

# MINUTE BOOK

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS** 

WASHINGTON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

Minute No. 723

Washington County Commissioners Washington, PA, July 3, 2003

The Washington County Board of Commissioners met in regular session in the Public Meeting Room, Courthouse Square, Washington, Pennsylvania, with the following members being present: Commissioners John P. Bevec and J. Bracken Burns, Sr. Absent being: Commissioner Diana L. Irey, due to her parents being admitted to the hospital and her mother's surgery. Also being present: Cathi Kresh, Administrator/Chief Clerk; Mary Friedline, Assistant Solicitor; Joyce Thornburg, Secretary; John Rheel and Todd Hammond, Sheriff's Office; Reverand C. D. Croscutt, Christian Missionary Alliance Church; Rich Warco, Washington County Veterans Advisory Council; Robert Umstead, Executive Director of the Redevelopment Authority; Telford Thomas, President and CEO of The Washington Hospital; Dennis Fazzolare, Air Charter Service, Inc.

Chairman Bevec called the meeting to order at approximately 10:05 a.m.

Reverand Croscutt led with a prayer.

Mr. Warco led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Chairman Bevec entertained a motion to approve Minute No. 722 dated June 19, 2003.

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, that Minute No. 722 be approved as written.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

#### **SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS**

The Commissioners read a Certificate of Congratulations for The Washington Hospital for receiving the 2003 Distinguished Hospital Award for Clinical Excellence. The Washington Hospital is recognized as the number one hospital in Pennsylvania for overall orthopedic services.

Mr. Telford Thomas, President and CEO of The Washington Hospital accepted the plague and pointed out that this is a national award for the top 5% of the hospitals in the nation for clinical excellence.

Mr. Umstead of the Redevelopment Authority presented to the Board for their consideration and approval a Resolution approving the plan amendments to the Community Development Block Grant Program which is part of the County's Consolidated Action Plan.

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving the foregoing Resolution.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

# **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

None.

# **OLD BUSINESS**

Assistant Solicitor Mary Friedline recommended the Board award the bid for law enforcement uniforms to M&M Uniforms, Inc., Bridgeville, PA. as follows:

Sheriff Department

\$39,105

**Correctional Facility** 

\$47,135

**Public Safety** 

\$21,957

The total award is \$108,197 (based on estimated quantities). This bid is effective August 1, 2003 through July 31, 2005 with the option to extend through July 31, 2006.

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, awarding law enforcement uniforms be furnished by M&M Uniforms, Inc. of Bridgeville, PA.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

Assistant Solicitor Mary Friedline recommended the Board award the bid for an inmate telephone system and enter into agreement with Inmate Telephone for the purpose of providing an inmate telephone system for the Correctional Facility. This will be at a commission rate of 40%. All hardware and software is provided free of charge. Two proposals were received and the other vendor was unable to meet the specifications as they could not interface their system with the DSI system.

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, awarding inmate telephone system to Inmate Telephone.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

Chief Clerk presented to the Board for their consideration and approval an expenditure for Probation Services of \$500.00 for reserving a room for the Juvenile Court Banquet at the Hilton at Southpointe scheduled for November 1, 2003.

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving the expenditure as per above.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

Chief Clerk presented to the Board for their consideration and approval the submission of the annual application and proposal for the continued funding of the Washington Regional Highway Safety Program. Effective dates October 1, 2003 through September 30, 2004. The amount of the grant is approximately \$150,000.00.

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving the submission of the application and proposal as per above.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

Chief Clerk presented to the Board for their consideration and approval the submission of a Safe Kids Grant for a free van and \$20,000.00 worth of tools and materials. All costs for maintaining the van would be paid by Highway Safety. No County dollars are required. The award is to be announced in August 2003.

