

Minutes for Thursday, July 25, 2019

Mr. Lammers moved the adoption of the following Resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the Board of County Commissioners of Putnam County, Ohio, that the following appropriation modification be made for the year ending December 31, 2019.

For Airport.....
From.....5 A 10E, Utilities.....to....5 A 3, Supplies....\$264.53

Mr. Schroeder seconded the motion on said Resolution and the vote resulted as follows:

Vote: Mr. Lammers yes Mr. Schlumbohm absent Mr. Schroeder yes
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Mr. Schroeder moved the adoption of the following Resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the Board of County Commissioners of Putnam, Ohio, that to provide for the unanticipated revenues for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2019, the following sums be and the same are hereby appropriated for the purpose for which expenditures are to be made during the fiscal year as follows:

Fund 084, HOME
84 PC, HOME Program Costs.....\$27,000.00

Mr. Lammers seconded the motion on said Resolution and the vote resulted as follows:

Vote: Mr. Lammers yes Mr. Schlumbohm absent Mr. Schroeder yes
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Mr. Schroeder moved the adoption of the following Resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the Board of County Commissioners of Putnam, Ohio, that to provide for the unanticipated revenues for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2019, the following sums be and the same are hereby appropriated for the purpose for which expenditures are to be made during the fiscal year as follows:

Fund 085, CDBG
T5.....\$57.75
T9.....\$5,654.08

Mr. Lammers seconded the motion on said Resolution and the vote resulted as follows:

Vote: Mr. Lammers yes Mr. Schlumbohm absent Mr. Schroeder yes
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Mr. Schroeder moved to approve Putnam County 9-1-1's request for certification from the auditor for the total current tax valuation of subdivision and the dollar amount of revenue that would be generated by 1.25 mills for the purpose of operating a 9-1-1 system with a county-wide public safety communications system. The levy will be placed on the ballot as a renewal. The revised code authorizing submission of the question of the tax is 5705.03 to be placed on the ballot at the November 5th, 2019 election.

Mr. Lammers Seconded the motion.

Vote: Mr. Lammers yes Mr. Schlumbohm absent Mr. Schroeder yes
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Now and Then Purchase order

County/Supplies Airport.....purchase order 38635
HOME Funds...39019 and 39020
CDBG....39022 and 39023

Mr. Schroeder moved to approve the then and now purchase orders.

Mr. Lammers seconded the motion.

Vote: Mr. Lammers yes Mr. Schlumbohm absent Mr. Schroeder yes
Exceptions: Mr. Lammers none Mr. Schlumbohm Mr. Schroeder none
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Mr. Lammers called the meeting to order with Mr. Schroeder by reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

The business agenda was held with Commissioners Schroeder and Lammers, Martin Verni, Putnam County Sentinel, Brad Brubaker 9-1-1 and Ashley Siefker, Asst. Clerk.

The minutes from Tuesday, July 23, 2019 were reviewed and approved.

Representative James M. Hoops for District 81 stopped in to say hello to Commissioner Schroeder and Commissioner Lammers and to see how things were going in Putnam County. Hoops said they have passed the budget and he thought it was a good budget. They put 7.5 million in the crisis pregnancy centers. They had an increase for Indigent Defenders and put 95 million in budget for that. An amendment was passed that if you are in show choir in school, you now meet the physical education requirement. H2 Ohio plan fund sets money aside to look

at waterways in the state of Ohio. It will probably start with Lake Erie. He said the Governor set through this fund that the EPA will be septic systems and ODNR will be doing wetlands. Commissioner Lammers said he has had a lot of complaints on the filter strips. The farmers were complaining about having too many limitations on the ground put into those programs. Farmers were willing but were worried about the restrictions. Everyone wants to help with issues up north in Lake Erie but are hesitant due to the restrictions. Lammers asked Hoops to talk to his contacts and let them know about these issues. Senate Bill 57 is a bill for hemp. It will have to be less than 3% of THC in it. It cannot be planted close to marijuana. He said everything will be regulated and wanted to let them know they will be hearing more on it. Lammers asked Hoops if anything has been set aside for workforce development. We have businesses that want to expand but they can't get workers to do it. Hoops said that 50 million was previously set aside to help with job training type things but they took it out and it is being turned into its own bill to be reviewed. Lammers said they are just starting to get into pushing workforce development. Hoops said that John McGill is very involved with training and would be a good contact and encourages them to also sit down with Tim in Hancock to have a discussion on this. Hoops said he has lots of studies and will email those out to the commissioners. Lammers asked him about the rural broadband and asked what is going on there. Hoops said he has an article that he can send to the commissioners to look over on Microsoft working with Watch Communications to expand into some more rural areas. House Bill 6 Energy Bill went through. It will save money and jobs in Ohio for the future. Rural Solar projects are also supported by the bill. Credits in place till December 2026.

Mr. Schroeder moved to adjourn for lunch.

Mr. Lammers seconded the motion.

Vote: Lammers yes Schlumbohm absent Schroeder yes

The Commissioners resumed session.

Mr. Lammers moved to adjourn for the day.

Mr. Schroeder seconded the motion.

Vote: Lammers yes Schlumbohm absent Schroeder yes

Mr. Lammers moved to approve the minutes as read from Thursday, July 25, 2019.

Mr. Schroeder seconded the motion.

Vote: Mr. Lammers yes Mr. Schlumbohm abstain Mr. Schroeder yes