

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
AUGLAIZE COUNTY, OHIO
-- February 17, 2026 --**

The Board of County Commissioners convened in regular session at 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 17, 2026 in the Commissioners' Chambers with the following members present: David Bambauer, Douglas A. Spencer and John Bergman. The meeting of the Board was called to order by President Bergman.

AGENDA

- 8:00 a.m. Commissioners sign resolutions/documents (Chambers)
- 8:15 a.m. Staff Meeting (Chambers)
- 11:00 a.m. MEBC Quarterly Meeting (Mercer County Commissioner's Office)
- 3:30 p.m. Present and discuss upcoming resolutions (Chambers)

PROCEEDINGS OF THE DAY

- 8:00 a.m. Commissioner Bambauer moved to approve the resolutions as presented. Commissioner Spencer seconded the motion. The resolutions were then distributed for each Commissioner's vote and execution.
- 8:30 a.m. Clerk Donovan read the minutes of the February 12, 2026 meeting.
- The minutes were approved.
 - BOCC calendar was reviewed.
- 8:40 a.m. County Administrator Preston presented the following:
- Discussed the postmark change by USPS. Postmarks are now applied when the letter is first processed at a facility, not when it is dropped off. With mail being processed through the postage machine on site, we do not expect our mailings to be impacted.
 - Reported Russ Bailey is in need of a new flagpole base and sidewalk at the Dog Warden office.
 - Presented the extension request for the master plan update at the airport for signature by the BOCC President.
 - Discussed land that may be available for purchase near the Auglaize County Recycle Center.
- 9:00 a.m. Commissioner Bambauer moved to enter Executive Session for the purpose of discussing security measures. Administrator Preston was invited to attend. Commissioner Spencer seconded the motion. Chairman Bergman called the role: Spencer – yes; Bambauer – yes; Bergman – yes.
- 9:10 a.m. The Board returned to regular session with no action taken.
- 9:11 a.m. Commissioner Bambauer moved to enter Executive Session for the purpose of discussing a complaint against an elected official. Administrator Preston was invited to attend. Commissioner Spencer seconded the motion. Chairman Bergman called the role: Spencer – yes; Bambauer – yes; Bergman – yes.
- 9:16 a.m. The Board returned to regular session with no action taken.
- 11:00 a.m. The Board and Administrator Preston attended the quarterly MEBC meeting at the Mercer County Commissioners Office.
- 12:00 p.m. Commissioner Bergman left the office for the day.

The following Resolutions were presented to the Board, for its consideration (the entire texts of same are documented in the Board's Journal by the Clerk of the Board):

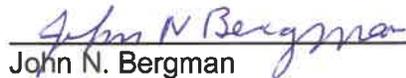
#26-067 Matter of authorizing the quote from Wellman Brothers for a new downspout at the Auglaize County Courthouse as requested by the Maintenance Supervisor.

1:00 p.m. With no further business to bring before the Board, Vice President Spencer adjourned the meeting for the day.

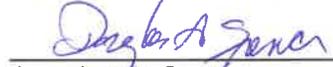
The MINUTES constitute a synopsis on matters brought to the attention of the Board of County Commissioners of Auglaize County, Ohio on this 17th day of February, 2026.



David Bambauer



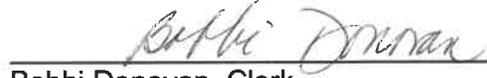
John N. Bergman



Douglas A. Spencer



Erica L. Preston, County Administrator



Bobbi Donovan, Clerk



Date