

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

-- March 5, 2026 --

The Board of County Commissioners convened in regular session at 8:00 a.m. on Thursday, March 5, 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)
- 9:00 a.m. Meeting with OSU Extension Office (Chambers)
- 11:30 a.m. Auglaize County State of the Arts & Culture Luncheon (First Church of New Knoxville)
- 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.
- 9:05 a.m. The Board and Administrator Preston met with Jacob Winters and Elizabeth Miller from the Auglaize County OSU Extension Office for their quarterly update.
- 9:48 a.m. Clerk Donovan read the minutes of the March 3, 2026 meeting.
 - The minutes were approved.
- 9:57 a.m. County Administrator Preston presented the following:
 - Provided an update for a public records request within the county.
 - Discussed a request for funding for Mission Discovery. The Board agreed to support the event in an amount up to \$5,000.00.
 - Reported details are being gathered to complete the pre-application for a potential CDBG project within the county.
 - Reported a quote has been received from Armor for backflow. The project will be discussed at the next Maintenance Meeting.
 - Discussed a request from a county employee to attend out-of-state training. The Board rejected the request for this year.
 - Discussed capital budget applications to be submitted for dredging and a project on East Bank Road.
 - Discussed public access to bricks from Acres site. Administrator Preston will contact the contractor for additional information on the matter.
- 11:30 a.m. The Board and Administrator Preston attended the Auglaize County State of the Arts & Culture Luncheon at First Church of New Knoxville.

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):

- #26-088 Matter of approving the application/permit for use of the Auglaize County Courthouse Property and Grounds to the Wapak Farmer's Market
- #26-089 Matter of authorizing a housing repair project under the C.H.I.P. Program.
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- #26-091 Matter of authorizing the President of the Board to execute the State Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Allocation Program Grant Agreement for Program Year 2025.
- #26-092 Matter of certifying delinquent sewer bills to the County Auditor for placement on the property real estate tax duplicates; ratifying the execution of sewer delinquencies listing as submitted by the Sanitary Engineer's Dept.
- #26-093 Matter of authorizing the County Auditor to draw warrants for Then and Now Certificate payments.

1:30 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 5th day of March, 2026.



David Bambauer

Absent

John N. Bergman



Douglas A. Spencer



Erica L. Preston, County Administrator



Bobbi Donovan, Clerk

March 10, 2026

Date