



MINUTES

St. Clair County Board of Commissioners Judiciary/Public Safety Committee

**Board of Commissioners' Room
County Administrative Office Building, 2nd Floor
200 Grand River Avenue
Port Huron, MI 48060**

December 2, 2021 at 6:00 PM

1. Roll Call/Opening

Commissioner McConnell called the meeting to order at 6:39 p.m.

Commissioners Present: Jorja Baldwin, Lisa Beedon, Duke Dunn, Dave Rushing, Dave Vandenbossche and Greg McConnell

Commissioners Absent: Jeff Bohm

2. Additions/Deletions/Changes to the Agenda

Moved by Duke Dunn, supported by Jorja Baldwin, to add the agreement with the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services for Probate Court to the agenda as item 7B. Carried - Voice Vote 6-0. Ayes: Baldwin, Beedon, Dunn, McConnell, Rushing, Vandenbossche.

Moved by David Rushing, supported by Jorja Baldwin, to approve the agenda as revised. Carried - Voice Vote 6-0. Ayes: Baldwin, Beedon, Dunn, McConnell, Rushing, Vandenbossche.

3. Citizens to be Heard

None

4. Updates

None

5. Conceptual Initiatives

None

6. Old Business

None

7. New Business

A. FY22 MMHCGP Letter of Agreement with St. Clair County Community Mental Health

Moved by Duke Dunn, supported by Jorja Baldwin, to forward to the Regular Board meeting the recommendation to approve the FY 22 Michigan Mental Health Court Grant Program sub-contract with Community Mental Health in an amount not to exceed \$72,736. Carried - Voice Vote 6-0. Ayes: Baldwin, Beedon, Dunn, McConnell, Rushing, Vandenbossche.

B. Addition: FY21 MDHHS Contract with Probate Court

Mike McMillan, Court Administrator, discussed the agreement and the Probate Court budget. He indicated there has been a decrease in the number of minor guardianships, however a marked increase in adult guardianships, both of which require a court appointed attorney. He discussed various steps that have been taken to reduce expenditures.

Moved by Jorja Baldwin, supported by Lisa Beedon, to forward to the Regular Board meeting the recommendation to approve the agreement with the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services for Probate Court liaison services for a term of 01/01/20 through 09/30/21 in the amount \$71,850. Carried - Voice Vote 6-0. Ayes: Baldwin, Beedon, Dunn, McConnell, Rushing, Vandenbossche.

8. Other Judiciary/Public Safety Matters

None

9. Information Only

None

10. Receive and File Packets

Moved by Duke Dunn, supported by Lisa Beedon, to receive and file packets and all information received. Carried - Voice Vote 6-0. Ayes: Baldwin, Beedon, Dunn, McConnell, Rushing, Vandenbossche.

11. Adjournment

Moved by Lisa Beedon, supported by Jorja Baldwin, to adjourn at 6:52 p.m. Carried - Voice Vote 6-0. Ayes: Baldwin, Beedon, Dunn, McConnell, Rushing, Vandenbossche.

Committee Chair: Greg McConnell

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