

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
AUGLAIZE COUNTY, OHIO**

**-- June 9, 2026 --**

The Board of County Commissioners convened in regular session at 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday, June 9, 2026 in the Commissioners' Chambers with the following members present: John N. Bergman and Douglas A. Spencer. David Bambauer was excused. 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)
- 9:15 a.m. Meeting with JFS Director (Chambers)
- 11:00 a.m. Quarterly Document Imaging Update (Archives Room)
- 3:30 p.m. Present and discuss upcoming resolutions (Chambers)
- 7:00 p.m. Airport Authority Meeting (Neil Armstrong Airport)

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE DAY**

- 8:00 a.m. Commissioner Spencer moved to approve the resolutions as presented. Commissioner Bergman seconded the motion. The resolutions were then distributed for each Commissioner's vote and execution.
- 8:52 a.m. Clerk Bobbi Donovan read the minutes of the June 4, 2026 meeting.
  - The minutes were approved.
  - The BOCC calendar was reviewed.
- 8:56 a.m. County Administrator Preston presented the following:
  - Reported the airport would like to equip the hangars with eye wash stations through the BWC Grant Program. The Board confirmed that direct purchase would be a better fit in this instance.
  - Presented a legal notice received for a zoning amendment in St. Marys Township.
  - Discussed a request for a mortgage subordination agreement involving a home on the 2006 CHIP Program. The Board is open to moving forward with the agreement once a formal request is presented.
  - Reported the Historical Society will be reading the Declaration of Independence on July 8, 2026 in honor of America's 250<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. The event will take place on the north side of the courthouse.
  - Presented a t-shirt available for purchase through the Auglaize County Historical Society commemorating America 250. Information will be sent to all elected officials and offices.
  - Discussed a survey received from CCAO regarding general revenue funds.
  - Reported the Airport Master Plan extension was approved to June 2027.
  - Discussed use of vacation time by a county employee prior to retirement.
  - Discussed an email received from a Wapakoneta resident regarding a city issue.
  - Reported a class action lawsuit involving prosecutors for all 88 Ohio counties.
  - Discussed a credit card request received from the Public Defender's Office.
- 9:27 a.m. Commissioner Bergman moved to enter Executive Session for the purpose of discussing an investigation of a county employee. Administrator Preston was invited to attend. Commissioner Spencer seconded the motion. President Bergman called the role: Spencer – yes and Bergman – yes.
- 9:39 a.m. The Board returned to regular session with no action taken.
- 9:40 a.m. The Board and Administrator Preston met with JFS Director Julie Gossard for the monthly update.
- 10:19 a.m. Commissioner Bergman moved to enter Executive Session for the purpose of discussing an investigation of a county employee. Administrator Preston and JFS Director Julie Gossard were invited to attend. Commissioner Spencer seconded the motion. President Bergman called

the role: Spencer – yes and Bergman – yes.  
10:36 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):

#26-254 Matter of documenting receipt of bids for the 2026 county road pavement marking and authorizing bid award to Oglesby Construction Inc.

#26-255 Matter of authorizing the purchase of a Leach 2R-III Freightliner M2-106 for use by the Auglaize County Solid Waste District and to be purchased through the State of Ohio through the Sourcewell Purchasing System.

#26-256 Matter of authorizing the employment of Brendala Anspaugh to the position of Part-time Grants Administration Clerk.

#26-257 Matter of authorizing an agreement between Auglaize County Common Pleas Court and Hallenross and Associates, LLC for American Sign Language < > English Interpretation services.


#26-258 Matter of accepting the resignation of Ryan Luiken as a Recycling Laborer for the Auglaize County Solid Waste District.

#26-259 Matter of authorizing the County Auditor to draw warrants for Then and Now Certificate payments.


7:00 p.m. The Board and Administrator Preston attended the Airport Authority meeting at Neil Armstrong Airport. There was no quorum for the Airport Authority meeting, but the BOCC presented information and answered questions about the Airport Master Plan.

8:00 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 9th day of June, 2026.


  
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Douglas A. Spencer, Vice President

  
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David Bambauer, Member

  
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Erica L. Preston, County Administrator

  
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Bobbi Donovan, Clerk

  
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