

TUESDAY, APRIL 21, 2026
OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
PICKAWAY COUNTY, OHIO

The Pickaway County Board of Commissioners met in Regular Session in their office located at 139 West Franklin Street, Circleville, Ohio, on Tuesday, April 21, 2026, with the following members present: Mr. Jay H. Wippel, Mr. Harold R. Henson, and Mr. Gary K. Scherer. Marc Rogols, County Administrator, was also in attendance.

In the Matter of
Minutes Approved:

Commissioner Gary Scherer offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Harold Henson, to approve the minutes from April 14, 2026, with corrections.

Voting on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, yes; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

Attest: Brandy Stewart, Clerk

In the Matter of
Bills Approved for Payment:

Commissioner Harold Henson offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Gary Scherer, to adopt the following Resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the bills have been found to be properly filed and their respective vouchers shall be cross-referenced to the approving pages dated April 21, 2026, in the Commissioners' Voucher Journal, the date in which checks will be cut; then,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Pickaway County Commissioners orders the Auditor of Pickaway County, Ohio, to draw his warrant on this entry in the amount of \$327,048.36 the County Treasurer to satisfy the same.

Voting on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, yes; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

Attest: Brandy Stewart, Clerk

In the Matter of
Then and Now Certification Approved for Payment:

Commissioner Harold Henson offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Gary Scherer, to adopt the following Resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the County Auditor certifies that both at the time that the following contracts or orders were made and at the time that a certification (Section 5705.41) was completed, sufficient funds were available or in the process of collection, to the credit of a proper fund, properly appointed and free from any previous encumbrance. The Then and Now Certification has been found to be properly filed and their respective vouchers shall be cross-referenced to the approving pages dated April 21, 2026, in the Commissioners' Voucher Journal, the date in which checks will be cut; then,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Pickaway County Commissioners, as Taxing Authority are authorizing the Auditor of Pickaway County, Ohio, to draw his warrant on this entry in the amount of \$489,403.66 on the County Treasurer to satisfy the same.

Voting on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, yes; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

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In the Matter of
Report Provided by Robert Adkins:

The following is a summary of the report provided by Robert Adkins, IT Director.

- Project for migration of 4thDistrictAppealsCourt.com to a .gov address –
The request for [4thdistrictappealoh.gov](http://4thdistrictappealsoh.gov) – was approved. Awaiting meeting with Tasha to plan the implementation of the migration.
- Testing with Savings Bank and FISGlobal to establish SFTP connection for the Treasures Office to set up with DLM check imaging. Go-live postponed to – Today 04/21/2026.
- I performed firmware updates on Remaining VMware Hosts.
- Performed Microsoft security updates on all servers.
- Prosecutors' office has requested a quote to refresh desktops and laptops.
- Brandon installed credit card machines in the Juvenile / Probate offices. Line is needed to be run for Juvenile Court credit card machine.
- New Website is live as of Monday evening.
- After working with Palo Alto, Mark has been able get the Palo Alto OS installed and updated. Configuration will be a process we will need to work through.
- ID Networks cancelled the meeting for Monday but has given a written response to explain the status of the project at this time.
- God willing, I have approximately 347 working days left before my planned retirement.
- I've received a quote for the DUO licensing, but I need to reassess the count needed due to YubiKey deployment.
- Share point portals.

In the Matter of
Report Provided by Tiffany Nash:

The following is a summary of the report provided by Tiffany Nash, EMA Director.

