## **DECEMBER 16 – MEETING 51 VOLUME 27**

The Ross County Board of Commissioners met on this day, December 16, 2024, in regular session.

Commissioner Dwight Garrett called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m., with Commissioners James E. Lowe and Jack A. Everson, in attendance.

Commissioner Garrett led the Pledge of Allegiance.

## MINUTES APPROVED

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, the minutes of the December 9, 2024, meeting be approved as submitted. On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

# BILLS APPROVED FOR PAYMENT

EPARTMENT		OTAL VALUE	DEPARTMENT	PAY TO NAME	TOTAL VALUE			TOTAL VALUE
'ellness	Timothy Zeisler	57	Wellness	Shelby McCracken	57		Jenna Bunstine	
ellness	Tonya Wright	57	Wellness	Brandy McCord	57		Tonya Browning	
ellness	Elizabeth Worth	57	Wellness	Carrie McCollum	57		Tonya Brown	
llness 	Penni Woods	57	Wellness	Liranda McCain	57	Wellness	Leslie Brown	
lness	Dena Wilson	57	Wellness	Laura Martin	57	Wellness Wellness	Crystal Brobst Todd Bost	
lness	Gregory Williamson Phillip Wettersten	57 57	Wellness	Natalie Mallow	57	Wellness	Kimberly Bossert	
llness llness	Waneta Wellinghoff	57 57	Wellness Wellness	Melissa Mahaffey	57 57		Stacey Boroff	
liness	Whitlee Wayland	57	Wellness	Erika Magana-Harris Billie Lytle	57		Paul Bliss Jr	
llness	Rebecca Ward	57	Wellness	Chasity Lowery	57		Amy Beougher	
llness	Amanda Ward	57	Wellness	Rhonda Long	57	Wellness	Cathy Bentley	
llness	Kylie Wampler	57	Wellness	Catherine List	57	Wellness	Amy Beeler	
llness	Juanita Walker	57	Wellness	Catrina Lewis	57	Wellness	Megan Beasley	
llness	Myranda Vance	57	Wellness	Rachel Lenegar	57	Wellness	Eric Barbee	
ellness	Ann Vallery	57	Wellness	Jeffrey Lehner	57	Wellness	Abby Atwood	
ellness	Amie Unger	57	Wellness	Bobbi Lecrone	57		Matthew Allen	
llness	Brent Umina	57	Wellness	Paula Lawrence	57		Lisa Adams	
llness	Jerry Uhrig	57	Wellness	Christina Kruger	57	Wellness Wellness	Kaylee Adams Max Adair	
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liness	Jodi Tippie	57	Wellness	Jennifer King	57	11.0	Seara Ackley	
llness	Lesha Thrapp	57	Wellness Wellness	Vonda Kern Delores Kempton	57 57	Wellness	Phillip Ackley	
llness	Twana Thompson	57	Wellness	Tracey Kempton	57	Veterans Service Commission	<u> </u>	
llness	Robin Thompson	57	Wellness	Lindsay Kemper	57		Quali-Tee Design Sportswear	
llness	Sarah Taylor	57	Wellness	Tammy Kellough	57		Murray-Fettro Funeral Home	
ellness	James Szorady	57	Wellness	Shannon Kellough	57		Tim's Tires & Accessories	
llness	Melanie Swisher	57	Wellness	Loretta Kellough	57	Veterans Service Commission	The Corner Market	
llness	Brandon Swepston	57	Wellness	Erica Kellis	57	Veterans Service Commission	Stephen A. Neal, Fiscal Office	
llness	Kim Suwannasing	57	Wellness	Pamela Kangur	57			
llness	Matthew Sutherland	57	Wellness	Ashley Jutte	57	Treasurer	Glacier Mountain Bottled Wat	4
llness	Jacqueline Stobbs	57	Wellness	Tara Jones	57	Treasurer	County Treasurers Associatio	r
llness	Pamela Stewart	57	Wellness	Barbara Jones	57	Sheriff	Allen's Pharmacy	
