THE REGULAR WEEKLY MEETING OF THE CARBON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS CONVENED THIS DATE AT 10:31 A.M. IN THE COMMISSIONER’S MEETING ROOM, CARBON COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, JIM THORPE, PENNSYLVANIA.

PRESENT WERE COMMISSIONERS NOTHSTEIN, GERHARD, AND O’GUREK, CHIEF CLERK/COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR AHNER, SOLICITOR MISCAVIGE, AND EXECUTIVE SECRETARY MARIANNE BUTRIE. THE COUNTY CONTROLLER, COUNTY SHERIFF, COUNTY TREASURER, AND THE COURT ADMINISTRATOR WERE ALSO PRESENT.

MOMENT OF SILENCE:

A MOMENT OF SILENCE WAS OBSERVED.

PRAYER:

COMMISSIONER O’GUREK OFFERED THE PRAYER.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

THE MEETING OPENED WITH THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.

OFFICIAL ACTIONS OF THE CARBON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS:

MINUTES:

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING HELD JANUARY 7, 2019.

BOARD POLLED: O’GUREK YES
GERHARD YES
NOTHSTEIN YES
GUESTS (CONCERNING COUNTY BUSINESS):

THERE WERE NO GUESTS CONCERNING COUNTY BUSINESS.

EXECUTIVE SESSIONS:

THE CHAIRMAN REPORTED THAT THE FOLLOWING EXECUTIVE SESSIONS WERE HELD:

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DEPARTMENT REPORTS:

CHIEF CLERK/COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR:

BUDGET TRANSFERS:

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O'GUREK, TO APPROVE THE BUDGET TRANSFERS FOR 2018 AND 2019 AS LISTED ON TRANSMITTALS DATED JANUARY 17, 2019.

BOARD POLLED: O'GUREK YES
GERHARD YES
NOTHSTEIN YES

SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS:

THERE WERE NO SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS.

ETHICS COMMISSION COMPLIANCE:

COMMISSIONER O'GUREK PRESENTED A MEMORANDUM (ATTACHED) STATING HIS POTENTIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST WITH PENCOR RELATED COMPANIES AS PER THE ADVICE OF THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION.

MEMORANDUM

SECTION 1103(J) OF THE ETHICS ACTS PROVIDES AS FOLLOWS:

VOTING CONFLICT—WHERE VOTING CONFLICTS ARE NOT OTHERWISE ADDRESSED BY THE CONSTITUTION OF PENNSYLVANIA OR BY ANY LAW RULE REGULATION ORDER OR ORDINANCE, THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURE SHALL BE EMPLOYED. ANY PUBLIC OFFICIAL OR PUBLIC EMPLOYEE WHO IN THE DISCHARGE OF HIS OFFICIAL DUTIES WOULD BE REQUIRED TO VOTE ON A MATTER THAT WOULD RESULT IN A CONFLICT OF INTEREST SHALL ABSTAIN FROM VOTING AND PRIOR TO THE VOTE BEING TAKEN PUBLICLY ANNOUNCE AND DISCLOSE THE NATURE OF HIS INTEREST AS A PUBLIC RECORD IN A WRITTEN MEMORANDUM FILED WITH THE PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR RECORDING THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING AT WHICH THE VOTE IS TAKEN PROVIDED THAT WHENEVER A GOVERNING BODY WOULD BE UNABLE TO TAKE ANY ACTION ON A MATTER BEFORE IT BECAUSE THE NUMBER OF MEMBERS OF THE BODY REQUIRED TO ABSTAIN FROM VOTING UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION MAKES THE MAJORITY OR OTHER LEGALLY REQUIRED VOTE OF APPROVAL UNATTAINABLE THEN SUCH MEMBERS SHALL BE PROVIDED TO VOTE IF DISCLOSURES ARE MADE AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED HEREIN. IN THE CASE OF A THREE-MEMBER GOVERNING BODY OF A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION WHERE ONE MEMBER HAS ABSTAINED FROM VOTING AS A RESULT OF A CONFLICT OF INTEREST AND THE REMAINING TWO MEMBERS OF THE GOVERNING BODY HAVE CAST OPPOSING VOTES THE MEMBER WHO HAS ABSTAINED SHALL BE PERMITTED TO VOTE TO BREAK THE TIE VOTE IF DISCLOSURE IS MADE AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED HEREIN.
ACCORDINGLY, TO COMPLY WITH THIS SECTION OF THE ETHICS ACT, I AM SUBMITTING THIS MEMORANDUM AS A MEANS OF PROVIDING FULL DISCLOSURE OF A CONFLICT OF INTEREST, STATED THAT I AM ABSTAINING TODAY ON ANY ACTIONS RELATING TO PAYING BILLS TO, ADVERTISING WITH, ACCEPTING PROPOSALS FROM AND/OR ENTERING CONTRACTS WITH TIMES NEWS, LEHIGHTON, PA, BECAUSE I AM A PART-TIME EMPLOYEE THERE, AS WELL AS ITS SISTER COMPANIES, INCLUDING BLUE RIDGE COMMUNICATIONS, PENTELEDATA, THE PALMERTON TELEPHONE COMPANY AND PENCOR HOSE AND FITTING, AND ANY OTHER PENCOR SERVICES’ AFFILIATES.