- Approvals
 - None
- This Week
 - VEOCI Update Call – 4/20
 - Run Cards with Commissioners – 4/21
 - Ohio EMA Spring Conference – 4/23 (Virtual)
- Next Week
 - Meeting with Fair Board for Fair planning – 4/27
 - Full Healthcare Coalition (Regional) Meeting – 4/28
 - Targeted Violence & Terrorism Prevention Meeting – 4/29
 - Ohio EMA & EMA Directors Call – 4/29
 - Extreme Weather Workgroup – 4/30
- Programs
 - EMA Operations
 - Received EMPG grant award
 - \$56,393.00 Federal; \$56,393.00 Local (up from \$53,449.00)
 - Reviewed by Legal – no concerns
 - Williamsport Open House (flier attached)
 - 911 Coordinator
 - Review of Q1 2026 PSAP Data (see attached)
 - LEPC
 - SERC approved our LEPC exercise; we passed all four capabilities tested (See attached)
 - Notification of Response/Support Agencies
 - Communications
 - Population Protective Actions
 - Traffic & Access Control
 - Radio Programming –

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- Sheriff's Office received public records request for radios
- Continue working on link layer and encryption
- Radio Management software installed – continue to work through nuances for the county
- Drone Program
 - No new information
- CERT
 - No new information

In the Matter of
Report Provided by Angela Karr:

The following is a summary of the report provided by Angela Karr, Deputy County Administrator:

- There were Zero (0) BWC claims (2026 = 3) and No (0) unemployment claims filed for the week (2026 = 1).
- Health Insurance / Benefits –
 - Blood Drive May 14th (34 donors registered)
 - Emailed Employee Recognition Shout Out nomination forms to all users. I received 6 nominees as of this morning.
 - Health & Safety Meeting this Thursday. Finalize Blood Drive, select 1st Employee Shout Out! And put together goodie baskets to be delivered to offices.
- Gov Deals –
 - PCSO provided information to post the two old Harley Davidson Motorcycles for sale. No Update Waiting for information on old covert cars being sold. Donation to Airport to replace van.
- Personnel –
 - Five (5) new hire packets have been handed out this week, and a total of 27 in 2026.
- Job openings –
 - P/T Custodian – Posted
 - F/T Custodian – Posted
 - Maintenance Worker – Posted – no applications
- Building Department – Marc met with Kelly and discussed the 10% fees. Kelly will be coming in to discuss it in a few weeks.
- Miscellaneous –
 - Sedgwick WC Virtual Meeting on Monday
 - Susan Turvey – Confirming not doing the mid-year Tax Budget
 - Airport MOU for T-Hanger
 - County Website

In the Matter of
Executive Session:

At 9:30 a.m., Commissioner Harold Henson offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Gary Scherer, to enter into Executive Session pursuant to ORC §121.22 (G) (1) to consider the appointment, employment, dismissal, discipline, promotion, demotion, or compensation, etc., of a public employee with Marc Rogols, County Administrator, Angela Karr, County Deputy Administrator and Brandy Stewart, Clerk in attendance.

Roll call vote on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, yes; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

Attest: Brandy Stewart, Clerk

At 9:55 a.m., the Commissioners exited Executive Session and Commissioner Harold Henson offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Gary Scherer, to resume Regular Session.

Roll call vote on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, yes; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

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No Action taken.

**In the Matter of
Stephen Pack Reappointed to the
Pickaway County Building Department Residential Appeals Board:**

The Commissioners were in receipt of a letter from Stephen Pack, currently the HVAC representative on the Building Department Residential Appeals Board. Mr. Pack is willing to be considered for a three (3)-year reappointment to the Pickaway County Building Department Residential Appeals Board.

Commissioner Gary Scherer offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Harold Henson, to reappoint Stephen Pack, 439 E. Mound Street, Circleville, Ohio 43113, for a three (3)-year term on the Pickaway County Building Department Residential Appeals Board. Mr. Pack's term is effective from April 21, 2026, through December 31, 2029.

Voting on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, yes; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

Attest: Brandy Stewart, Clerk

**In the Matter of
Devin Morris Appointed to the
Pickaway County Building Department Residential Appeals Board:**

The Commissioners were in receipt of a letter from Devin Morris, currently the certified plumber on the Building Department Residential Appeals Board. Mr. Morris is willing to be considered for a three (3)-year appointment to the Pickaway County Building Department Residential Appeals Board.

