

January 6, 2009

The Juniata County Commissioners met on the above date with Commissioners Jeff Zimmerman, Dale Shelley and Teresa O'Neal present. Also attending were Times Reporter Paulette Forry, Juniata Sentinel reporter Sheila Yorks and Lewistown Sentinel Reporter Micaiah Bilger.

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m. by Commissioner Zimmerman. A moment of silence was observed followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. The December 30th minutes were approved as submitted on motion of O'Neal/Shelley and unanimously carried.

Commissioners' Board Meeting

The commissioners took the following actions:

- On motion of O'Neal/Shelley and unanimously carried, tax exonerations were approved for Susquehanna and Lack Townships.
- On motion of O'Neal/Shelley and unanimously carried, re-appointed Susan Kepner, Linda Allen, Rebecca Leiter and Mary Lou Wenger to serve three-year terms on the Advisory Committee of the Juniata County Children and Youth Social Services Agency. Terms will commence January 1, 2009 and end December 31, 2011.
- On motion of O'Neal/Shelley and unanimously carried, approved the revised Geisinger Health Insurance plan for County employees. The co-pay for prescription drugs will change from an \$8.00 co-pay to \$10.00. The cost of the insurance to the county will decrease from an 8.4% increase in the premium to a 5.9% increase.
- On motion of O'Neal/Shelley and unanimously carried, approved CDBG check #345, payable to Donald Imes Excavating in the amount of \$285.00.

The commissioners advised the press they had met with the local census contact. Temporary jobs are available to help with the census.

The IRS mileage rate for 2009 has been set at \$.55/mile.

Salary Board

No business was brought before the Board.

Retirement Board

No business was brought before the Board.

On motion of O'Neal/Shelley and unanimously carried, the meeting recessed at 10:10 a.m. and adjourned at 11:00 a.m.

Jeffrey M. Zimmerman, Chairman

Dale S. Shelley, Vice Chairman

Teresa J. O'Neal, Secretary

Submitted For Approval
Sherlyn Mosebey