/S/ WILLIAM J. O’GUEREK, MEMBER
01/17/2019

EXPENDITURE APPROVAL:
GENERAL FUND CLEARING ACCOUNT:

APPROVAL OF CHECK NUMBERS 203321 THROUGH 203426 FOR EXPENDITURES THROUGH THE GENERAL FUND CLEARING ACCOUNT AS FOLLOWS:

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MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUEREK, TO APPROVE PAYMENT OF THE CHECK NUMBERS AS LISTED ABOVE.

BOARD POLLED: O’GUEREK YES* GERHARD YES NOTHSTEIN YES

* MR. O’GUEREK STATED, “YES, WITH THE EXCEPTION TO THE BILLS FOR BLUE RIDGE COMMUNICATIONS, PENTELEDATA, AND THE TIMES NEWS TO WHICH I ABSTAIN BECAUSE I AM A PART-TIME EMPLOYEE OF THE TIMES NEWS WHICH IS A SISTER COMPANY OF BLUE RIDGE COMMUNICATIONS AND PENTELEDATA.”

APPROVAL OF CHECK NUMBERS 203427 THROUGH 203618 FOR EXPENDITURES THROUGH THE GENERAL FUND CLEARING ACCOUNT AS FOLLOWS:

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JANUARY 17, 2019

PARKS & RECREATION FUND $ 469.60
9-1-1 FUND $ 30,776.15
HAZ-MAT RESPONSE FUND $ 5.99
CENTRALIZED BOOKING FUND $ 6,523.46
VICTIM/WITNESS FUND $ 646.78
AFFORDABLE HOUSING FUND $ 12.99
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND $ 175,122.00
FRINGE BENEFIT PAYMENT FUND $ 652.42
TAX CLAIM FUND $ 1,288.54
TOTAL: $ 483,389.28

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O'GUREK, TO APPROVE PAYMENT OF THE CHECK NUMBERS AS LISTED ABOVE.

BOARD POLLED: O'GUREK YES*
GERHARD YES
NOTHSTEIN YES

* MR. O'GUREK STATED, “YES, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE BILLS FOR BLUE RIDGE COMMUNICATIONS, PALMERTON TELEPHONE COMPANY, PENTELEDATA, AND THE TIMES NEWS TO WHICH I ABSTAIN BECAUSE I AM A PART-TIME EMPLOYEE OF THE TIMES NEWS WHICH IS A SISTER COMPANY OF BLUE RIDGE COMMUNICATIONS, PALMERTON TELEPHONE COMPANY AND PENTELEDATA.”

TREASURER’S REPORTS:

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O'GUREK, TO ACCEPT THE TREASURER’S REPORT DATED JANUARY 1, 2019 TO JANUARY 4, 2019 AND JANUARY 7, 2019 TO JANUARY 11, 2019 REPORTING BALANCES AS FOLLOWS:

BALANCES AS OF JANUARY 4, 2019:

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HIGHWAY BRIDGE IMPROVEMENT ACT 13 $ 519,856.20
VICTIMS SERVICES FUND $ 48,405.62
HOTEL ROOM EXCISE TAX FUND $ 22,998.30
CDBG FUND $ 336.88
DEBT SERVICE FUND $ 1,001,954.05
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND $ 8,179,325.98
FRINGE BENEFITS PAYMENT FUND $ 518,775.37
PAYROLL FUND $ 8,680.30
TAX CLAIM FUND $ 663,434.36

BOARD POLLED:  
O’GUREK YES  
GERHARD YES  
NOTHSTEIN YES

PERSONNEL REPORT:

RESIGNATIONS:
EMILY R. HARTMAN, LEHIGHTON, PA - CORRECTIONS OFFICER, CORRECTIONS - EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2019.
ALEX M. POPE, JIM THORPE, PA - IT SPECIALIST, INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY - EFFECTIVE JANUARY 24, 2019.

HIRE:

PRISON BOARD APPOINTMENT:

CHANGES OF STATUS:
TARA L. TRAINER, LEHIGHTON, PA
FROM: CIVIL PROCESS CLERK, SHERIFF’S OFFICE
TO: ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT, SHERIFF’S OFFICE
EFFECTIVE: JANUARY 7, 2019

KENDALL J. JURACKA, JIM THORPE, PA
FROM: SPECIAL DEPUTY SHERIFF TRAINEE, SHERIFF’S OFFICE
TO: DEPUTY SHERIFF, SHERIFF’S OFFICE
EFFECTIVE: JANUARY 7, 2019

AMANDA C. McMAHON, ALLENTOWN, PA
FROM: 911 OPERATOR, COMMUNICATIONS CENTER
TO: PART-TIME DISPATCHER, COMMUNICATIONS CENTER
EFFECTIVE: JANUARY 17, 2019
LEAVE OF ABSENCE EXTENSION:
BUILDING & GROUNDS
MAUREEN P. LENAR, LEHIGHTON, PA
FROM: JANUARY 7, 2019
TO: JANUARY 20, 2019

LEAVE OF ABSENCE:
COURT ADMINISTRATION
BRUCE T. KOCH, PALMERTON, PA
FROM: JANUARY 29, 2019
TO: APRIL 28, 2019

SEMINAR/TRAINING REQUESTS:
CLERK OF COURTS
KAREN L. SWEENEY
AMANDA L. MILLER
FISCAL TRAINING
MECHANICSBURG, PA

CORRECTIONS
JOSEPH P. GANNECILLI
ZACHARY J. BORGER
CORRECTIONS ACADEMY
ALLENTOWN, PA
COST: MILEAGE

HUMAN RESOURCES
DAWN M. BOWMAN
BENECON HEALTH BENEFITS SEMINAR 2019
LANCASTER, PA
COST: CONFERENCE FEE $75, LODGING, MEALS