Upon reviewing the sole application received for consideration, being Mr. Morris, Commissioner Gary Scherer offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Harold Henson, to appoint Devin Morris, 144 Pleasant Street, Circleville, Ohio 43113, for a three (3)-year term on the Pickaway County Building Department Residential Appeals Board. Mr. Morris's term is effective from April 21, 2026, through December 31, 2029.

Voting on the motion is as follows: Commissioner Wippel, yes; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

Attest: Brandy Stewart, Clerk

**In the Matter of
Resolution Approving the Board Appointment to the
Workforce Development Board, Area20:**

Commissioner Gary Scherer offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Harold Henson, to adopt the following Resolution:

Resolution No.: PC-042126-18

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners adopted a resolution on April 21, 2026, approving the Intergovernmental Agreement governing the operation of the Pickaway, Fairfield, and South-Central Ohio Workforce Development Area 20; and

WHEARAS, the Intergovernmental Agreement requires the Boards of Commissioners of the three counties to appoint a Workforce Development Board to establish by-laws and develop a system of rules for

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conducting WIB affairs that is efficient and promotes the principles of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act within Area 20;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the following individual is appointed on behalf of Pickaway County to the Area-20 Workforce Development Board for the following terms, commencing on April 1, 2026:

Naomi Stonerock of Sofidel expires June 30, 2026

Voting on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, yes; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

Attest: Brandy Stewart, Clerk

**In the Matter of
Resolution Designating The Pickaway County
Land Reutilization Corporation, Pursuant to
Section 1724.10(A)(2) Of the Ohio Revised Code,
As the Agency for The Reclaimed, Rehabilitation,
and Reutilization of Vacant, Abandoned, Tax
Foreclosed and Other Real Property in The County:**

Commissioner Harold Henson offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Gary Scherer, to adopt the following Resolution:

Resolution No.: PC-042126-19

RESOLUTION DESIGNATING THE PICKAWAY COUNTY LAND REUTILIZATION CORPORATION, PURUSANT TO SECTION 1724.10(A)(2) OF THE OHIO REVISED CODE, AS THE AGENCY FOR THE RECLAMATION, REHABILITATION, AND REUTILIZATION OF VACANT, ABANDONED, TAX FORECLOSED AND OTHER REAL PROPERTY IN THE COUNTY; DIRECTING THE CORPORATION TO ACT ON BEHALF OF AND IN COOPERATION WITH THE COUNTY IN EXERCISING THE POWERS AND PERFORMING THE DUTIES OF THE COUNTY UNDER THE CHAPTER 5722 OF THE OHIO REVISED CODE; DIRECTING THE PROPERTY PREPARATION OF ANY AGREEMENT AND PLAN IN FUTHERANCE OF THE MATTERS; AND AUTHORIZING RELATED MATTERS.

WHEREAS, in consideration of the above, **NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of County Commissioners, Pickaway County, Ohio, that:

Section 1. Pursuant to subdivision (A)(2) of Section 1724.10 of the Ohio Revised Code, the County acting by and through this Board, hereby designates the Corporation as its agency for the reclamation, rehabilitation, and reutilization of vacant, abandoned, tax-foreclosed or other real property in the County.

Section 2. Pursuant to Section 1724.04 and division (B) of Section 5722.02 of the Ohio Revised Code, this Board hereby authorizes the Corporation to exercise on its behalf the powers granted to the County under Chapter 5722 of the Ohio Revised Code, subject to any limitations therein on a County land reutilization corporation.

Section 3. In furtherance of the designation of the Corporation by this Board as the agency for the reclamation, rehabilitation, and reutilization of vacant, abandoned, tax-foreclosed or other real property in the County pursuant to division (A)(2) of Section 1724.10 of the Ohio Revised Code and as its agency for exercise of the powers granted to the County under Chapter 5722 of the Ohio Revised Code, this Board hereby directs the Corporation to prepare or cause to be prepared for approval and execution by this Board an agreement and plan between the Corporation and the County as authorized by division (B) of Section 1724.10 of the Ohio Revised Code to provide for, among other things, a plan of reclamation, rehabilitation, and reutilization of

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vacant, abandoned, tax-foreclosed, or other real property and the extent to which the Corporation will participate as the agency of the County in carrying out the plan.