llness	Kloey Stevens-Roddy	57	Wellness	Brittany Jadwin	57	C1:66	Treasurer - State of Ohio	
llness	Averia Steinbrook	57	Wellness	Angel Jackson	57		Modern Office Methods, Inc.	
ellness	Stephanie Stapleton	57 57	Wellness	Stephany Hurles	57	Sheriff Sheriff	Amazon Capital Services Davis Tire of Chillicothe	
llness	Kasey Stanley	57 57	Wellness	Juliana Hoylman	57	Cl:	Davis Tire of Chillicothe Fishel, Downey, Albrecht & Ric	
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liness	Kimberly Sollars	57	Wellness	Danielle Holbert	57	Ql	Welch, David Michael	
liness	Kellcie Snyder	57	Wellness	Lori Hice	57	Cl	Jonina Johnson	
lness	Courtney Snider	57	Wellness	Heather Heshiser	57	Sheriff	Escamilla, Vanessa	
llness	Cheryl Smitley	57	Wellness	Ashley Herring	57	Sheriff	Adena Health System	
lness	Sara Smith	57	Wellness	Haley Henkle	57 57		Adena Health System	
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llness	Lauren Smith	57	Wellness	Allen Hawk	57	Sheriff	Premier Health Care Services,	, 3
Iness	Lora Skaggs	57	Wellness	Rita Haubeil	57	Sheriff	State Electric Supply, Inc.	
llness	Josie Simmons	57	Wellness	Sherri Hathaway	57	Sheriff	Ratcliff, Roger	
llness	Ryan Shreve	57	Wellness	Natalie Harrod	57	Sheriff	Ohio QRT Association	
llness	William Showman	57	Wellness	Amie Hamman	57	Sheriff	Litter Quality Propane Gas	
llness	James Shoemaker	57	Wellness	Jared Halm	57	Sheriff	Rumpke Of Ohio, Inc	
liness	Melinda Sheets	57	Wellness	Vicki Hall	57	Sheriff Ct. :*/	Ohio Task Force Commander:	4
ellness Vellness	Lisa Shears	<u>57.</u> 57.	Wellness	Karen Hadam	57	Sheriff	US Bank Equipment Finance Stephen A. Neal, Fiscal Office	1
ellness	Bryce Shaffer	57	Wellness	Amy Guda	57	Veterans Service Commission Veterans Service Commission	Stephen A. Neal, riscal Office Johnetta L Pulver	*
ellness	Therese Shackelford	57	Wellness	Madelyn Graves	57	Treasurer	Glacier Mountain Bottled Wate	
ellness	Charles Schrader	57	Wellness	Kellie Graves	57	Treasurer	County Treasurers Association	1
ellness	Beth Schobelock	57	Wellness	Tammy Goebel	57	Sheriff	Allen's Pharmacy	
ellness	Rebecca Schankman	57	Wellness	Joseph Glandon	57	Sheriff	Treasurer - State of Ohio	
ellness	Karen Saxton	57	Wellness	Amy Glandon	57	Sheriff	Modern Office Methods, Inc.	
ellness	Jillian Rutter	57	Wellness	Ben Givens	57	Sheriff	Amazon Capital Services	
ellness	Stacey Russell	57	Wellness	Nikki Getz	57	Sheriff	Davis Tire of Chillicothe	
ellness	Benjamin Rusnak	57	Wellness	Jordan George	57	Sheriff	Fishel, Downey, Albrecht & Ric	
ellness	Gregory Rouse	57	Wellness Wellness	Samantha Gearhart Joshua Garrett	57 57	Sheriff	Southern Ohio Shredding LLC	
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ellness	Kathy Richardson	57	Wellness	Mark Friend	57	Sheriff	Jonina Johnson	
ellness	Charles Reynolds	57	Wellness	Matthew Francis	57	Sheriff	Escamilla, Vanessa	
ellness	Emily Remington	57	Wellness	Jennifer Fout	57	Sheriff	Adena Health System	
ellness	Deanna Redfearn	57	Wellness	Cecilia Fleming	57	Sheriff	Adena Health System	
ellness	Brady Ratzlaff	57	Wellness	Mary Fitzpatrick	57	Sheriff	Adena Medical Group, LLC	