SHERIFF
MARC A. MERINO, JR.
BENJAMIN C. WYSOCKI
ACT 2 BASIC TRAINING
STATE COLLEGE, PA

VARIABLE DEPARTMENTS
JUSTIN E. MARKELL – COMMUNICATIONS
ARCGIS 1 & ARC GIS 2 ON-LINE TRAINING
NESQUEHONING, PA
JASON P. SHELLHAMMER – GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS
ARCGIS 3 ON-LINE TRAINING
NESQUEHONING, PA
COST: CONFERENCE FEE TOTAL $4,235
COURTS SEMINAR/TRAINING REQUEST ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:
ADULT PROBATION
DAVID A. SLINGER
MALIK A. HAYES
KEVIN J. DOLL
BASIC TRAINING ACADEMY
ELIZABETHTOWN, PA
COST: MEALS, MILEAGE (IF COUNTY VEHICLE IS UNAVAILABLE)

DISTRICT COURT
DONNA L. PECK
CASE MANAGEMENT REPORT WEBINAR
LANSFORD, PA
WENDY SMELAS
CASE MANAGEMENT REPORT WEBINAR
JIM THORPE, PA

DOMESTIC RELATIONS
BRIDGET M. JOHNSTON
PACSETI MANAGEMENT ACADEMY
UNIVERSITY PARK, PA
COST: LODGING, MEALS, MILEAGE (IF COUNTY VEHICLE IS UNAVAILABLE)

JUVENILE COURT
KIMMY L. MULIK
AWARDS COMMITTEE MEETING
STATE COLLEGE, PA

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO ACCEPT THE PERSONNEL REPORT DATED JANUARY 17, 2019.

BOARD POLLED: O’GUREK YES
GERHARD YES
NOTHSTEIN YES

CORRESPONDENCE:

MINUTES RECEIVED: DECEMBER 18, 2018 MEETING OF THE CARBON COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION.

AUDIT REPORTS RECEIVED: CARBON CONSERVATION DISTRICT FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2017.

THE DECEMBER 2018 MONTHLY REPORT WAS RECEIVED FROM THE CARBON COUNTY RECORDER OF DEEDS, ALONG WITH A STATISTICAL REPORT FOR 2018.

NOTIFICATION FROM THE MAUCH CHUNK TRUST COMPANY TO THE COUNTY TREASURER INFORMING THAT BASED ON THE INCREASE IN THE FEDERAL FUNDS RATE, THE COUNTY’S VARIABLE INTEREST RATE WILL INCREASE FROM 2.00%/2.02%APY TO 2.25%/2.27%APY, EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 28, 2018.

COMMUNICATIONS WERE RECEIVED REGARDING THE FOLLOWING PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION PERMIT APPLICATIONS:
K. L. FULFORD ASSOCIATES, INCORPORATED, ALLENTOWN, PA
O/B/O NIS HOLLOW PARK, LLC
NPDES PERMIT RENEWAL #PA0070220  
KEYSTONE CONSULTING ENGINEERS, WESCOVILLE, PA  
O/B/O SPRINGDALE GARDENS, MAHONING TOWNSHIP  
NPDES PERMIT RENEWAL APPLICATION #PA0060879

**CHILDREN & YOUTH:**  
#19-004 2018/19 AGREEMENTS:

FY 2018/2019 PURCHASE OF SERVICE AGREEMENTS WERE SUBMITTED FOR THE FOLLOWING PROVIDERS:

**CORNELL ABRAXAS GROUP, INCORPORATED**  
PITTSBURGH, PA

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**AFFINITY FORENSIC SERVICES**  
DBA – PENNSYLVANIA FORENSIC ASSOCIATES  
READING, PA

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**Evaluations:**

- Comprehensive Evaluation (Youth Sexuality) $1,750.00
- Comprehensive Evaluation (Adult) $1,750.00
- Comprehensive Evaluation (Violence Prevention) $1,750.00
- Comprehensive Evaluation (Fire Setter) $1,750.00
- Generic Comprehensive Evaluation $1,750.00
- Initial Intake Evaluation (Sexual Abuse) $220.00
- Initial Intake Evaluation (Sexual Offender-Adult) $220.00
- Initial Intake Evaluation (Sexualized Youth) $330.00
- Initial Intake Evaluation (Violence Prevention) $110.00
- Non Offending Parent Evaluation $220.00
- Drug & Alcohol Evaluation $220.00

**Ongoing Services:**

- Individual Therapy-Per Hour $100.00
- Family Therapy-Per Hour $100.00
- Group Therapy-1 ½ HR Session $45.00
- Spousal Session (Domestic Violence) $100.00
- In Office Parenting Education-1 ½ HR Session $45.00
- In Home Services-Case Mgmt Fee-Per ½ Session $45.00
- In Home Services & Individual Therapy-Hrly Session $100.00
- Psychological Evaluation-In Office $1,000.00
- Psychological Evaluation-In Prison $1,100.00
- Competency Evaluation-$100/HR-MIN 5 HRS $110.00
- Custody Evaluation $7,500.00
- Psychiatric Evaluation-Reading Office $185.00
- Psychiatric Evaluation-Reading Office-Medication Check $60.00
- Psychiatric Evaluation-Bethlehem Office $185.00
- Psychiatric Evaluation-Bethlehem Office-Medication $60.00