Section 4. The Clerk of this Board is authorized and directed to deliver a certified copy of this resolution to Brad Washburn, County Auditor, John Howley, County Treasurer, and Jayme Hartley Fountain, the Prosecuting Attorney of the County.

Section 5. This Board finds and determines that all formal actions of this Board concerning and relating to the adoption of this resolution were taken in an open meeting of this Board and that all deliberations of this Board that resulted in those formal actions were in a meeting open to the public in compliance with the law.

Section 6. This resolution shall be in full force and effect from and immediately upon its adoption.

Voting on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, yes; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

Attest: Brandy Stewart, Clerk

In the Matter of
Temporary Liquor Permit Application
For Pickaway County Agricultural Society:

Commissioner Gary Scherer offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Harold Henson, to approve and authorize Commissioner Jay Wippel to sign the Temporary Permit Application with the Ohio Department of Commerce, Division of Liquor Control for Pickaway County Ag Society. The request is for an event to be held at the Pickaway Agricultural and Event Center, 415 Lancaster Pike, Circleville, on 5/15/2026 through 5/16/2026.

Voting on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, yes; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

Attest: Brandy Stewart, Clerk

In the Matter of
Allocation for April 2026
Sales Tax Collections:

Treasurer, John Howley administered the sales tax allocation for April 2026 Sales Tax collections in the following manner:

\$57,633.35 to 4001.100.13.412100 – Capital Fund
\$1,095,033.58 to 1001.100.13.412100 – General Fund

In the Matter of
Report Provided by Sheriff Hafey:

The following is a summary of the report provided by Sheriff Hafey, Pickaway County Sheriff.

- Teays Valley Incident – Suspect in Custody, Victim is in recovery
- Ohio Health EMS Conference reached out and would like to recognize the Sheriff's Department for their help in the Duvall Road shooting.
- All unmarked cars are back from PARR
- Deputy Clark will be retiring Thursday after 20 years of service.

In the Matter of
Job & Family Services:

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Nick Tatman, Job and Family Services Director, met with the Commissioners to provide an update of JFS. We currently have two vacant openings in Child Welfare. Also, have a vacant attorney position open, and 2 ERS positions open. Mr. Tatman reported that they currently have 23 children in placement and the total number of children involved with child welfare is 83. There are 7 children in residential placement. Mr. Tatman stated that consent was signed for 4 children to be adopted May 12th. Child Welfare participated in the Family Fun Day on April 3 at the Fairgrounds. Over 821 people attended the event.

Mr. Tatman reported that the current Statewide SNAP error rate is 8.03%. The state needs to be at 6% by October 2026. Pickaway County error rate is 6.7% for March 2026 we had 14/15 cases completed properly. HB 730 was passed. A \$10 million appropriation for SFY 2027 to assist counties with the impact of the reduction in federal SNAP matching funds. The agency is working very hard to reduce the number of errors. Mr. Tatman had the unemployment number for January 2026. Pickaway County unemployment was last reported at 4.6%

In the Matter of
Spencer Bennett, Scioto TWP Fire
CAD Update:

Mr. Bennett was in to update the Commissioners for the CAD. Mr. Bennett reported that IDNetwork had requested GIS data, and those files have been sent. Yesterday's, Monday, April 20th, Teams meeting was cancelled. Received notice that they would receive a written report. The report has been sent to IT Director Robert Adkins. Mr. Bennett states that they are currently standstill. Going to email IDNetwork to request a meeting with the Commissioners.