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving the submission of the grant as per above.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

Chief Clerk presented to the Board for their consideration and approval the purchase of an Oce OP33 Digital Copier at a cost of \$12,054 for the District Attorney's Office. There will be a monthly maintenance cost of \$190 which includes 10,000 copies per month and includes all labor, material and toner. Additional copies would be charged at the rate of 1.47 cents. This copier will be networked, therefore, can be used as an additional printer for that office. This purchase has been approved by the capital expenditure committee. At least \$3,000 will be obtained from the Crime Victim grants. This purchase is being made from the state contract and therefore does not require bidding.

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving the purchase of the copier as per above.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

Chief Clerk presented to the Board for their consideration and approval to enter into agreement with Business Alternatives, Inc. for the purpose of providing a maintenance agreement for Savin/Gestetner 2712 copier located in Public Safety. The cost of this maintenance is 1.11 cents per copy effective July 3, 2003 through July 4, 2004.

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving the agreement with Business Alternatives, Inc. as per above.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

Chief Clerk presented to the Board for their consideration and approval the continuation of the current agreement with Mailing Specialists, Inc., Pittsburgh, PA. This agreement is for picking up the County's presort mail. The charge will be .002 cents for each piece of mail. Also, there is a savings of 1.8 cents on regular mail and a savings of .064 cents on anything 3 ounces and over.

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving the continuation of the current agreement with Mailing Specialists, Inc. as per above.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

Chief Clerk presented to the Board for their consideration and approval authorization to advertise for Requests for Information for the IP Telephony for the Courthouse Annex. The purpose of the RFI is to request information from different manufacturers to determine which system or systems will integrate most appropriately with the County's Avaya telephone switch.

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving authorization to advertise for Requests for Information as per above.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

# (RECESS FOR PHOTOS)

Chief Clerk presented to the Board for their consideration and approval of the following Child Care Provider Agreements. These agreements will be automatically renewed until either party to the agreement notifies the other party in writing of their intent not to renew under the current terms:

Magic Years – Washington Ross Bender Jr.
Southvue Thelma Russell

Children's Paradise Rosalie Trapuzzano McKean

Catherine Bayus

Peg Burnfield Group Day Care

Central Storybook Village

Gina Stasiowski

Wee Care Day Care

Sandy Jones Daycare

Monongahela Child Care

Donald Richardson

Patricia Pryor

Colleen Huber

Emma Fraley

Joan Plants

Vanna Lytle

Tammy Quigley

Rainbow's End Learning Center Helen Pelzer

Monessen Child Care Mon Valley YMCA

New Adventure - Monongahela

Gwen's Montessori

Hickory Dickory Day Care Magic Years – McMurray

Sprowls Yours & Mine Child Care

Over the Rainbow Day Care

Donora Child Care
Patricia Romano
Just Us Kids – Sunset
Kindercare - Bethel Park
Kindercare - Bridgeville
Sunshine Kids - McMurray
New Adventure - California

The Tot Stop

McFaddin Group Day Care Home Springhouse Learning Station Lil Guys and Gals Day Care

Alphabet Land
Donna Lynn
Lil Tots Daycare
World of Wonders
Highland School, Inc.
Mother's Helper Child Care

Saturday's Child Today's Tots Avella Day Care

Teddy Bear Village, Inc. Precious Years, Inc.

First Bethel United Methodist Chuch

Chalsie Smith Family Daycare Donora School Age Program

**Betty Fehl** 

Cecil Community Childcare Seighman Family Day Care Happy Face - McMurray

Wade Academy I

Happy Face - Washington

Kids Unlimited Lorry Jankowski

Candice Harvison Family Day Care Sunshine Kids - Eighty Four Pat McFaddin Day Care Center Kindercare - South Park

Little Folks Childcare Center

Kristy's Kiddie Care
Toddlers' Patch Child Care Center
Lori Gergely Family Daycare
L. Turiczek Group Day Care
Just Us Kids - E. Maiden
Rose's Family Day Care Home
Kids's Kingdom Child Care Center
Kid's Kingdom - Trinity East