**Assessments:**

- Clinical Polygraph $350.00
- Abel Assessment $255.00
- J-Soap II $125.00
- HCR-20 Violence Risk Management $125.00
- Hare $125.00
- SARA (Spousal Abuse Risk Assessment) $125.00
- Static-99R $125.00
- MMPI $125.00
- MACI $125.00

**No Show:**

50% of established fee

**Provider:**

Merakey Pennsylvania
Harrisburg, PA

**Provider:**

- FY 18-19
- Therapeutic Foster Care R&B $29.29
- Therapeutic Foster Care R&B + Treatment $157.04
- Therapeutic Foster Care with Infant $72.20
- Respite $96.80
- Emergency Respite $125.70
- Foster Care Plus $91.00
FOSTER CARE-INFANT ADD ON ONLY  $ 91.00  
ENHANCED FOSTER CARE  $ 120.21  
FOSTER CARE WITH INFANT  $ 132.91  

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO APPROVE AND EXECUTE THE AGREEMENTS AS LISTED ABOVE.  
BOARD POLLED: O’GUREK YES  
                        GERHARD YES  
                        NOTHSTEIN YES  

#19-005 AMENDMENT/READY:  

A REQUEST WAS RECEIVED FOR APPROVAL OF AMENDMENT #1 TO THE FY 2018-2019 PURCHASE OF SERVICE AGREEMENT, DATED OCTOBER 18, 2018, WITH ADELPHOI VILLAGE, LATROBE, PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING THE FOLLOWING RATE EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2018:  

POLYGRAPHS: FROM $446.25/POLYGRAPH TO $425.00/POLYGRAPH  

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO APPROVE AND EXECUTE AMENDMENT #1 TO THE AGREEMENT WITH ADELPHOI VILLAGE.  
BOARD POLLED: O’GUREK YES  
                        GERHARD YES  
                        NOTHSTEIN YES  

#19-006 AMENDMENT/JUSTICE WORKS:  

A REQUEST WAS RECEIVED FOR APPROVAL OF AMENDMENT #1 TO THE FY 2018-2019 PURCHASE OF SERVICE AGREEMENT, DATED SEPTEMBER 6, 2018, WITH JUSTICE WORKS YOUTH CARE, PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING THE FOLLOWING RATES EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2018:  

FROM:  TO:  
STOPP SHORT-TERM THERAPEUTIC  
OUTREACH TO PREVENT PLACEMENT $80.00/HOUR  $82.00/HOUR  
JUSTCARE  $75.00/HOUR  $77.00/HOUR  
NURTURING PARENTING  $75.00/HOUR  $77.00/HOUR  
VISITING COACH  $75.00/HOUR  $77.00/HOUR  

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO APPROVE AND EXECUTE AMENDMENT #1 TO THE AGREEMENT WITH JUSTICE WORKS YOUTH CARE.  
BOARD POLLED: O’GUREK YES  
                        GERHARD YES  
                        NOTHSTEIN YES  

COMMUNICATIONS/911:  

#19-007 GEOGRAPH IT/EBA ENGINEERING:  

A QUOTE WAS RECEIVED FROM GEOGRAPHIT, A DIVISION OF EBA ENGINEERING, INCORPORATED, LANCASTER, PENNSYLVANIA, FOR THE CREATION AND PURCHASE OF AN E9-1-1 DATA REPLICATION SCRIPT WHICH WILL ALLOW 2-WAY DATA REPLICATION BETWEEN THE CARBON COUNTY ARCGIS SERVER AND THE TYLER NEW WORLD COMPUTER AIDED DISPATCH (CAD).  
THE LUMP SUM FIXED FEE SHALL BE $6,500.00, WHICH IS COVERED UNDER THE APPROVED GRANT FOR CARBON COUNTY’S STATEWIDE INTERCONNECTIVITY PROJECT.
MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE EXECUTION OF THE QUOTE FROM GEOGRAPHIT.

BOARD POLLED:  O’GUREK YES
                GERHARD YES
                NOTHSTEIN YES

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT:
#19-008 TRAINING CONTRACT/BUCKS COUNTY:

A REQUEST WAS RECEIVED FROM THE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DIRECTOR FOR APPROVAL OF THE 2019 TRAINING MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM CONTRACT WITH BUCKS COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE SELECTING OPTION 2 – “BRONZE MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM” AT A COST OF $1,200.00 (FUNDED THROUGH 2018/2019 HAZARDOUS MATERIALS RESPONSE FUND (HMRF) GRANT).

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE EXECUTION OF THE CONTRACT WITH BUCKS COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE.

BOARD POLLED:  O’GUREK YES
                GERHARD YES
                NOTHSTEIN YES

EMERGENCY SHELTER:
#19-009 2018 ESG GRANT AWARD:

GRANT AGREEMENT #C000070338, IN THE AMOUNT OF $79,200.00, WAS RECEIVED FROM THE PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR THE 2018 EMERGENCY SOLUTIONS GRANT (ESG).

THE GRANT COVERS THE PERIOD OF NOVEMBER 30, 2018 THROUGH MAY 30, 2020 FOR EMERGENCY SHELTER, RAPID REHOUSING AND HOMELESSNESS PREVENTION SERVICES. SUBCONTRACTED AWARD AMOUNTS ARE: $45,000 FOR SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE CARBON COUNTY ACTION COMMITTEE FOR HUMAN SERVICES AND $34,200 FOR SERVICES PROVIDED BY FAMILY PROMISE OF CARBON COUNTY.

