

Minutes Thursday, December 18, 2025

Mr. Schlumbohm moved the adoption of the following Resolution:

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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, 2025, 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:

Minus appropriation:

Fund 2006, Job & Family

2006-35-261-501100, Compensation.....- \$ 166,000.00
2006-35-260-506000, Other Expenses.....\$ 90,000.00
2006-35-260-506002, Relief Allowance.....\$ 60,000.00
2006-35-262-506000, Other Expenses.....\$ 50,000.00
2006-35-260-503400, Medical Assistance.....\$ 28,000.00
2006-35-260-504000, Supplies,.....\$ 15,000.00
2006-35-260-504100, Equipment.....\$ 14,000.00
2006-35-260-506001, Other Expenses.....\$ 3,500.00
2006-35-260-502600, Travel & Expenses.....\$ 2,000.00
2006-35-260-503300, Repairs.....\$ 2,500.00

Minus Appropriation:

Fund 2039, Workforce Investment Act

2039-35-390-506002, Dislocated Worker.....\$ 150,000.00
2039-35-390-506000, Adult.....\$ 85,000.00
2039-41-390-510000, Transfer Out.....\$ 67,000.00
2039-35-390-506004, Youth.....\$ 30,000.00
2039-35-390-506001, Administration.....\$ 2,000.00
2039-35-390-506003, Rapid Response.....\$ 1,000.00

Mr. Brubaker seconded the motion.

Vote: Mr. Wehri yes Mr. Brubaker yes Mr. Schlumbohm yes
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Mr. Wehri 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, 2025, 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:

Minus appropriation:

Fund 2016, Ditch Maintenance

2016-42-290-509000, Advance Out.....\$ 105,000.00

2016-42-290-505000, Ditch Maintenance Projects...112,000.00

Minus appropriation:

Fund 2018, General Ditch

2018-40-290-503100, Advertising& Printing.....\$ 1,444.43

2018-40-290-503001, Assessments Other Counties.....\$ 2,500.00

2018-40-290-503000, Contract Services.....\$ 340,000.00

2018-40-290-506000. Other Expenses.....\$ 2,500.00

Mr. Schlumbohm seconded the motion.

Vote: Mr. Wehri yes Mr. Brubaker yes Mr. Schlumbohm yes
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Mr. Schlumbohm 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, 2025.

For Municipal Court

From....1001-31-101-504000, Supplies.....to 1010-31-101-502100,Medicare...\$ 185.00

Mr. Wehri seconded the motion.

Vote: Mr. Wehri yes Mr. Brubaker yes Mr. Schlumbohm yes
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Mr. Schlumbohm moved to approve signing a letter giving authority to the Auditor to make any appropriations or transfer as deemed necessary to balance out all accounts for 2025.

Mr. Brubaker seconded the motion.

Vote: Mr. Wehri yes Mr. Brubaker yes Mr. Schlumbohm yes

Then and Now Payments

Ditch Maintenance...to Kahle Excavating for work on the Stechschulte Dt # 494 for \$ 4,813.20

...to Kahle Excavating for work on the Halbgewoks Dt # 309 for \$ 8,129.88

Mr. Schlumbohm moved to approve the then and now payment requests.

Mr. Wehri seconded the motion.

Vote: Mr. Wehri yes Mr. Brubaker yes Mr. Schlumbohm yes

Exceptions: Mr. Wehri none Mr. Brubaker none Mr. Schlumbohm none

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Purchase Orders and Travel Requests

Mr. moved to approve the purchase orders and travel requests.

Mr. seconded the motion.

Vote: Mr. Wehri Mr. Brubaker Mr. Schlumbohm

Exceptions: Mr. Wehri Mr. Brubaker Mr. Schlumbohm

Purchase order Adjustments

County Airport...additional needed to Putnam Oil for Dec Fuel for \$ 125.95

County General.....additional needed for JB Networks for IT Supplies for \$ 50.13

Ditch Maintenance.....additional needed to Kahle Excavating for work on C. Scheirloh Upper Dt of \$128.29.

Mr. Wehri moved to approve the purchase orders adjustments.

Mr. Schlumbohm seconded the motion.

Vote: Mr. Wehri yes Mr. Brubaker yes Mr. Schlumbohm yes

Mr. moved to approve the minutes as written.

Mr. seconded the motion.

Commissioner Wehri led the Pledge of Allegiance with Commissioners Schlumbohm and Brubaker and Cindy Landwehr, Clerk.

Tim Schnipke stopped in to give a maintenance update. The new maintenance truck was picked up yesterday. Tim said the tanks will be moved and installed at the Sheriff's office this week. Tim needs new fittings to hook things up due to the materials of the tanks and piping. Tim met with Tom Giesken to move the Lifewise trailer to the fairgrounds for storage. Some extra cleaning will be needed in the courtroom after the scaffolding is removed and painting is completed.

The business agenda was held with Commissioners Brubaker, Wehri and Schlumbohm & Cindy Landwehr, Clerk.

Mr. & Mrs. Tianlun Jian met with Commissioners Wehri, Schlumbohm and Brubaker to discuss a threat from the Chinese Communist Party. The Jian's having been living in the United States for 12 years the live in Cleveland currently. They were born and raised in China. They want to warn this county about the attacks from China though not physical attacks. CCP is waging war on this county from the inside out. The abuse of illegal organ harvesting being done on people through healthcare was described. The abuse of CCP on people by slashing tires and propaganda toward people who have fled China. CCP believes that America and democracy is evil. The Jians want to inform as many as they can of the threats against America. The threats from CCP are coming through education, culture, government, technology, industry, agriculture and health care. There have been Shen Yun events in large cities that have been cancelled due to CCP not allowing people to participate. Other information on bribery and corruption was shared. They have received messaged that their relatives in China would be in danger. Are all the Chinese nationals crossing the border being sent here to infiltrate the country? The Chinese student coming here to attend school have been sent with instructions on what to do when they get here. All phones in China are monitored. Tianlun's 90 year old, mother who is in China was visited by the police because they were told Tianlun was causing security issues. When Tianlun visited China he was apprehended and the US Embassy was called and told him to leave the China or they could not help him. He had been investigated while he was a teacher. Happenings in China have been horrific. Events in New York City are similar to events happening in China. They want to educate and warn the US people. Missing people in China have been found to be victims of the organ harvesting. Organs of Chinese people are the property of the state of China along with the people. Mr. Jian will email more information for the Commissioners to share with other elected officials.

The minutes from Tuesday, December 16, 2025 were reviewed and approved.

Mr. Schlumbohm attended the Board of Revision (BOR) meeting.

Commissioners Wehri, Schlumbohm and Brubaker presented a proclamation to retiring employee Deb Mansfield.

Commissioners Schlumbohm left for the day.

Tim Merschman stopped in to share more information with the Commissioners on chelation treatments. There are many jobs where people are subjected to ingesting and absorbing metals into your body anyone who worked at Phillips, Protec, and all the farmers. There are many testimonials of people who had improved health from chelation treatments after exposure to heavy metals. If metals are found in your bloodwork insurance should pay for the treatments.

Mr. Wehri moved to adjourn for the day.

Mr. Brubaker seconded the motion.

Vote: Wehri yes Brubaker yes Schlumbohm yes

Mr. Schlumbohm moved to approve the minutes as read from Thursday, December 18, 2025.
Mr. Wehri seconded the motion.

Vote: Mr. Wehri yes Mr. Brubaker absent Mr. Schlumbohm yes