ellness	Michael Ratliff	57	Wellness	Jane Farrar	57	Sheriff	Premier Health Care Services,	. 3
ellness	Cataya Ratliff	57	Wellness	McKenna Farmer	57	Sheriff	State Electric Supply, Inc.	
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ellness ellness	Cathy Primer Wendell Price	57 57	Wellness	Colin Eiermann	57	Sheriff	Ohio Task Force Commanders	
eliness	Joanne Price	57	Wellness	Tonita Dyke	57	Sheriff	US Bank Equipment Finance	
ellness	Britney Posey	57	Wellness	Adam Dyer	57	Sheriff	Rumpke Of Ohio, Inc	
ellness	Jeremy Phillips	57	Wellness	Cindy Dicken	57	Sheriff	Insight Public Sector, Inc	
ellness	Karen Penwell	57	Wellness	John Dicesare	57	Sheriff	Printex Printing	
ellness	Keva Peecher	57	Wellness	Toni Detillian	57	Sheriff	Amazon Capital Services	
llness	Amanda Patton	57	Wellness Wellness	Lacey Derexson Kelly Dennis	57 57	Sheriff	Rumpke Of Ohio, Inc	
ellness	Mariah Oyer	57	Wellness Wellness	Anne Dennis	57	Sheriff Shoriff	Pickaway-Ross JVS	
llness 	Dionna Orr	57	Wellness	Shannon Dennewitz	57	Sheriff Sheriff	Sparkle Cleaners Amazon Capital Services	
llness	Carol Orr	57	Wellness	Renee Davison	57	Sheriff	Arnazon Capital Services Aramark Services, Inc	
llness	Paula Ogan Danielle Oates-Barrows	57 57	Wellness	Brent Curtis	57	Sheriff	Fayette County Commissioner	
llness Ilness	Danielle Uates-Barrows Casey Oates	57 57	Wellness	Sally Coterel-Chaney	57	Sheriff	H-M Company	
liness liness	Casey Uates Arthur Nickles	57 57	Wellness	Natalie Cosper	57	Sheriff	Amazon Capital Services	
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liness liness	Peggy Neff	57 57	Wellness	Julia Cooper	57	Sheriff	Greenes Automotive	
ellness	Robert Neal	57	Wellness	Loucinda Conner	57	Sheriff	Payton, Charles T.	
ellness	George Myers	57	Wellness	Angela Collier	57	Sheriff	Escamilla, Vanessa	
liness	Andrea Mougey	57	Wellness	Jeffrey Coakley	57	Sheriff	Jonina Johnson	
Iness	Amber Moss	57	Wellness	Leah Clevenger	57	Sheriff	Welch, David Michael	
liness	Connie Moody	57	Wellness	Ruth Claytor	57	Ross County Court System	Newegg Business Inc.	
llness	Sonya Mitchell	57	Wellness Wellness	Lisa Clark-Williams Mary Clarke	57 57	Ross County Court System	Compass Integration LLC	
·llness	Deborah Miner	57	Wellness Wellness	Mary Clarke Heather Chaney	57 57	Ross County Court System	Compass Integration LLC	
ellness	Johnna Miller	57	Wellness Wellness	Heather Chaney Jake Champion	57	Ross County Court System	Compass Integration LLC	
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DEPARTMENT	PAY TO NAME	TOTAL VALUE
Ross County Court System	Thomson Reuters - West	317.98
Recorder	Office City Express	1450.32
Recorder	Kemper, Travis	375
Prosecuting Attorney	Gordon Flesch Co, Inc.	106.33
Prosecuting Attorney	Lexis-Nexis	908.66
Prosecuting Attorney	Lexis-Nexis	132.33
Prosecuting Attorney Prosecuting Attorney	Microsystems Inc Gordon Flesch Co, Inc.	548.33 0.36
Prosecuting Attorney	Gordon Flesch Co, Inc.	378.57
Probate Court	Government Forms and Suppl	
Probate Court	Government Forms and Suppl	
Probate Court	Hill, Laura J.	200
Probate Court	MATTHEW SUTHERLAND	64.48
Probate Court	J. JEFFREY BENSON	281.82