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO RATIFY THE EXECUTION AND SUBMISSION OF GRANT AGREEMENT #C000070338.

BOARD POLLED:  O’GUREK YES
                GERHARD YES
                NOTHSTEIN YES

HUMAN SERVICES:
#19-010 TEFAP/1ST QUARTER:

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO ACCEPT THE 2018/2019 FIRST QUARTER (OCTOBER 2018 THROUGH DECEMBER 2018) INVENTORY PARTICIPATION REPORT AND INVOICE EXPENSE REIMBURSEMENT REQUEST FOR THE CARBON COUNTY TEMPORARY EMERGENCY FOOD ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (TEFAP), WHICH HAS BEEN SUBMITTED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

BOARD POLLED:  O’GUREK YES
                GERHARD YES
                NOTHSTEIN YES
LIQUID FUELS:

#19-011 ANNUAL REPORT:

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE SUBMISSION OF THE ANNUAL REPORT TO THE PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE LIQUID FUELS TAX FUND ACCOUNT LISTING AN UNENCUMBERED BALANCE OF $133,377.29 AS OF 12/31/18 AND LISTING ENCUMBRANCES AS FOLLOWS:

- BRIDGE #4 PACKER TOWNSHIP (REPLACEMENT) $335,328.00
- BRIDGE #12 PENN FOREST TOWNSHIP (REPLACEMENT) $50,000.00
- BRIDGE #17 GUIDERAIL PROJECT $17,000.00

$402,328.00

BOARD POLLED: O’GUREK YES
GERHARD YES
NOTHSTEIN YES

#19-012 ACT 44 REPORT:

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE SUBMISSION OF THE ANNUAL REPORT TO THE PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION SHOWING BALANCE OF ACT 44 FUNDS FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2018, AS OF 12/31/18 - $205,094.40.

*REPORTING REQUIREMENT FOR FUNDS WHICH THE COUNTY RECEIVED AND CAN ONLY BE UTILIZED FOR CONSTRUCTION, RECONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF BRIDGES.

BOARD POLLED: O’GUREK YES
GERHARD YES
NOTHSTEIN YES

#19-013 ACT 89 REPORT:

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE SUBMISSION OF THE ANNUAL REPORT TO THE PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION REPORTING BALANCE OF ACT 89 FUNDS FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2018, AS OF 12/31/18 - $243,647.32.

*REPORTING REQUIREMENT FOR FUNDS WHICH THE COUNTY RECEIVED AND CAN ONLY BE UTILIZED FOR CONSTRUCTION, RECONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF BRIDGES.

BOARD POLLED: O’GUREK YES
GERHARD YES
NOTHSTEIN YES

MAILROOM SYSTEMS:

#19-014 ADDENDUM #2:

ADDENDUM #2 TO AGREEMENT DATED MAY 8, 2017 WITH MAILROOM SYSTEMS, INCORPORATED, WEST READING, PENNSYLVANIA WAS SUBMITTED FOR BOARD ACTION.

THE ADDENDUM ADDS A SERVICE FEE OF .01 CENTS FOR EACH FIRST CLASS PRESORTED LETTER DUE TO A RATE INCREASE FROM THE USPS. THE COST WILL BE EFFECTIVE JANUARY 27, 2019.

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE EXECUTION OF ADDENDUM #2 TO AGREEMENT DATED MAY 8, 2017 WITH MAILROOM SYSTEMS, INCORPORATED.
NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT:

#19-015 457(B) DEFERRED COMPENSATION:

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O'GUREK, TO RATIFY A CHANGE TO THE GUARANTEED MINIMUM INTEREST RATE (GMIR) AS DIRECTED BY NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT SOLUTIONS, SELECTING OPTION 3A, TO BE EFFECTIVE IN 2019. SAID OPTION LOCKS IN AT 3.5% FOR ASSETS PRESENTLY HELD FOR DURATION OF THE CONTRACT. ALL FUTURE MONIES WILL BE AT 1.2% WITH A FLOOR OF .5%.

BOARD POLLED: O'GUREK YES GERHARD YES NOTHSTEIN YES

PARKING METERS:

#19-016 AGREEMENT/CIVICSMART:

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O'GUREK, TO RATIFY EXECUTION OF AN AGREEMENT WITH CIVICSMART (FORMERLY DUNCAN PARKING TECHNOLOGIES) FOR RENTAL OF AN X3 AUTO TRAX UNIT TO BE USED TO CHANGE THE RATE OF THE PARKING METERS AT A COST OF $350.00 PLUS SHIPPING AND HANDLING FOR A TWO-WEEK RENTAL.

BOARD POLLED: O'GUREK YES GERHARD YES NOTHSTEIN YES

PURCHASE/SERVICE AGREEMENTS:

#19-017 EDWARDS/DISTRICT COURT 56-3-01:

PURCHASE/SERVICE AGREEMENT (SOURCEWELL #083116-KON) WITH EDWARDS BUSINESS SYSTEMS, WYOMISSING, PENNSYLVANIA, FOR A NEW BIZHUB MODEL 458E PRINTER/COPIER/SCANNER LOCATED IN DISTRICT COURT 56-3-01, JIM THORPE, WAS SUBMITTED FOR BOARD ACTION. THE COST WILL BE BILLED QUARTERLY $0.0073/B&W COPY, WHICH INCLUDES TONER, PARTS, AND LABOR. PRICE WILL BE FIXED FOR THREE (3) YEARS FROM DATE OF INSTALLATION.