Kid's Kingdom - Trinity North

Melinda Jo Haddix

Lois Rock
Sandra Fields
Dawn Fields
Karina King
Marlene Haines
Elsie Hoggans
Angela Forsythe
Tambra Rizor
Noah Jackson
Twila Fischer
Jennifer Lenzi
James Meeks
Lola Bowers
Roberta Stone
Kimberly Kelley

Jacqueline Kauffman

**Dorothy Jenkins** 

Peggy Banovich

Donna Knox

Sharon Kerr
Sande Lillard
Eddie Moss
Rosetta Wilson
Kimberly Botsko
Phillip Caldwell
Marjorie Fronzaglio
Laurisa Lechner
Deborah Brooks
Cynthia Adams
Genevieve Sisk
Donald Taylor
Heather Sicchitano

Kathleen Diamond Fred Oler Mary Wilson Darlene Ramey Evelyn Bails

Harold McMillen Jr.

Denise Cole
Kathy Shupenko
Barbara Edwards
Grace Ellis
Marie Wheeler
Leann Sutterfield
Sharon Keener
Betty Hughes
Carlotta Parker
Tricia Church
Carol Jackson
Elizabeth Weaver
Lisa Robl

Angela Brownlee
Judith Barber
Ruth Sarasnick

Kid's Kingdom - Trinity West

Wade Academy II Kid's World, Inc.

Little Darlings Group Daycare

Kidzville Learning & Child Care Center

**Smart Kids Child Care** 

ECHO Child Development Centers, Inc.

Just Us Kids - Oak Springs

Kidz Playhouse Jaime's Child Care

Kostelansky Family Daycare
Alphabet Express Learning Center
Children's Paradise School Age Program
Tutor Time Child Care / Learning Center
Children's Adventure Learning Center

Once Upon A Time

**Little Angels Child Development Center** 

Little Peoples Place of Avella

Extended Day Services - McMurray Elem. Extended Day Services - Pleasant Valley Elem.

**Tyrees Toddlers Day Care** 

Home Away From Home Daycare

Deanna Saut

Bright Horizons Family Center at WPSBC

Extended Day Services - Bower Hill Elem.

Bubbles, Bears to Books Day School

Crafton Children's Corner Little Learning Land

Darleta Clayton's Family Daycare Nanny's Creative Learning Center

Sheryl Eichenlaub

The Pumpkin Patch Daycare Center

Carolyn Luff
Linda Black
Deborah Ann Arbes
Elizabeth Kokay
Rebecca Livingood
Diane White
Shirley Long
John Tender
Minnie Loughman
Shirley Ann Moore
Mary Louise Nicholson

Janet McKinney
Janice Jones
Earl Cole
Betty McDaid
Anita Walden

Virginia Wallace

Anita Walden Linda Chase

Amy Gaal Tara Welsh Linda Krutz Elijah Williams

**Ethel Colbert** 

Caroline Mikec
Barbara Shaffer
Quessie Hickman
Allison Vanderlee

Donna Hough

Helen Burgess Teri Daugherty

**Edwin Davis** 

Donnise Hunsberger

Dorcas Biggs
Edna Magon
Kristin Crowell
Hazel Elby
Crystal Konter
Elvy Hull
William Johnson
Patti Lucas

Patti Lucas Christie Patterson Nicole Brautigam Donna Woods Catherine Cimino Martha Wise

Patricia Anders
Deanna Maslo
Bruce Smith
Harriet Jenkins
Erica Rowe
Rosemary Finelli
Patricia Szalanski
Dave Mileto

Dawn McCullough Carolyn Thomas Stella Lee Edwards Rebecca Dicenzo Cara Haggerty Catarina Delgiacco Bobetta Dillard Mary Ann Ondrik Martin Kitchen'si Eve McKeon Avelina Saroca Barbara Franell Kathleen Gilmore Monique Newstrom Rosetta Burnett Ella Wright