Probate Court	Amazon Capital Services	238
Probate Court	Amazon Capital Services	177.74
Probate Court	Glacier Mountain Bottled Wate	6.75
Planning Commission	Kim Hardesty	35.88
Planning Commission	Bricker Graydon LLP	38590
Planning Commission	Amazon Capital Services	24.52
Planning Commission	Ohio Regional Development C	5213
Planning Commission	Ross County Treasurer	5013
Planning Commission	American Structure Point, Inc	38250
Litter Control	Menards	208.04
Litter Control	Wex Bank	360.33
Law Library	Glo Fiber	66.36
Law Library	West Group	4134
Juvenile Court	JUDY TOWLER	352.5
Juvenile Court	JEFFREY TATMAN	158.53
Juvenile Court	King, Kristen	1410
Juvenile Court	King, Kristen	703.75
Juvenile Court Juvenile Court	Amazon Capital Services	22.99 270.6
Juvenile Court Juvenile Court	Government Forms and Suppl MATTHEW SUTHERLAND	270.6
Juvenile Court	Amazon Capital Services	288.74
Juvenile Court	Ryan M Reeves	290.4
Juvenile Court	JBI,LTD	2500
Juvenile Court	Amazon Capital Services	492.96
Juvenile Court	Amazon Capital Services	15.99
Juvenile Court	Amazon Capital Services	642.18
Juvenile Court	Glacier Mountain Bottled Wate	
Juvenile Court	Ohio Bar Liability Insurance Co	
Juvenile Court	Lighthouse Youth Services	5416.67
Juvenile Court	Lighthouse Youth Services	2387.16
Juvenile Court	Lighthouse Youth Services	2916.67
Juvenile Court	Peachtree Electronic Monitorii	1199
Juvenile Court	King, Kristen	630
Engineer	Ace Truck Body, Inc.	1016.35
Engineer	Rush Truck Centers of Ohio	8772.63
Engineer	US Safety Gear, Inc.	811.26
Engineer	Tow Path Materials	249.4
Engineer	Southern Ohio Equipment Co.	210
Engineer	Rumpke Of Ohio, Inc	220.7
Engineer	Printex Printing	184.19
Building Department	Shelley, Joshua	10575
Building Department	Accurate Heating & Cooling	283.25
Building Department	Hettinger, Joshua R.	33.95
Building Department	DAVID BITLER	39.98
Board of Elections	Go2lTGroup	3648.88
Board of Elections	Election Systems & Software,	515
Auditor	Fried, Claire R. Attorney At La	1597.5
Auditor Auditor	Benson, Melinda J Barrington, James E.	862.5 1191.5
Auditor Auditor	Benson, Melinda J	1087.5
Auditor Auditor	Rutherford, Chase Colin	817.5
Auditor	Rutherford, Chase Colin	487.5
Auditor	Rutherford, Chase Colin	1470
Auditor	Rutherford, Chase Colin	1732.5
Auditor	Rutherford, Chase Colin	2647.5
Auditor	Rutherford, Chase Colin	300
Auditor	Rutherford, Chase Colin	300
Auditor	Glo Fiber	672.97
Auditor	Glo Fiber	1078
Auditor	Glo Fiber	3086.66
Auditor Auditor	Gannett Ohio LocaliQ Wex Bank	5117.52 75.77
Auditor Auditor	Wex Bank Litter Quality Propane Gas	75.77 5277.9
Auditor Auditor	Appraisal Research Corp.	38336,49
Auditor	Glacier Mountain Bottled Wate	29
Auditor	Rich & Gillis Law Group LLC	940.97
Adult Probation	JT's Auto and Truck Glass Inc	576
Adult Probation	American Probation and Parol	600
Adult Probation	Jack's Tire & Auto Center, Inc.	263.42
Adult Probation	VERISMA	19.2
Adult Probation	Sports Plus	106.3
Adult Probation	Galls, LLC	72.17
Adult Probation	Amazon Capital Services	59.48
	Amazon Capital Services Verizon Wireless Amazon Capital Services	59.48 88.5 29.68