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O'GUREK, TO APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE EXECUTION OF THE AGREEMENT.

BOARD POLLED: O'GUREK YES GERHARD YES NOTHSTEIN YES

#19-018 EDWARDS/DISTRICT COURT 56-3-02:

PURCHASE/SERVICE AGREEMENT (SOURCEWELL #083116-KON) WITH EDWARDS BUSINESS SYSTEMS, WYOMISSING, PENNSYLVANIA, FOR A NEW BIZHUB MODEL 458E PRINTER/COPIER/SCANNER LOCATED IN DISTRICT COURT 56-3-02, PALMERTON, WAS SUBMITTED FOR APPROVAL. THE COST WILL BE BILLED QUARTERLY $0.0073/B&W COPY, WHICH INCLUDES TONER, PARTS, AND LABOR. PRICE WILL BE FIXED FOR THREE (3) YEARS FROM DATE OF INSTALLATION.

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O'GUREK, TO APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE EXECUTION OF THE AGREEMENT.
EDWARDS/SHERIFF:

PURCHASE/SERVICE AGREEMENT (SOURCEWELL #083116-KON) WITH EDWARDS BUSINESS SYSTEMS, WYOMISSING, PENNSYLVANIA, FOR A NEW BIZHUB MODEL C368 PRINTER/COPIER/SCANNER LOCATED IN THE SHERIFF’S OFFICE. WAS SUBMITTED FOR APPROVAL.

COST WILL BE BILLED QUARTERLY $0.0077/B&W COPY, $0.0051/COLOR COPY WHICH INCLUDES TONER, PARTS, AND LABOR. PRICE WILL BE FIXED FOR THREE (3) YEARS FROM DATE OF INSTALLATION.

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE EXECUTION OF THE AGREEMENT.

STORAGE FACILITY PROJECT:

GENERAL CONSTRUCTION:

CHANGE ORDER #1/LESHER:

CHANGE ORDER #1 TO THE CONTRACT WITH F. J. LESHER, GENERAL CONTRACTOR, PALMERTON, PENNSYLVANIA, REGARDING THE STORAGE FACILITY CONSTRUCTION PROJECT WAS SUBMITTED FOR APPROVAL AND EXECUTION.

THE CHANGE ORDER EXTENDS THE COMPLETION DATE FROM SEPTEMBER 29, 2018 TO APRIL 30, 2019 DUE TO DELAY FOR RR ENGINEERING REVIEW AND REVISIONS.

APPROVAL WAS RECOMMENDED BY THE COUNTY ENGINEER, CARBON ENGINEERING INCORPORATED.

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE EXECUTION OF CHANGE ORDER #1 TO THE AGREEMENT WITH F. J. LESHER.

ELECTRICAL/CHANGE ORDER #1:

CHANGE ORDER #1 TO THE CONTRACT WITH LARRY MCCULLION & SON ELECTRICAL, SUMMIT HILL, PENNSYLVANIA, REGARDING THE STORAGE FACILITY CONSTRUCTION PROJECT WAS SUBMITTED FOR APPROVAL AND EXECUTION.

THE CHANGE ORDER INCREASES THE AGREEMENT $7,875.00 FOR REPLACEMENT OF A UTILITY POLE WITH GUY WIRE ASSEMBLY AS REQUIRED BY READING & NORTHERN RR AND EXTENDS THE COMPLETION DATE FROM SEPTEMBER 29, 2018 TO APRIL 30, 2019 DUE TO DELAY FOR RR ENGINEERING REVIEW AND REVISIONS. NEW CONTRACT TOTAL: $66,995.00

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE EXECUTION OF CHANGE ORDER #1 TO THE AGREEMENT WITH MCCULLION & SON ELECTRICAL.
Z&A/PROPOSAL:

#19-022  FINANCIAL CONSULTANT:

A LETTER OF AGREEMENT WAS SUBMITTED BY ZELENKOFSKY AXELROD LLC, FOR FINANCIAL CONSULTING SERVICES FOR THE YEAR 2019 FOR A FEE NOT TO EXCEED $84,000 (INCREASE OF $3,500).

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO APPROVE AND EXECUTE THE LETTER OF AGREEMENT.

BOARD POLLED:  O’GUREK  YES
GERHARD  YES
NOTHSTEIN  YES

SOLICITOR’S REPORT:

AGENCY ON AGING:

#19-023  AMENDMENT/AGING WELL PA:

A REQUEST WAS RECEIVED FROM THE OFFICE ON AGING FOR APPROVAL OF AN AMENDMENT TO THE SERVICE AGREEMENT (#AWPA-P39AAA-2018-2021) BETWEEN AGING WELL PA, LLC AND CARBON COUNTY AREA AGENCY ON AGING FOR PERFORMANCE OF ASSESSMENT SERVICES ON BEHALF OF AGING WELL PA FOR CONSUMERS REQUIRING LEVEL OF CARE DETERMINATIONS FOR MA FUNDED PROGRAMS. THE SERVICE AGREEMENT IS AMENDED TO INCLUDE PAYMENT OF $274.11 FOR COMPLETION OF EACH LEVEL OF CARE DETERMINATION (LCD) ASSESSMENT DURING INTERIM PERIOD OF JULY 1, 2018 TO MARCH 31, 2019 IN PLACE OF THE FUNCTIONAL ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATION (FED) ASSESSMENT.

