



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 4, 2025 at 6:00 PM

1. Roll Call/Opening

Commissioner Vandebossche called the meeting to order at 06:44 PM.

Present: Kerry Ange, Joi Torello, Paul Zeller, Dave Rushing, Dave Vandebossche and Steve Simasko

Absent: Lisa Beedon

2. Additions/Deletions/Changes to the Agenda

Moved by Commissioner Rushing, supported by Commissioner Ange, to approve the agenda as presented. Carried - Voice Vote 6-0. Aye: Commissioner Vandebossche, Commissioner Simasko, Commissioner Torello, Commissioner Rushing, Commissioner Ange, Commissioner Zeller Nay: None

3. Citizens to be Heard

None

4. Updates

Commissioner Vandebossche gave an update on the tower/radio project.

5. Conceptual Initiatives

None

6. Old Business

None

7. New Business

A. 2026 Agreement between Recovery Court and Blue Water Day Reporting Program

Moved by Commissioner Rushing, supported by Commissioner Ange, to forward to the Regular Board meeting the recommendation to approve the memorandum of understanding with Blue Water Day Reporting Program for Recovery Court for a term of 01/01/26 through 12/31/26 in the amount of \$26,000. Carried - Voice Vote 6-0. Aye: Commissioner Vandebossche, Commissioner Simasko, Commissioner Torello, Commissioner Rushing, Commissioner Ange, Commissioner Zeller Nay: None

B. 2026 Agreement between Recovery Court and Community Mental Health

Moved by Commissioner Ange, supported by Commissioner Rushing, to forward to the Regular Board meeting the recommendation to approve the Memorandum of Understanding with Community Mental Health for Recovery Court for a term of 01/26/26 through 12/31/26 in the amount of \$30,000. Carried - Voice Vote 6-0. Aye: Commissioner Vandebossche, Commissioner Simasko, Commissioner Torello, Commissioner Rushing, Commissioner Ange, Commissioner Zeller Nay: None

C. Central Dispatch Advisory Board - Reappointments

Moved by Commissioner Rushing, supported by Commissioner Ange, to forward to the Regular Board meeting the recommendation to reappoint to the Central Dispatch Advisory Board, Chief Joseph Doan, Fire Chief Representative, and Chief Mark Harrington, Alternate Fire Chief Representative, each for a four-year term expiring 12/31/2029. Carried - Voice Vote 6-0. Aye: Commissioner Vandebossche, Commissioner Simasko, Commissioner Torello, Commissioner Rushing, Commissioner Ange, Commissioner Zeller Nay: None

D. Journal Contract Amendment for i3-Imagesoft

Much discussion was held.

Moved by Commissioner Rushing, supported by Commissioner Simasko, to forward to the Regular Board meeting the recommendation to approve the contract amendment for Journal i3-Imagesoft updates in the amount of \$9,660. Carried - Voice Vote 5-1. Aye: Commissioner Vandebossche, Commissioner Simasko, Commissioner Torello, Commissioner Rushing, Commissioner Zeller Nay: Commissioner Ange

E. Amended Letter of Agreement between the Mental Health Court and Community Mental Health

Moved by Commissioner Rushing, supported by Commissioner Ange, to forward to the Regular Board meeting the recommendation to approve the amended letter of agreement between the Mental Health Court and Community Mental Health increase the total amount to \$45,862.15. Carried - Voice Vote 6-0. Aye: Commissioner Vandebossche, Commissioner Simasko, Commissioner Torello, Commissioner Rushing, Commissioner Ange, Commissioner Zeller Nay: None

8. Other Judiciary/Public Safety Matters

None

9. Information Only

A. 2026 MDHHS State Ward Chargeback Rate

Moved by Commissioner Rushing, supported by Commissioner Simasko, to receive and file item 9A as information only. Carried - Voice Vote 6-0. Aye: Commissioner Vandebossche, Commissioner Simasko, Commissioner Torello, Commissioner Rushing, Commissioner Ange, Commissioner Zeller Nay: None

10. Receive and File Packets

Moved by Commissioner Rushing, supported by Commissioner Zeller, to receive and file packets and all information received. Carried - Voice Vote 6-0. Aye: Commissioner Vandebossche, Commissioner Simasko, Commissioner Torello, Commissioner Rushing, Commissioner Ange, Commissioner Zeller Nay: None

11. Adjournment

Moved by Commissioner Rushing, supported by Commissioner Ange, to adjourn at 07:09 PM. Carried - Voice Vote 6-0. Aye: Commissioner Vandebossche, Commissioner Simasko, Commissioner Torello, Commissioner Rushing, Commissioner Ange, Commissioner Zeller Nay: None