# THE MINUTES OF THE BRADFORD COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

THURSDAY, May 11, 2017

PRESENT: Doug McLinko, Daryl Miller and Ed Bustin

### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

#### CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 am at the Canton Green Free Library.

### VISITOR REMARKS CONCERNING AGENDA

### UNFINISHED BUSINESS

A motion was made by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Bustin, all voted "aye" to approve the minutes of April 27, 2017.

A motion was made by Mr. Bustin, seconded by Mr. Miller, all voted "aye" to ratify action taken on Monday, May 8, 2017 awarding the Architectural Engineering Contract for the new Bradford County Public Safety Center to Hunt Engineers, Architects & Land Surveyors, PC

**Bradford County Courthouse** Open bids for the installation/construction for the Chiller Replacement Project at the

advisement the one bid received from Kimble, Inc. for the Chiller project A motion was made by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Bustin, all voted "aye" to take under

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

A motion was made by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Bustin, all voted "aye" to proclaim May 7, 2017 through May 13, 2017 Corrections Employees Week in Bradford County.





Michelle L Shedden, Chief Clerl Jonathan Foster, Solicitor

PROCLAMATION

Corrections Employees Week May 7 -- 13, 2017

WHEREAS; the Bradford County Correctional Facility employs more than 50 correctional professionals who provide one of the County's most important public services – protecting communities and caring for over 190 incarcerated men and women annually; and

WHEREAS; the National Correctional Officers and Employees Week, which runs May 7 - 13, 2017, is a time to recognize the service and professionalism of those who work in corrections; and

WHEREAS; the "Pennsylvania System," as it became know, was the leading influence in the development of penology throughout the 19th Century and the forerunner of modern corrections; and

WHEREAS; the secure and safe operation and management of those in the Bradford County Correctional Facility on a daily basis rests in the hands of more than 50 trained, skilled and dedicated corrections professionals. They are administrators, corrections officers, counselors, treatment specialists, educators, clerical support staff, business administrators and purchasing agents, personnel and labor relations specialists, clergy, medical professionals, food service specialists, computer technicians, planners and research analysts and skilled craftspeople upon whose skills, efficiency and professionalism the functions of the Bradford County Correctional Facility depends; and

WHEREAS; although each of these dedicated professionals works in a different field and specializes in a specific area, all are committed to a common goal: the secure, safe and humane operation of our commonwealth's correctional facilities where employees work to reduce future crime through the delivery of programs to change offenders' criminal behavior.

THEREFORE, we, the Commissioners of Bradford County, Pennsylvania, do hereby proclaim May 7 – 13, 2017 as Corrections Employees Week in Bradford County Pennsylvania. We encourage all Bradford County residents to recognize the vital role these dedicated professionals play in ensuring the effective operation of our correctional system in the interest of public safety.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and caused the seal of the County of Bradford to be affixed this 11th day of May, in the year of our Lord, two thousand seventeen.

ATTEST:

Michelle L. Shedden
Chief Clerk

dford County Commissioners

engineering services at a rate of 2 days per month or equivalent days per year of contracted service at \$75.00 per hour for the 2017-2018 fiscal year. agreement between Bradford County and BLaST Intermediate Unit 17 for network A motion was made by Mr. Bustin, seconded by Mr. Miller, all voted "aye" to approve an

engineering services for the term of May 1, 2017 through April 30, 2022. Engineering Agreement with Dawood Engineering Incorporated for bridge construction A motion was made by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Bustin, all voted "aye" to approve an

the appointment of Jennifer Lynn Wilcox to the Bradford County Library System Board for a term of three years effective May 11, 2017 through May 10, 2020. A motion was made by Mr. Bustin, seconded by Mr. Miller, all voted "aye" to approve

agreement with Jeff Heath to provide consultant services for the Bradford County Public Safety building project effective May 1, 2017. A motion was made by Mr. Bustin, seconded by Mr. Miller, all voted "aye" to approve an

the following: A motion was made by Mr. Bustin, seconded by Mr. Miller, all voted "aye" to approve

the hire of Joshua Madigan as Planning Summer Intern as per the recommendation of Matthew Williams, Planning Director, effective May 15, 2017.

casual CNA as per the recommendation of George Stauffer, interim Manor Administrator, effective February 6, 2017. the transfer of Chelsey Davis from part time casual Nurse Aide Trainee to part time

2017. the transfer of Sareena R. Jackson from part time casual CNA to full time CNA as per the recommendation of George Stauffer, interim Manor Administrator, effective May 14,

the transfer of Nicole I. Northrop from part time casual Valet to part time casual CNA as 26, 2017. per the recommendation of George Stauffer, interim Manor Administrator, effective April

the hire of Luella Brown as part time Dietary Attendant as per the recommendation of George Stauffer, interim Manor Administrator, effective May 13, 2017

the transfer of Frank Baumgartner from full time RNAC to full time RN Supervisor as per the recommendation of George Stauffer, interim Manor Administrator, effective April