Stephanie Carrington
Bonnie Oest
Laurie Allard
Sheila Heirendt

Katarina Byars

Beulah Gibson Lori Lawton Howard Franell Nancy Dodson Dorothy Summers

Brenda Zangla

Phyllis Lint
Olive Boyd

Tonie Prevost
Sarah Warne
Jayne Brady
John Berdine

Ashley Wilson

Freda Edmonds

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving the foregoing Child Care Information Services agreements as per above.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

Chief Clerk presented to the Board for their consideration and approval agreements with the following providers for the period July 1, 2003 through June 30, 2004 to provide mental health supportive housing services to Mental Health consumers. No County funds are required:

Try Again Homes, Inc. - \$35,000 SWPA American Red Cross - \$85,000

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving the foregoing Homeless Services Agreements as per above.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

Chief Clerk presented to the Board for their consideration and approval an agreement with Washington County Agricultural Fair, Inc. for the period August 9, 2003 through August 16, 2003 for three booths for all Human Services Departments. In addition, to purchase passes for employees to man the booths. The total amount of the contract will be in the amount of \$1,085. No County funds are required.

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving the foregoing agreement with Washington County Agricultural Fair, Inc. as per above.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

Chief Clerk presented to the Board for their consideration and approval of the following list of service providers for Fiscal Year 2003 – 2004 for Children & Youth Services:

Provider / Placement	<b>Contract</b>
	<b>Maximum</b>
Agape	\$780,000.00
Allencrest	65,000.00
Auberle	123,000.00
Bradley Center	25,000.00
Cambria County Detention	37,500.00
Cambria County Shelter	37,500.00
Comm. Spec. Corp./Academy	35,000.00
Crittenton Services	40,000.00
Family Services of Western PA	30,000.00
Families United Network	160,000.00
George Junior Republic	330,000.00
Glade Run Lutheran	162,000.00
Glen Mills	210,000.00
Harborcreek	10,000.00
Holy Family	360,000.00

Provider / Placement	Contract
	<b>Maximum</b>
Mars Home For Youth	115,000.00
Professional Family Care	325,000.00
Try Again Homes Foster	300,000.00
White Deer Run d/b/a Cove Prep.	10,000.00
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Service Providers	
Cry	\$20,000.00
Mon Valley YMCA	151,000.00
SPHS Care Center	115,000.00
SW PA Legal Services	60,000.00
TAH Consolidated	550,000.00
TAH Independent Living	133,000.00
James Marchewka*	36,050 for 1st year
*2-Year Agreement	37,131.50 for 2nd year

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving the agreements as per above.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

Chief Clerk presented to the Board for their consideration and approval to grant attending staff privileges to Dr. Paul T. Cullen, MD permitting him to offer gerontology and long-term care experience to the residents in the Family Practice Residency Program as well as provide back-up coverage for his colleague, Dr. Maryann Weinstein, MD. No County funds are requested.

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving the attending staff privileges to Dr. Cullen and Dr. Weinstein as per above.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

Chief Clerk presented to the Board for their consideration and approval a change order to the contract with Gregori Construction in the amount of \$23,024 for additional work items associated with the Ten Mile #61, Day Covered Bridge Project. The revised contract cost of \$290,362 will be paid 100% state Act 26 funds.

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving the change order with Gregori Construction as per above.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

Chief Clerk presented to the Board for their consideration and approval a change order to the contract with Kimball Engineers for a Phase I Archaeological Study as requested by Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission. The additional costs not to exceed \$12,585.23 will increase the contract cost to \$241,304.77 and will be paid 80% state and 20% County liquid fuels.

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving the change order with Kimball Engineers as per above.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

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Chief Clerk presented to the Board for their consideration and approval of temporary license agreements with the following landowners adjacent to the Maple #3, Frye Lane Bridge to allow for reconstruction of said bridge. It is to be noted this involves no cost; only agreement of use.