Engineer	Office City Express	42.66	
Engineer	Melvin Stone Co.	6462.35	
Engineer	ngineer Master Locksmith and Safe S		
Engineer	Lightle Enterprises of Ohio LLC	332.88	
Engineer	Kenworth Truck Co.	1492.22	
Engineer	Kenworth Truck Co.	39.81	
Engineer	Hart, Linda	500	
Engineer	Dexter Company	302.75	
Engineer	Clemans, Nelson & Associates	667.22	
Engineer	Clemans, Nelson & Associates	795.5	
Engineer	Cintas Corporation #530	152.47	
Engineer	Cintas Corporation #530	85.14	
Engineer	Brian Knoles	43.5	
Engineer	Adena Health System	100	
Dog Warden	Glo Fiber	130.95	
Dog Warden	Tim's Tires & Accessories	267.2	
Dog Warden	Tim's Tires & Accessories	27.75	
Coroner	Mark Gray	15	
Coroner	Central Center, LLC	656.9°	
Common Pleas Court #2	Abby Atwood	74	
Common Pleas Court #1	MICHAEL M. ATER	541.4°	
Commissioners	Office City Express	175.18	
Commissioners	S.O.S. Electric	2450	
Commissioners	State Electric Supply, Inc.	13.32	
Commissioners	Lowe's	1049.2	
Commissioners	JCKL Architects	3700	
Commissioners	S.O.S. Electric	3697.2	
Commissioners	Bricker Graydon LLP	9456.25	
Commissioners	Jack Everson	488.18	
Commissioners	K&K Carpet Care of Chillicothe	306.2	
Commissioners	K&K Carpet Care of Chillicothe		
Commissioners	Moody's of Dayton, Inc	9805	
Commissioners	Central Auto Parts	105	
Commissioners	Schooley Caldwell Associates	64.32	
Commissioners	Schindler Elevator Corporation	5342.16	
Commissioners	Chillicothe Utilities Dept.	756.35	
Commissioners	Juvenile Detention Center	52441.93	
Commissioners	First Capital Enterprises	14158.7	
Commissioners	Thomas Gas Services, Inc.	7.35	
Commissioners	American Electric Power	5863.83	
Commissioners	Worly Plumbing Supply, Inc.	248.87	
Commissioners	Treasurer of State	202.5	
Commissioners	Southern Ohio Shredding LLQ	389.2	
Commissioners	Office City Express	141.65	
Commissioners	CORSA	3500	
Commissioners	Coughlin Chevrolet of Chillicot	144.73	
Commissioners	Integrated Protection Services		
Clerk of Courts	Covius Document Services, LI		
Clerk of Courts	Glacier Mountain Bottled Wate		
Building Department	Quill Corporation	155.81	
Building Department	City of Chillicothe Building Dep		
	Toole & Associates	455	
Building Department Building Department	Treasurer, State of Ohio/BBS	11.5	
Building Department	Treasurer, State of Ohio/BBS	744.44	

