

COMMISSIONERS MEETING

The Board of Hocking County Commissioners met in a regular session on the 23rd of September 2026 with the following members present: Jason D’Onofrio Michael Linton. Andrew Davidson is excused.

MEETING

The meeting was called to order by President Jason D’Onofrio.

MINUTES

The September 17th, minutes were tabled.

AGENDA

Motion by Michael Linton and seconded by Jason D’Onofrio to approve the Agenda.

Vote: D’Onofrio, yea, Linton, yea,

BILLS

Name	Purpose	Amount
AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	COMMISSIONERS OFFICE SUPPLIES	201.02
JJP PLUMBING, INC	MISC. WORK 2026	1,700.00
COLUMBIA GAS OF OHIO, INC.	UTILITIES	193.94
FRONTIER	UTILITIES	610.00
GRAINGER	MAINTENANCE SUPPLIES	673.11
SCHWARTZE, DANIEL JAMES	ELECTION OFFICE HELP CONTRACT WORKERS	527.00
JACKSON, STEVEN F.	PUBLIC DEFENDER	427.50
KLINE, DONALD L	PUBLIC DEFENDER	2,272.50
THE LAW OFFICE OF JARED C. HUNTER, LLC	PUBLIC DEFENDER	1,207.50
TEMPLETON, PHILLIP A.	PUBLIC DEFENDER	795.00
BAUM LAW OFFICE, LLC	PUBLIC DEFENDER	1,447.50
KLINE, DONALD L	PUBLIC DEFENDER	742.50
ELI YOUNG LAW	PUBLIC DEFENDER	435.00
MEADOWS, JORDEN M	PUBLIC DEFENDER	2,295.00
REED, JACK C.	PUBLIC DEFENDER	907.50
MOORE, WILLIAM	PUBLIC DEFENDER	1,372.50
OFFICE MART	OFFICE SUPPLIES	114.05
AVERHEALTH	GPS AND SCRAM INVOICES FOR DEFENDANTS	1,831.50
OHIO BAR LIABILITY INSURANCE CO.	LIABILITY INSURANCE FOR MAGISTRATE	90.00

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OHIO ASSOCIATION OF MAGISTRATES	MAGISTRATE FALL CONFERENCE	50.00
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BLAZER, KIM	REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES	36.78
CORPORATE PAYMENT SYSTEMS	TLO	110.00
MYFLEETCENTER	CRUISER REPAIRS	1,334.25
HOCKING HILLS COLLISION REPAIR, LLC	CRUISER REPAIRS	2,500.00
CHIEFTAIN MAIN SHELL, INC.	CRUISER REPAIRS	2,464.18
HOCKING HILLS COLLISION REPAIR, LLC	CRUISER REPAIRS	2,500.00
CHIEFTAIN MAIN SHELL, INC.	CRUISER REPAIRS	7,146.61
HOCKING HILLS COLLISION REPAIR, LLC	CRUISER REPAIRS	2,101.03
HOCKING HILLS COLLISION REPAIR, LLC	CRUISER REPAIRS	2,454.42
NAPA AUTO PARTS	SUPPLIES	30.75
CORPORATE PAYMENT SYSTEMS	SUPPLIES	299.88
SAVING HARDWARE	SUPPLIES	14.58
LOGAN SCREEN PRINTING	LICENSE PLATES FOR CRUISERS	55.00
ADVANCED AUTO PARTS	EMERGENCY EQUIPMENT	96.19
AKM LOCKSMITH	KEYS FOR JAIL	135.00
CHESTNUT RIDGE FOAM, INC.	MATTRESSES FOR JAIL	36,000.00
CHESTNUT RIDGE FOAM, INC.	MATTRESSES FOR JAIL	1,535.70
CORRECTIONS COMMISSION OF SEO	MEDICAL EXPENSES	2,381.32
McGRATH, BRAD	MEALS & MILEAGE	240.37
THOMAS, VICKI	MEALS & MILEAGE	413.62
SPECTRUM BUSINESS	INTERNET THROUGH NOV	174.30
STEVE'S MOBILE TIRE SERVICE	MOBILE TIRE REPAIR	200.00
AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER	UTILITY 2026	1,180.14
VAL TECH	UTILITY 2026	22.93
COLUMBIA GAS OF OHIO, INC.	UTILITY 2026	58.96
THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS COMPANY	(2) SPRAY TIPS	65.98
INTEGRITY PAVING AND SEALING LLC	WASHINGTON TWP CHIP AND SEAL	15,000.00