Stauffer, interim Manor Administrator, effective May 8, 2017. the hire of Kylee Snyder as full time RNAC as per the recommendation of George

the hire of Betsy J. Guerra-Flores as part time casual CNA as per the recommendation of George Stauffer, interim Manor Administrator, effective May 24, 2017.

the hire of Angel N. Greenfield as probationary County Caseworker 2 in Children & Youth Services as per the recommendation of Bill Blevins, Human Services Director, effective May 16, 2017. the hire of Danielle R. Fassett as part time casual Dietary Attendant as per the recommendation of George Stauffer, interim Manor Administrator, effective May 24,

the hire of Shannon M. Sheehy as probationary County Caseworker 2 in Children & Youth Services as per the recommendation of Bill Blevins, Human Services Director, effective May 22, 2017.

in Mental Health as per the recommendation of Bill Blevins, Human Services Director, effective February 18, 2017. the transfer of Matthew D. Poll from probationary to regular status County Caseworker 3

Services Director, effective February 25, 2017. the transfer of Jeri-Lynn Peterson from probationary to regular status County Caseworker in Children & Youth Services as per the recommendation of Bill Blevins, Human

Intern in Children & Youth Services as per the recommendation of Bill Blevins, Human Services Director, effective May 22, 2017. the hire of Shannon R. McDonald as probationary, unpaid County Social Casework

the transfer of Catherine J. Miller from Clerk Typist 3 in Children & Youth Services to Administrative Assistant 2 in Intellectual Disabilities as per the recommendation of Bill Blevins, Human Services Director, effective May 29, 2017.

the hire of Sara Hanft as part time Correctional Officer as per the recommendation of Warden Don Stewart, effective May 22, 2017.

the hire of Derrick Strait as part time Correctional Officer as per the recommendation of Warden Don Stewart, effective May 22, 2017.

the hire of Ingvar Vining as part time Correctional Office as per the recommendation of Warden Don Stewart, effective May 22, 2017.

the hire of Kraig Benjamin as part time Building Maintenance Mechanic as per the recommendation of Warden Don Stewart, effective May 22, 2017

Administrative Clerk I, 40 hours per week as per the recommendation of Dawn Close, Prothonotary, effective May 15, 2017. the transfer of Brooke Force from Administrative Clerk I, 35 hours per week to

#### OTHER

3-01, effective May 8, 2017: Common Pleas as Administrative Clerk III in the office of Magisterial District Court 42-The following individual has been hired in response to a Court Order from the Court of

Jennifer Kingsley



#### SALARY BOARD

### UNFINISHED BUSINESS

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

A motion was made by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Bustin, all voted "aye" to approve the creation of a Collection Supervisor, Grade 18 in Collection Department, effective May 1, 2017.

A motion was made by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Bustin, all voted "aye" to set the following salaries:

Catherine J. Miller, Administrative Assistant 2 Effective May 29, 2017

Sara Hanft, pt Correctional Officer Effective May 22, 2017

\$11.25 per hour

\$12.74 per hour

Derrick Strait, pt Correctional Officer Effective May 22, 2017 \$11.25 per hour

Ingvar Vining, pt Correctional Officer Effective May 22, 2017

Kraig Benjamin, pt Building Maintenance Mechanic Effective May 22, 2017

Absent
Bradford County Treasurer

\$11.25 per hour

\$13.38 per hour

**Bradford County Commissioners** 

#### ASSESSMENT BOARD

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

the following for EXEMPT Status: A motion was made by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Bustin, all voted "aye" to approve

Samuel J. Donahue

323 Idle Wheels Lane

Sayre, PA 18840

Reason: Veterans Exemption – RENEWAL

DMP # 09-020.00-088-004-000

Effective Date: January 1, 2018

Phillip C. Mazzarese 1978 Hill Road

Sayre, PA 18840

Reason: Veterans Exemption – New (**House & 5 Acres**) DMP # 23-022.00-040-001-000

Effective Date: January 1, 2018

the April 2017 real estate changes. A motion was made by Mr. Bustin, seconded by Mr. Miller, all voted "aye" to approve

the April 2017 occupational changes. A motion was made by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Bustin, all voted "aye" to approve

**Bradford County** Acting Board of Assessment Commissioners

#### VISITORS REMARKS

The Commissioners answered questions from the public and press at this time.

#### ADJOURNMENT

the meeting at 10:45 am. A motion was made by Mr. Bustin, seconded by Mr. Miller, all voted "aye" to adjourn

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A motion was made by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Bustin, all voted "aye" to reject the bid received from Kimble, Inc. for installation of the chiller at the Bradford County Courthouse.

A motion was made by Mr. Bustin, seconded by Mr. Miller, all voted "aye" to award the Construction Management Contract for the Bradford County Public Safety Center Project to Welliver McGuire, Inc. of Montour Falls, New York pending contract approval of the County Solicitor, Jonathan Foster, Sr.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

at the Bradford County Courthouse. the Chief Clerk to legally re-advertise a Request for Bids for the installation of the chiller A motion was made by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Bustin, all voted "aye" to authorize

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#### ADJOURNMENT

the meeting at 10:20 am. A motion was made by Mr. Bustin, seconded by Mr. Miller, all voted "aye" to adjourn