Jaqueline B. Frye - Parcel 630 018 00 00 0007 01

Antionette and Lawrence Maraldo - Parcel 630 001 00 00 0006 01

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving the temporary license agreements as per above.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

Chief Clerk presented to the Board for their consideration and approval an agreement with Howard Hanna Appraisal Services to appraise three properties to be affected by an avigation easement for the ILS at the Washington County Airport. The appraisal will determine "unaffected" value of the property as unencumbered by the required easement and an "affected" value considering the property with the easement across. The total cost of \$6,400 will be paid 50% capital grant, 50% County match.

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving the foregoing agreement with Howard Hanna Appraisal Services as per above.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

Chief Clerk presented to the Board for their consideration and approval the renewal of an agreement with Safety National for the County's workers' compensation program. This is a large deductible plan with an annual premium of \$303,198 for the period August 1, 2003 through July 31, 2004.

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving the renewal of the agreement with Safety National as per above.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

Chief Clerk presented to the Board for their consideration and approval a collateral agreement with Citizens Bank. This agreement will provide additional protection for County funds. It is to be noted the Budget Director is anticipating presenting similar agreements with all the banks the County does business with in the near future.

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving the agreement as per above.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

An Executive Session was held July 2, 2003 immediately following the Agenda Meeting to discuss personnel, real estate and litigation issues.

County offices will be closed on Friday, July 4, 2003 in observance of Independence Day.

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WASHINGTON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

### **SOLICITOR**

Assistant Solicitor Mary Friedline presented to the Board for their consideration and approval the following tax refunds.

1. Matthew S. & Eileen Claybaugh

2003 County Tax

Post Office Box 253 Allenport, PA 15423

**District: Dunlevy Borough** 

Parcel No. 250-016-01-00-0007-00

Total Amount: \$32.76

1998 through 2003

2. Edwin & Jeannette Lemley

1542 North Main Street

Washington, PA 15301

District: South Strabane Township

Parcel No. 600-004-13-02-0018-00

Total Amount: \$64.26

3. Diane H. Goryl

2003 County Tax

1417 Yorktown Drive Lawrence, PA 15055

District: Cecil Township

Parcel No. 140-012-15-00-0002-00C Total Amount: \$70.51

4. Lereta Corp for Brian McQueen

2002 County Tax

Post Office Box 875 Oaks, PA 19456

District: Charleroi Borough

Parcel No. 160-013-00-02-0042-00

Total Amount: \$96.91

5. Dwayne L. & Tracey B. Hampson

2003 County Tax

632 Euclid Avenue Canonsburg, PA 15317 District: Canonsburg 1st Ward Parcel 090-016-00-01-0015-00

Total Amount: \$4.39

6. Northwest Savings Bank for

Ralph D. & Diana L. Deer

108 Liberty Street

Warren, PA 16365

District: Peters Township Parcel No. 540-006-19-00-0014-00

Total Amount: \$871.29

2003 County Tax

7. Vito D. & Cheryl L. Dentino

Post Office Box 606

California, PA 15419

District: California Borough

Parcel No. 080-008-00-03-0020-00

Total Amount: \$191.66

2001-2002 County Tax

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, that the Tax Assessment Office be authorized to prepare the following tax refunds due to either duplication or overpayment of real estate or personal property tax:

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

Assistant Solicitor Mary Friedline presented to the Board for their consideration and approval Amendment #1 to the Agreement of Sale dated October 16, 2002, between Washington County (Buyer) and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of General Services (Seller) with respect to the Western Center property. This Amendment #1 deals with the changes that the purchase price of \$2,000,000.00 will be paid over a period of 10 years with an initial payment of \$200,000.00 at closing and the balance paid in equal yearly installments.

Moved by Mr. Burns, seconded by Mr. Bevec, approving Amendment #1 to the sale of Western Center to Washington County as per above.

Roll call vote taken:

Mr. Burns - Yes; Mr. Bevec - Yes.

Motion carried unanimously.

There being no further business, Chairman Bevec declared the meeting adjourned at approximately 10:25 a.m.