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

# THEN & NOW CERTIFICATES APPROVED

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, the Ross County Board of Commissioners approve "Then & Now" Certificates, dated December 2 through December 16, 2024, in the amount of \$81,097.87 prepared by the Office of the Ross County Auditor and certified by the auditor as to the appropriation of funds for the purpose of encumbering the sum of the contract(s) or order(s) outlined therein, or the imminent collection of funds for credit to the appropriated fund(s) of the county, and as to the availability of funds for transfer within the appropriate department(s).

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

## **APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS**

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to appropriate \$9,841.25 from General fund into account code 100-01-00-7942 Transfer to VOCA, per a request of December 16, 2024, from the Ross County Auditor.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to appropriate \$1,000.00 from Magistrate General Fund, into account code 100-11-54-7012 PERS, per a request, of December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Court Administrator.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

#### TRANSFER OF FUNDS

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to transfer \$17,000.00 from account codes 100-02-00-7012 PERS Auditor (\$3,169.01), account code 100-02-00-7014 Group Ins-Auditor (1,695.76), account code 100-02-00-7101 Advertising Printing (\$230.15), account code 100-02-00-7001 Salaries employees (\$3,000.00), account code 100-02-00-7214 Equipment Lease/Purchase (\$606.06), account code 100-02-00-7550 Other Expenses (\$1,500.00), account code 100-02-41-7012 PERS Auditor MH (\$5,961.53) and account code 100-02-41-7150 Supplies (\$171.56), into account code 100-02-00-7103 Contract Services, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Auditor.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to transfer \$139.20 from account code 208-02-00-7103 Contract Services, into account code 208-02-00-7137 BOR Expenses, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Auditor.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to transfer \$900.00 from account code 100-01-04-7014 Group Insurance Mntc., into account code 100-01-04-7017 Medicare Mntc., \$722.52 from account code 100-01-03-7014 Group Insurance Bldg. into account code PERS Bldg., \$268.07 from account code 100-01-23-7017 Medicare Bldg. into account code 100-01-23-7012 PERS Building, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Commissioners.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to transfer \$2,700.00 from account codes 100-03-00-7200 Equipment (\$1,000.00) and account code 100-03-00-7100 Travel (\$1,700.00), into account code 100-03-00-7150 Supplies, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Auditor.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to transfer \$469.26 from account code 207-01-00-7154 Recycling Cost, into account code 207-01-00-7012 PERS, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Litter Control.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to transfer \$1,000.00 from account code 100-03-00-7014 Group Insurance, into account code 100-03-00-7012 PERS, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Treasurer.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to transfer \$20,000.00 from account code 100-08-00-7214 Equipment Lease/Purchase, into account code 100-08-00-7103 Contract Services, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County IT Department.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to transfer \$4,144.00 from account code 100-04-00-7550 Other Expenses, into account code 100-04-00-7012 PERS Pros. Atty., per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Prosecutor.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to transfer \$15,000.00 from account code 100-18-00-7001 Juvenile, into account code 100-08-00-7103 Contract Services, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County IT Department.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to transfer \$15,000.00 from account code 100-18-00-7001 Juvenile Salary, into account code 100-19-00-7001 Probate Salary, \$6,000.00 from account code 100-18-21-7001 IV-E Salary, into account code 100-18-52-7001 JPD Salary, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Juvenile Probate Court.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to transfer \$7,300.00 from account codes 100-18-21-7012 IVE PERS (\$1,500.00), from account code 100-18-00-7014 Group Insurance (\$4,300.00), from account code 100-18-21-7012 Probate Misc/other (\$850.00), into account code 100-19-00-7012 Probate PERS, and \$100.00 from account code 100-18-00-7017 Juvenile Medicare into account code 100-19-00-7017 Probate Medicare, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Juvenile Probate Courts.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to transfer \$1,900.00 from account code 100-20-00-7157 Postage, into account code 100-20-00-7012 PERS, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Clerk of Courts.