In the Matter of
Pickaway County Airport Authority
Memorandum of Understanding for
14-Bay T-Hanger and Taxiline:

Commissioner Harold Henson offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Gary Scherer, to approve and authorize Commissioner Jay Wippel to execute the Pickaway County Airport Authority Memorandum of Understanding for 14-Bay T-Hanger and Taxiline. The Pickaway County Commissioners agree to fund the remaining balances due to Jay-Car Construction. The MOU shall be in effect from April 21, 2026, until September 30, 2029.

Voting on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, yes; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

Attest: Brandy Stewart, Clerk

In the Matter of
Pickaway County Building Department

Commissioner Gary Scherer offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Harold Henson, to approve payroll increase for the Pickaway County Building Department staff due to the increase responsibility and duties effective date of April 19, 2026, pay period #10.

Voting on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, yes; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

Attest: Brandy Stewart, Clerk

In the Matter of
Honoring Pickaway County Parkinson's Walk
For a Cure Founders, and Chairpersons,
Steve & Teresa Riffle;

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Commissioner Gary Scherer offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Harold Henson, to adopt the following Resolution:

Resolution PC-042126-20

WHEREAS, Steve and Teresa Riffle has demonstrated extraordinary leadership and commitment as Founders and Chairpersons for the Pickaway County Parkinson’s Walk for a Cure Committee; and

WHEREAS, through countless hours and selfless dedication to honor the legacy of a loved one they have successfully rallied volunteers, local businesses, and families to raise well over \$200,000 in donations over 15 years; and

WHEREAS, these funds have contributed to local assistance and national research for those afflicted with Parkinson’s disease; and

WHEREAS, their passion has not only increased public awareness of Parkinson’s disease in Pickaway County but has also provided hope and a sense of community to those living with the diagnosis; and

WHEREAS, Steve and Teresa Riffle’s dedication to this cause serves as an inspiration to all citizens, proving that one person’s vision can mobilize an entire community toward a common goal;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that we, the Pickaway County Commissioners, are honored to issue this proclamation to recognize and commend Steve and Teresa Riffle for their outstanding charitable efforts and sacrifices that made in Pickaway County.

Voting on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, yes; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

Attest: Brandy Stewart, Clerk

**In the Matter of
County Administrator Report:**

The following is a summary of the report provided by Mark Rogols, County Administrator:

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- Health Insurance –
 - Met Life – Matt Schoeppe of Wilson Partners still working with Met Life- No Change
- PICCA – No Report
- Dog Shelter –
 - ANACA ACO Training – Dog Shelter Employees – Enrollment has been completed
 - Attending Avery’s Law Training this week in Pike County
- Maintenance –
 - Back Flow Repairs / HVAC Repairs / Work Order – Painting at Jail
 - Smith’s Detection Quote – Courthouse Xray Machine
- Engineer’s Office –
 - Monday, April 20, 2026, met with Chris Mullins & Representatives from DRC Sanitary at PCI Prison
 - Employees asking about the “JED Tax”
- BWC/Sedgwick -
 - Monday, April 20, 2026, Virtual meeting with Angie and Sedgwick personnel system update
- Fairgrounds –
 - Multipurpose Building – Bid Opening delayed (Addendum 5) – No date set prevailing wage issues
- Miscellaneous –
 - Palmer Energy Report (4/16/26)

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- Rumpke – Memorial Hall (Updating Service)
 - Established Contact – Moving to bi-weekly (Smallest Dumpster)
- Opioid Settlement – Completed & filed Participation Agreement as per previous approval
- Real Estate Purchase (Prosecutor’s Building)
 - Survey Completed & Filed
 - Engineer’s Office rejected needing Alley Vacated Documents
 - No other documents exist – City Council
 - First Right of Refusal & Easement (parking spaces) – Schedinger
 - All issues missed by previous title company
- Airport Mowing – Justin Jacobs / Just in Time Lawn Care
- Memorial Hall Window Project (Phase 4)
 - Legal Notice & Bid opening 5/19/26 at 10:30 a.m

**In the Matter of
Executive Session:**

At 10:31 a.m., Commissioner Gary Scherer offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Harold Henson, to enter into Executive Session pursuant to ORC §121.22 (G) (5) matters required to be kept confidential by federal law or regulations or state statutes; with Sheriff Hafey and Chief James Brown, Pickaway County Sheriff’s Department, Marc Rogols, County Administrator, Angela Karr, County Deputy Administrator, Brandy Stewart, Clerk in attendance.