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO APPROVE AND EXECUTE THE AMENDMENT TO THE AGING WELL AGREEMENT.

BOARD POLLED:  O’GUREK  YES
GERHARD  YES
NOTHSTEIN  YES

#19-024  OMBUDSMAN SERVICES:

NORTH PENN LEGAL:

THE SOLICITOR PRESENTED AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF CARBON, CARBON COUNTY AREA AGENCY ON AGING AND NORTH PENN LEGAL SERVICES FOR PROVISION OF OMBUDSMAN SERVICES.


MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE EXECUTION OF THE AGREEMENT.

BOARD POLLED:  O’GUREK  YES
GERHARD  YES
NOTHSTEIN  YES

AUDITING SERVICES:

#19-025  RKL LLP/ARRANGEMENT LETTER:

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO RATIFY THE EXECUTION OF THE ARRANGEMENT LETTER TO RKL LLP FOR THE 2018 SINGLE AUDIT, WHICH INCLUDES WORKFORCE INVESTMENT AGENCY (WIA), AT A TOTAL COST NOT TO EXCEED $44,800.
EMERGENCY OPERATIONS & TRAINING FACILITY:

#19-026 ADDENDUM/BRUCE GEORGE:

ADDENDUM #2 TO THE CONTRACT WITH BRUCE GEORGE PAVING & EXCAVATING, INCORPORATED, KUNKLETOWN, PENNSYLVANIA, FOR THE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS TRAINING CENTER WAS SUBMITTED FOR BOARD ACTION.

THE ADDENDUM ADDS THE FOLLOWING DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT (DCED) POLICIES TO THE CONTRACT AS REQUIRED:
- NON-DISCRIMINATION/SEXUAL HARASSMENT CLAUSE
- PA PREVAILING WAGE ACT

*COUNTRY POLICIES WERE INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT, BUT THE LSA GRANT REQUIRES THE USE OF DCED POLICIES.

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO APPROVE AND EXECUTE THE ADDENDUM TO THE BRUCE GEORGE CONTRACT.

BOARD POLLED: O’GUREK YES
GERHARD YES
NOTHSTEIN YES

#19-027 LSA GRANT:

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO RATIFY THE EXECUTION AND SUBMISSION OF LOCAL SHARE ACCOUNT (LSA) GRANT AGREEMENT #C000070306 WITH THE COMMONWEALTH FINANCING AGENCY, IN THE AMOUNT OF $200,000.00, FOR THE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS & FIRE TRAINING CENTER PROJECT, EFFECTIVE JANUARY 23, 2018 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2021, TO BE UTILIZED FOR PHASE IB OF THE PROJECT.

BOARD POLLED: O’GUREK YES
GERHARD YES
NOTHSTEIN YES

#19-028 LSA GRANT EXTENSION:

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO RATIFY SUBMISSION OF A REQUEST FORWARD TO DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT (DCED) FOR A ONE (1) YEAR EXTENSION TO THE LOCAL SHARE ACCOUNT (LSA) GRANT #C000064320 IN THE AMOUNT OF $200,000.00 FOR THE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS & TRAINING CENTER, ACCESS ROAD. (IF APPROVED, THE AGREEMENT WILL BE EXTENDED TO JUNE 30, 2020.)

BOARD POLLED: O’GUREK YES
GERHARD YES
NOTHSTEIN YES

#19-029 MULTIMODAL GRANT:

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO RATIFY THE SUBMISSION OF A REQUEST FORWARD TO DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT (DCED) FOR A ONE (1) YEAR EXTENSION TO THE MULTIMODAL GRANT #C000064623 IN THE AMOUNT OF $485,619.00 FOR THE
EMERGENCY OPERATIONS & TRAINING CENTER, ACCESS ROAD, PHASE 1A. (IF APPROVED, THE AGREEMENT WILL BE EXTENDED TO JUNE 30, 2020.)

BOARD POLLED:  O’GUREK YES  
                GERHARD YES  
                NOTHSTEIN YES

ORDINANCE:
#19-030 AGREEMENT/PCORP:

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO ADOPT ORDINANCE #2019-01 AUTHORIZING THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS TO ENTER INTO AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT AND AUTHORIZING THE PARTICIPATION IN THE PENNSYLVANIA COUNTIES RISK POOL (PCORP) PURSUANT TO THE PENNSYLVANIA INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION LAW, AS AMENDED.  
*ORDINANCE #2019-01 TO BE TYPED IN ORDINANCE BOOK

BOARD POLLED:  O’GUREK YES  
                GERHARD YES  
                NOTHSTEIN YES

PARKS/JOSIAH WHITE:
#19-031 ACTIVITIES AGREEMENT/BANNER:

A SPECIAL ACTIVITIES AGREEMENT FOR USE OF THE JOSIAH WHITE PARK, ALONG WITH GAZEBO AND BANNER REQUESTS, WAS SUBMITTED FOR THE FOLLOWING:  
JIM THORPE EARTH DAY FESTIVAL (SHELLI HOLLAND, JIM THORPE, PA)  
APRIL 27, 2019 (RAIN DATE – APRIL 28)  
(BANNER REQUEST: 4/13/19 TO 4/28/19)

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE EXECUTION OF THE DOCUMENTS FOR THE EARTH DAY FESTIVAL.