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NATIONAL BAND AND TAG	2027 DOG TAGS	850.20
AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER	SERVICE - 450 STATION 1 STATION 3	3,222.74
RUMPKE OF OHIO, INC.	SERVICE - TRASH STATION 2	98.14
SOUTH CENTRAL POWER	SERVICE - ELECTRIC STATION 2	382.00
MARS BILLING	BILLING SERVICE	11,449.17
VICKROY DISPOSAL	SERVICE - 450 ST 3	244.50
AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	SUPPLIES	67.46
DASH GLOVES	SUPPLIES-GLOVES	604.00
BARTOW, JAMES	EMS REFUND	250.00
CARESOURCE OHIO	REFUNDS	82.63
DICKEN, GLADYS	EMS REFUND	275.00
COLUMBIA GAS OF OHIO, INC.	SERVICE	57.56
VALTECH COMMUNICATIONS	SERVICE	143.59
ATHENS-HOCKING SOLID WASTE DISTRICT	SHEWC-TRASH PICK UP	90.00
KFC OF LOGAN	CATERED MEALS	1,075.00
AVERHEALTH	GPS & SCRAM INVOICES FOR DEFENDANTS	573.50
GORDON FLESCH COMPANY LEASING	COPIER LEASE	145.09
CHEF MOE'S ON THE GO! LLC	BAPST CHEF MOE'S	100.00
OHIO BAR LIABILITY INSURANCE CO.	MAGISTRATE LIABILITY INSURANCE	90.00
HOCKING CO ENGINEER	FUEL CHARGES FOR PROBATION VEHICLE	44.64
CREATIVE OFFICE PAVILION LLC	OFFICE FURNITURE	11,533.00
HEDGES CARPET BARN	FLOORING	41,836.91
MASI, INC	TESTING MACHINE SAMPLES	114.05
FRONTIER	SEWER UTILITIES	108.08
AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER	SEWER UTILITIES	532.04

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Vote: D’Onofrio, yea, Linton, yea,

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APPOINTMENTS

Hocking County Jail

Chief Bickel presented the board with a jail update, indicating that work has been in the last phase. There has been a plumbing issue that is being fixed and will be moving into the clean up phase soon. Job applicants are being contacted. Chief Bickel said the perimeter fence has been expanded. There are plans to eliminate the old warden’s residence. They are trying to lease the administrative building.

Southeast Ohio Building Department

Rick Dostal with SEOBD provided an overview of SEOBD services for the Commissioners to consider. SEOBD is a certified building department for commercial and residential plan approval and inspection service certified by the Ohio Board of Building Standards.

Motion by Michael Linton and seconded by Jason D’Onofrio to go into General Business.
Vote: D’Onofrio, yea, Linton, yea,

GENERAL BUSINESS

Bricker Graydon

Motion by Jason D'Onofrio and seconded by Michael Linton to approve Bricker Graydon as outside counsel for use by the County.

Vote: D’Onofrio, yea, Linton, yea,

ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION

Commissioners - County 1001 - TechCred Grant Training - 1001-30-100-502710 - \$ 2,000.00

Motion by Michael Linton and seconded by Jason D’Onofrio to approve.

Vote: D’Onofrio, yea, Linton, yea,

ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION

Muni. Court - Integrated Intervention CCA 2049 - Return to State - 2049-32-190-506001 - \$14,688.90

Motion by Michael Linton and seconded by Jason D’Onofrio to approve

Vote: D’Onofrio, yea, Linton, yea,

REQUEST TO ESTABLISH A NEW FUND

Prosecutor - 2084 JAG - Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Grant -	Salary	-	\$ 77,519.48
	Medicare	-	\$ 1,124.04
	Hospitalization	-	\$19,284.48
	OPERS	-	\$10,852.73
	BWC	-	\$135.00
	Transfers	-	\$0.05
	Total	-	\$108,915.78

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Vote: D’Onofrio, yea, Linton, yea,

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CERTIFICATION OR ADDITIONAL REVENUE ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS

Commissioners - 5200 Haydenville Sewer - Contract Services - 5200-54-500-505000 - \$2,592.50

Motion by Michael Linton and seconded by Jason D’Onofrio to approve.

Vote: D’Onofrio, yea, Linton, yea,

ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION

Treasurer - 101 County- Treasurer Invest. Bank Fee - 1001-30-130-503001 - \$60,000.00

Motion by Michael Linton and seconded by Jason D’Onofrio to approve.

Vote: D’Onofrio, yea, Linton, yea,

Pharmacy Services Agreement

Motion by Jason D’Onofrio and seconded by Michael Linton to approve the Pharmacy Services agreement between Coler Long Term Care LTD. and Hocking County Jail and Treatment Center.

Vote: D’Onofrio, yea, Linton, yea,

Board of Elections

Motion by Jason D’Onofrio and seconded by Michael Linton to approve the B.O.E. to utilize the Youth center for the November 3rd Gubernatorial Election.

Vote: D’Onofrio, yea, Linton, yea,

Parking Lot Paving

Commissioner D’Onofrio informed that we need a couple more estimates for paving the Courthouse parking lot and the Prosecutor’s parking lot.

EMA

Commissioner D’Onofrio shared that Perry County EMA appreciated and thanked Mark Edgar, EMA Director for all of his invaluable help with the flooding.

Leadership Meeting

Commissioner Linton reminded everyone of the Leadership meeting tomorrow at the Board of DD building at 11:30.

Planning Commission

Motion by Michael Linton and seconded by Jason D’Onofrio to appoint Audie Wykle to the Planning Commission.

Vote: D’Onofrio, yea, Linton, yea,

Motion by Michael Linton and seconded by Jason D’Onofrio to go into Public Comment.

Vote: D’Onofrio, yea, Linton, yea,

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PUBLIC COMMENT

Rick Dostal stated that Audie Wykle is a great candidate for the planning commission.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Michael Linton and seconded by Jason D’Onofrio to adjourn.

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Christy Lindinger, Clerk

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Board of Hocking County Commissioners

This is to certify that the above is the true action taken by this Board of Hocking County Commissioners at a regular meeting of the Board held on September 23, 2026

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Christy Lindinger, Clerk

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Jason D’Onofrio,Vice President