Roll call vote on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, yes; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

Attest: Brandy Stewart, Clerk

At 10:40 a.m., the Commissioners exited Executive Session and Commissioner Gary Scherer offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Harold Henson, to resume Regular Session.

Roll call vote on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, yes; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

Attest: Brandy Stewart, Clerk

No Action taken.

**In the Matter of
Executive Session:**

At 11:05 a.m., Commissioner Gary Harold Henson offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Gary Scherer, to enter into Executive Session pursuant to ORC §121.22 (G) (1) to consider the appointment, employment, dismissal, discipline, promotion, demotion, or compensation, etc., of a public employee with Marc Rogols, County Administrator, Angela Karr, County Deputy Administrator and Brandy Stewart, Clerk in attendance.

Roll call vote on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, yes; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

Attest: Brandy Stewart, Clerk

At 11:14 a.m., the Commissioners exited Executive Session and Commissioner Harold Henson offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Gary Scherer, to resume Regular Session.

Roll call vote on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, yes; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

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No Action taken.

**In the Matter of
Executive Session:**

At 11:15 a.m., Commissioner Gary Scherer offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Harold Henson, to enter into Executive Session pursuant to ORC §121.22 (G) (3) pending or imminent court actions; with Kaela King and Spencer Meador, Cooper Elliott Law Firm, Earlene Romine, Bill Rogers, Jayme Hartley Fountain and Tony Chamberlain, Pickaway County Prosecutor's Office, Marc Rogols, County Administrator, Angela Karr, County Deputy Administrator and Brandy Stewart, Clerk in attendance.

Roll call vote on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, yes; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

Attest: Brandy Stewart, Clerk

At 12:08 p.m., the Commissioners exited Executive Session and Commissioner Gary Scherer offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Harold Henson, to resume Regular Session.

Roll call vote on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, yes; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

Attest: Brandy Stewart, Clerk

No Action taken.

❖ Commissioner Wippel was absent for the afternoon session.

**In the Matter of
Indigent Defense Contract with FY2027
the Office of the Ohio Public Defender State Agency:**

Patrick Clark, Ohio Public Defender's Office met with the Commissioners to discuss the FY2027 Pickaway County Public Defender Contract.

Commissioner Gary Scherer offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Harold Henson, to approve the contract with the Office of the Ohio Public Defender State Agency for the FY2027 Contract for indigent defense for Pickaway County. The amount of \$57,668.00 shall be paid in four equal installments of \$14,417.00 (July 1, 2026, October 1, 2026, January 5, 2027, and April 1, 2027.)

Voting on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, absent; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

Attest: Brandy Stewart, Clerk

**In the Matter of
Weekly Dog Warden Report:**

The weekly report for the Wright Poling/Pickaway County Dog Shelter was filed for the week ending April 18, 2026.

A total of \$215.00 was reported collected as follows: \$60 in dog licenses; \$15 dog license late penalty; \$25 in adoptions, \$80 owner turn-ins euthanized ; \$25 redemptions; and \$10 in microchip fees.

Three (3) stray dogs were processed in; one (1) dog was adopted.

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With there being no further business brought before the Board, Commissioner Scherer offered the motion, seconded by Commissioner Henson, to adjourn.

Voting on the motion was as follows: Commissioner Wippel, absent; Commissioner Henson, yes; Commissioner Scherer, yes. Voting No: None. Motion carried.

Jay H. Wippel, President

Harold R. Henson, Vice President

Gary K. Scherer, Commissioner
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