes of the October 12, 2026 meeting. Commissioner Lyons seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried unanimously.

Warrant List(s): Commissioner Watson made a motion to approve the warrant lists totaling \$797,622.98. Commissioner Lyons seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried unanimously.

Meeting Business: Commissioner Lyons made a motion to approve the Cumberland-Perry Drug & Alcohol Commission contracts (listed below). Commissioner Watson seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried unanimously. Commissioner Campbell stated that there is no increase from last year.

Commissioner Watson made a motion to approve the FY 2026/2027 State Food Purchase Program Agreement with the Department of Agriculture. Commissioner Lyons seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried unanimously. Commissioner Campbell stated that this is with Neighbor Helping Neighbor Foodbank and is a one-year contract that has been ongoing for a number of years.

Commissioner Lyons made a motion to approve the FY 2026/2027 Cumberland-Perry MH/IDD contracts for Intellectual and Development Disabilities and Mental Health in the total amount of \$5,867,810 (listed below). Commissioner Watson seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried unanimously.

Employee Status: Commissioner Watson made a motion to accept the appointment of Brian Hockenberry to the position of Deputy Director EMA/911 effective November 2, 2026 at hourly rate of \$28.21. Commissioner Lyons seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried unanimously.

Commissioner Lyons made a motion to approve the appointment of Cadence Latsha to the position of Agricultural Resource Specialist in the Soil Conservation District effective November 2, 2026 at an hourly rate of \$18.97. Commissioner Watson seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried unanimously.

Commissioner Watson made a motion to approve the resignation of David Grub, Full-Time Telecommunicator Trainee in the 911 Center effective October 15, 2026. Commissioner Lyons seconded the motion. All agreed.

Motion carried unanimously.

Commissioner Lyons made a motion to approve the appointment of Shane Wolf to the position of Full-Time Telecommunicator Trainee in the 911 Center effective November 2, 2026 at an hourly rate of \$16.73. Commissioner Watson seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried unanimously.

Solicitor's Report: Solicitor Bunt asked for clarification regarding if the vote carried for Brian Hockenberry, and it was confirmed it was.

Post Comments: Sarah Geesaman commented that the Election Office will be open for extended hours on the following dates/times:

- Monday, October 19th from 8:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m.
- Saturday October 24th from 8:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m.
- Tuesday, October 27th from 8:00 am until 6:00 pm
- Tuesday, November 3rd from 7:00 am until 8:00 pm

Ms. Geesaman noted that October 19th at 4:30 p.m. was the last day to make changes to your voter record. She also stated that October 27th was the last day to apply for a mail in or absentee ballot.

Commissioner Campbell thanked Sarah Geesaman and her team for their work towards a smooth election.

Comments from Press: None

Commissioner Watson made a motion to adjourn at 10:08 a.m. Commissioner Lyons seconded the motion. All agreed. Motion carried unanimously.

Angela Schlegel, Deputy Chief Clerk

William G. Lyons, Secretary

Cumberland-Perry Drug & Alcohol Commission contracts:

Provider	Service	25/26	26/27	Rate increase	Percent Inc
Center for Behavioral Health HA, Inc.	Methadone Maintenance and Outpatient Treatment	\$17.00	\$17.00	\$0.00	0%
	Outpatient Individual Session	\$90.00	\$90.00	\$0.00	0%
	Outpatient Group Session	\$32.00	\$32.00	\$0.00	0%
	Suboxone Services		\$130.00	changed to bundled rate	
FHCCP	Housing	\$492,468.00	\$492,468.00	\$0.00	0%

Cumberland-Perry MH/IDD contracts:

PROVIDER / SUMMARY OF SERVICES	CONTRACT #	PREVIOUS CONTRACT TOTAL	CURRENT CONTRACT TOTAL	INCREASE / DECREASE
IDD RENEWALS (INCREASE/NO CHANGE)				
LIVING UNLIMITED INC	ID26-0121	\$ 3,714	\$ 3,714	\$ -
Supported employment				
<i>No change; same as prior fiscal year</i>				
THE DEVEREUX FOUNDATION D/B/A DEVEREUX ADVANCED BEHAVIORAL HEALTH	ID26-0009	\$ 189,771	\$ 199,261	\$ 9,490
Residential				
<i>INCR due to authorized services</i>				
MH NEW				
CONSUMER SATISFACTION SERVICES INC	MH26-0094	\$ -	\$ 10,000	\$ 10,000
Consumer/family satisfaction team (CFST)				
<i>NEW for this FY due to State requirement to have CFST when receiving CHIPP funds</i>				
MH AMENDMENT				
NEW VISIONS INC	MH24-0099	\$ 5,654,835	\$ 5,654,835	\$ -
Regional long term structured residence (LTSR)				
<i>No change in dollars; extension of contract to June 30, 2027 due to construction delays</i>				