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to transfer \$14,027.98, from account code 212-29-01-7103 Contract Services, into account code 212-29-01-7200 Equipment, \$1,355.71 from account code 212-29-58-7001 Salaries Employees into account code 212-29-58-7012 PERS, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Sheriff.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to transfer \$10,228.78 from account code 233-46-53-7001 Salaries Direct Services, into account codes 233-46-11-7001 Salaries Direct Services Community Residential (\$1,000.00), account code 233-46-21-7012 PERS Indirect (\$7,378.65) account code 233-46-54-7012 PERS Direct Services Child Unassigned (\$43.67), account code 233-46-76012 PERS Physical Therapy (\$243.86) and account code 233-46-90-7012 PERS Service and Support Administration, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Board of DD.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to transfer \$4,790.87 from account code 100-30-00-7001 Payroll, into account code 100-30-00-7014 Group Insurance, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Recorder.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to transfer \$2,316.13 from account code 420-20-18-7200 Equipment, into account codes 420-20-18-7012 PERS (\$754.57) and account code 420-20-18-7014 Group Insurance, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Common Pleas Court Admin.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to transfer \$223.44 from account code 420-16-01-7200 Equipment, into account code 420-16-01-7012 PERS, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Common Pleas Court Admin.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to transfer \$554.23 from account code 420-11-37-7013 Workers Comp, into account code 420-11-37-7012 PERS, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Common Pleas Court Admin.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to transfer \$626.11 from account code 226-60-00-7001 Salaries Employees, into account codes 226-60-00-7012 PERS and account code 226-60-00-7014 Group Insurance, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Commissioners.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to transfer \$200 from account code 224-20-0-7550 Reimbursements, into account code 224-20-7012 PERS and \$79.60 from account code 224-20-00-7200 Equipment into account code 224-20-00-7014 Group Insurance, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Common Pleas Court Admin.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to transfer \$145.60 from account code 203-02-00-7001 Salaries Employees, into account code 203-02-00-7012 PERS, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Auditor.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to transfer \$684.54 from account code 203-02-00-7001 Salaries Employees, into account code 203-32-00-7012 PERS, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Commissioners.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to transfer \$300.00 from account code 100-26-00-7101 Advertising Printing, into account code 100-26-00-7550 Other Expenses, \$2,000.00 from account code 100-26-00-7101 Advertising Printing into account code 100-26-00-7150 Supplies, \$13,000.00 from account code 100-26-00-7147 Election Workers Comp into account code 100-66-00-7150 Supplies, \$30,000.00 from account code 100-26-00-7200 Equipment into account code 100-26-00-7012 PERS BOE and \$101.38 from account code 100-26-00-7100 Travel into account coce 100-26-42-7800 Reimburse State, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Board of Elections.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to transfer \$1,209.02 from account code 100-58-00-7200 Equipment, into account codes 100-58-00-7012 PERS (\$1,020.15) and account code 100-58-00-7014 Insurance Engineer and \$34,724.57 from account code 210-58-66-7204 Contract/Projects into account codes 210-58-66-7012 PERS (\$20,675.03) account code 210-58-66-7104 Insurance (\$13,049.54) and account code 210-58-66-7107 Medicare (\$1,000.00), per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Engineer.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to transfer \$1,320.66 into account code 208-02-00-7012 PERS from account codes 208-02-00-7000 Salaries Officials (\$34.53), account code 208-02-00-7001 Salaries Employees (\$792.64), account code 208-02-00-7017 Medicare (\$50.00), account code 208-02-00-7012 Contract Services (\$443.49), per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Auditor.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to transfer \$5,417.17 from account codes 100-20-00-7157 Postage (\$5,000.00), and account code 100-20-00-7200 Equipment (\$417.17) into account code 100-20-00-7150 Supplies, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Clerk of Courts.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to transfer \$714.00 from account code 215-15-00-7001into account codes 215-15-00-7017 Medicare (\$140.00) and account code 215-15-00-7012 PERS, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County EMA.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to transfer \$9,841.25 from account code 100-00-0010 General, into account code 420-99-39-5901 VOCA/SVAA, per a request December 16, 2024 from the Ross County Auditor.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried

