BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
AUGLAIZE COUNTY, OHIO
-- November 3, 2026 --

The Board of County Commissioners convened in regular session at 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday, November 3, 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. 2027 Budget Meeting – Engineer
11:00 a.m. Interview – JFS Director Position (Chambers)
1:00 p.m. 2027 Budget Meeting – Solid Waste (Chambers)
1:30 p.m. 2027 Budget Meeting – Clerk of Courts (Chambers)
2:00 p.m. 2027 Budget Meeting – Public Defender (Chambers)
2:30 p.m. 2027 Budget Meeting – Job & Family Services (Chambers)
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.

8:12 a.m. Clerk Bobbi Donovan presented the minutes of the October 29, 2026 meeting.

- The minutes were approved as presented.
- The BOCC calendar was reviewed.

8:18 a.m. County Administrator Preston presented the following:

- Discussed eligibility under the opt out/opt down program.
- Informed the Board of an upcoming retirement in the Probate court office, along with adjustments to current personnel within the office.
- Stated a CHIP recipient has been informed their forgiveness request is denied.
- Presented information regarding a grant application submitted for review from the Solid Waste District. A resolution authorizing the application submittal will be prepared for Thursday.
- Provided information from a telephone call with the FAA regarding the Airport Master Plan.
- Discussed attendance at the CCAO winter conference.
- Reviewed details of an annexation agreement involving job ready sites. The agreement will be sent to the Prosecuting Attorney for review.

-Commissioner Bergman reported that he returned a call to a landowner concerned about an overgrown lot. The lot is located within the City of Wapakoneta, and the landowner was directed back to the city.

-Commissioner Bambauer reported that the fairgrounds manager reached out seeking input regarding the Boards choice of path for AC units in the Piehl Arena. Commissioner Bambauer will reach back out regarding the Boards tentative commitment of a match towards the project and the desired approach of three phase electric.

9:00 a.m. The Board and Administrator Preston met with County Engineer Andrew Baumer and Toby Lee to discuss the 2027 Engineer's Budget.

10:45 a.m. Commissioner Bergman left the office for the day.

11:00 a.m. The Board and Administrator Preston interviewed a candidate for the open JFS director position via a Teams call.

1:06 p.m. The Board and Administrator Preston met with District Coordinator Alexa Schwaderer to discuss the 2027 Solid Waste Budget.

1:39 p.m. The Board and Administrator Preston met with Mandy Dunlap to discuss the 2027 Clerk of Courts Budget.
2:02 p.m. The Board and Administrator Preston met with Public Defender Nick Catania and Mandy Crowell to discuss the 2027 Budget.
2:34 p.m. The Board and Administrator Preston met with Interim Director Seth Bowersock to discuss the 2027 Budget for Job & Family Services.

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):
#26-477 Matter of authorizing the approval of the quote for the redesign of the Auglaize County website from Revize.
#26-478 Matter of amending the annual appropriation due to moneys certified and not appropriated and authorizing budget adjustments as requested by Auglaize County Job and Family Services.
#26-479 Matter of authorizing budget adjustments.

3:15 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 3rd day of November, 2026.

John N. Bergman, President

Erica L. Preston, County Administrator

Douglas A. Spencer, Vice President

Bobbi Donovan, Clerk

David Bambauer, Member

NOV. 5, 2026
Date