BOARD POLLED:  O’GUREK YES  
                GERHARD YES  
                NOTHSTEIN YES

#19-032 GAZEBO REQUEST:

A REQUEST FOR USE OF THE GAZEBO IN THE JOSIAH WHITE PARK WAS SUBMITTED FOR THE FOLLOWING:  
KRISTINA DECOWSKI, FREELAND, PA  
WEDDING CEREMONY – FRIDAY, MAY 3, 2019 (2:30 – 5 P.M.)

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE EXECUTION OF THE GAZEBO PERMIT.

BOARD POLLED:  O’GUREK YES  
                GERHARD YES  
                NOTHSTEIN YES

PROCLAMATION:
#19-033 SCHOOL CHOICE WEEK:

MOTION BY MR. GERHARD, SECONDED BY MR. O’GUREK, TO ADOPT THE FOLLOWING PROCLAMATION RECOGNIZING JANUARY 20 – 26, 2019 AS SCHOOL CHOICE WEEK IN CARBON COUNTY:
WHEREAS, ALL CHILDREN IN CARBON COUNTY SHOULD HAVE ACCESS TO THE HIGHEST-QUALITY EDUCATION POSSIBLE; AND

WHEREAS, CARBON COUNTY RECOGNIZES THE IMPORTANT ROLE THAT AN EFFECTIVE EDUCATION PLAYS IN PREPARING ALL STUDENTS IN CARBON COUNTY TO BE SUCCESSFUL ADULTS; AND

WHEREAS, QUALITY EDUCATION IS CRITICALLY IMPORTANT TO THE ECONOMIC VITALITY OF CARBON COUNTY; AND

WHEREAS, CARBON COUNTY IS HOME TO A MULTITUDE OF HIGH-QUALITY TRADITIONAL PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS FROM WHICH PARENTS CAN CHOOSE FOR THEIR CHILDREN, IN ADDITION TO FAMILIES WHO EDUCATE THEIR CHILDREN IN THE HOME; AND

WHEREAS, EDUCATIONAL VARIETY NOT ONLY HELPS TO DIVERSIFY OUR ECONOMY, BUT ALSO ENHANCES THE VIBRANCY OF OUR COMMUNITY; AND

WHEREAS, CARBON COUNTY HAS MANY HIGH-QUALITY TEACHING PROFESSIONALS IN ALL TYPES OF SCHOOL SETTINGS WHO ARE COMMITTED TO EDUCATING OUR CHILDREN; AND

WHEREAS, SCHOOL CHOICE WEEK IS CELEBRATED ACROSS THE COUNTRY BY MILLIONS OF STUDENTS, PARENTS, EDUCATORS, SCHOOLS AND ORGANIZATIONS TO RAISE AWARENESS OF THE NEED FOR EFFECTIVE EDUCATIONAL OPTIONS.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CARBON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS DOES HEREBY RECOGNIZE JANUARY 20-26, 2019 AS SCHOOL CHOICE WEEK IN CARBON COUNTY AND CALLS THIS OBSERVANCE TO THE ATTENTION OF ALL OF ITS CITIZENS.

ADOPTED BY THE CARBON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS THIS 17TH DAY OF JANUARY, 2019.

CARBON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
/S/ WAYNE E. NOTHSTEIN, CHAIRMAN
/S/ TOM J. GERHARD, VICE-CHAIRMAN
/S/ WILLIAM J. O’GUREK, MEMBER

ATTEST:
/S/ ELOISE K. AHNER, CHIEF CLERK/COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR

BOARD POLLED: O’GUREK YES
GERHARD YES
NOTHSTEIN YES

COMMISSIONERS’ REPORTS:

COMMISSIONER O’GUREK GAVE AN UPDATE CONCERNING THE PENN EAST PIPELINE CONCERNS. HE REFERRED TO A PAST COMMISSIONERS’ MEETING WHEN LINDA CHRISTMAN REPORTED PROBLEMS REGARDING CERTAIN PROPERTIES. HE THEN CONTACTED PAM WITMER, UGI ENERGY SERVICES. AS OF THIS DATE, MRS. CHRISTMAN HAS REPORTED THAT THERE HAS BEEN ABSOLUTELY NO ACTION TAKEN ON BEHALF OF PENN EAST TO CONTACT THE PROPERTY OWNERS.

COMMISSIONER GERHARD REPORTED ON THE FOLLOWING:
- OVERHEAD BAR ON BRIDGE #17 (COVERED BRIDGE) CONTINUES TO BE STRUCK BY VEHICLES AND STOP SIGNS WILL BE INSTALLED IN THE SPRING
- CURRENTLY SIXTEEN (16) DOGS AT THE ANIMAL SHELTER; THE 6-MONTH OLD DOG THROWN OUT OF A VEHICLE IN LANSFORD WILL BE ADOPTED BY THE INDIVIDUAL WHO RESCUED IT

COMMISSIONER NOTHSTEIN COMMENTED ON THE FOLLOWING:
- THANKED COMMISSIONER O’GUREK FOR HIS EFFORTS CONCERNING THE PIPELINE
- THANKED THE CONTROLLER AND TREASURER FOR THEIR WORK REGARDING THE DEFERRED
COMPENSATION MATTER
- GAVE A WEATHER UPDATE FOR THE WEEKEND, NOTING THAT THE CODE RED SYSTEM WOULD BE TESTED TODAY

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS TO COME BEFORE THE BOARD,

THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS ADJOURNED AT 11:00 A.M.

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ELOISE K. AHNER,    WAYNE E. NOTHSTEIN, CHAIRMAN
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