# DOG WARDEN CAMPER SHELL QUOTE APPROVED

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to approve a quote from McGuire's Distinctive Trucks LLC for an eight foot camper shell for the Dog Wardens new truck at a cost of \$2,538.00.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

# TIME SHEET APPROVED - COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, the Ross County Board of Commissioners approve the time sheet submitted by Bradford M. Cosenza, County Administrator for the pay period ending December 14, 2024.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

#### ACGP BLACKHORSE INN PROJECT DESIGN FIRM AMENDMENT

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to approve a contract amendment for the ACGP Blackhorse Inn project. The Basic Services fees to be paid to the Architect are increased by \$200,000 for exhibit design as outlined in Exhibit A of the Amendment.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

### JANITOR SUPERVISOR WAGE ADJUSTMENT

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to adjust the wage of the Janitor Supervisor, Loretta Kellough by \$2.00 an hour beginning the first pay in January 2025.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

#### OFFICE SPACE LEASE ROSS COUNTY SERVICE CENTER REPRESENTATIVE DAVID TAYLOR

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to enter into a lease agreement with State Representative David Taylor, for office space at the Ross County Service Center at a monthly fee of \$30.00.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

#### AIRPORT DESIGN WORK AMENDMENT

Mr. Everson moved, Mr. Lowe seconded, to approve an amendment to design work on the Ross County Shoemaker Airport. A blast pad will be installed at the end of the runway for an additional \$2,700.00.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

## AGREEMENT BETWEEN OWNER AND ARCHITECT SCHOOLEY CALDWELL ASSOCIATES INC

Mr. Lowe moved, Mr. Everson seconded, to enter into an agreement with Schooley Caldwell Associates, Inc. for the Ross County Courthouse Exterior Restoration Project. The Architect was selected by the Owner following the qualification-based selection process required by Ohio Revised Code Sections 153.65, et seq. to provide professional design services to the Owner. The Owner reserves the right to add additional scope and services that are in accordance with the Request for Qualifications ("RFO"), as further improvements are identified and funds are available. Total project design costs are \$565,000.00 plus \$13,500.00 reimbursable for a total of \$578,500.00.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

The following proclamation was passed at the regular meeting of the Ross County Board of Commissioners, December 9, 2024, with Dwight A. Garrett, James E. Lowe and Jack A. Everson in attendance.

# PROCLAMATION OF THE BOARD OF ROSS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS HONORING RETIRING COUNTY COMMISSIONER DWIGHT A. GARRETT

**WHEREAS**, The Ross County Board of Commissioners, with the utmost pride and appreciation, acknowledge the retirement of Commissioner Dwight A. Garrett after serving his community for 8 years; and

WHEREAS, Dwight Garrett began his service with Ross County on January 2, 2017; and

WHEREAS, in his first term as County Commissioner, he worked with the County Engineer and Ohio Department of Transportation to complete the Ohio 207 connector, helped to establish a countywide emergency notification system, completed the Service Center expansion project which increased square footage for the BMV and Title Departments, and purchased the LCNB building for future plans to house county offices; and

WHEREAS, his biggest challenge came during the COVID19 Pandemic. Applying for Cares Act funds, Ross County was able to help county residents displaced from their jobs, with assistance to pay utility bills, rent and mortgages; and

**WHEREAS**, Commissioner Garrett's focus has been on promoting the growth of commerce, business and industry and Ross County's reputation as a great place to live, work, conduct business and raise a family; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure Dwight has led and organized a variety of initiatives, including securing funds to renovate the Ross County Law Complex, restore the exterior of the historic Ross County Courthouse and to build the St. Rt. 104 sewer line, and was a major player in bringing the UNESCO World Heritage Designation to the Hopewell Ceremonial Earthworks, and;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** the County Commissioners and the citizens of Ross County wish to thank Dwight Garrett for his visionary guidance during his eight years of service and to extend best wishes for his continued health and happiness in his retirement and any future ventures.

On call of the roll, the vote was: Mr. Lowe, yes; Mr. Everson, yes; Mr. Garrett, yes. Motion carried.

# OTHER BUSINESS

Melody Young, Executive Director Ross-Chillicothe Visitors Bureau – provided the Wayfinding project close out report.

## **ADJOURN**

Mr. Dwight A. Garrett, President, adjourned the regular meeting of September 9, 2024, at 1:00 a.m. Board of Commissioners of Ross County, Ohio

Dwight A. Garrett, President

James E. Lowe, Vice President

Jack A. Everson, Commissioner