

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
AUGLAIZE COUNTY, OHIO
-- July 28, 2026 --**

The Board of County Commissioners convened in regular session at 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday, July 28, 2026 in the Commissioners' Chambers with the following members present: John N. Bergman, Douglas A. Spencer and David Bambauer. 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)
- 9:00 a.m. Meeting with a citizen regarding Solid Waste Policy Committee and waste reduction (Chambers)
- 10:00 a.m. MEBC Quarterly Meeting with Mercer County and Arthur Gallagher (220 Livingston, Celina, OH)
- 11:00 a.m. CANCELLED LFA Monthly Meeting
- 1:30 p.m. Monthly Meeting with Dog Warden Russ Bailey
- 2:30 p.m. Conference call with BF&S (Chambers)
- 3:30 p.m. Meeting with Julie Gossard, JFS regarding open positions (Chambers)
- 4:30 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.
- 8:35 a.m. Administrator Preston presented the minutes of the July 23, 2026 meeting.
 - The minutes were approved as presented.
- 8:37 a.m. County Administrator Preston presented the following:
 - Receipt of quotes from two vendors for in-person harassment training. Administrator Preston will inquire further of the quote details and propose a time and place for the training to be provided for the department heads and staff.
 - Discussed recognition for JFS Child Support Services month.
 - Discussed further research regarding FLOCK cameras.
 - Discussed the IT department's proposal for a modified work week schedule and options for trial periods.
 - Grant options for the Heritage Trail Park District were discussed.
 - The status of the Brownfield Koenig project, the Acres project, and Townline Kossuth property project were discussed.
- 10:00 a.m. The Board and Administrator Preston met with the MEBC and Arther Gallager for the quarterly update.
- 11:35 a.m. Commissioner Spencer left the office for the day.
- 1:30 p.m. The Board met with Dog Warden Russ Bailey for the monthly update.
- 2:30 p.m. The Board and Administrator Preston participated in a conference call with BF&S to discuss Airport planning.
- 3:30 p.m. The Board and Administrator Preston met with Julie Gossard regarding the open JFS positions.
- 3:31 p.m. Commissioner Bambauer moved to enter Executive Session for the purpose of discussing employment. Administrator Preston and JFS Director Gossard were invited to attend. Commissioner Bergman seconded the motion. Chairman Bergman called the role:
Bambauer – yes and Bergman – yes.
- 3:56 a.m. The Board returned to regular session with no action taken.

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

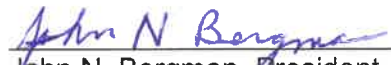
#26-311 Matter of ratifying the execution of an agreement with the Ohio Department of Development for the Brownfield Remediation Program Grant agreement Dev 2025 for the Remediation of the Former Stahler Trucking Project

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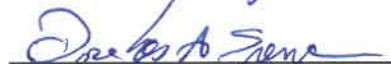
#26-313 Matter of authorizing a budget adjustment.

4:30 p.m. With no further business to bring before the Board President Bergman 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 28th day of July, 2026.



John N. Bergman, President



Douglas A. Spencer, Vice President



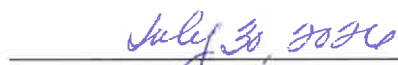
David Bambauer, Member



Erica L. Preston, County Administrator



Bobbi Donovan, Clerk



Date