

CAMBRIA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Minutes

November 15, 2018

**Ebensburg, PA
October 25, 2018**

Commissioners Thomas C. Chernisky, B.J. Smith, and Mark J. Wissinger present.

**Ebensburg, PA
October 26, 2018**

Commissioners Thomas C. Chernisky, B.J. Smith, and Mark J. Wissinger present.

**Ebensburg, PA
October 29, 2018**

Commissioners Thomas C. Chernisky, B.J. Smith, and Mark J. Wissinger present.

**Ebensburg, PA
October 30, 2018**

Commissioners Thomas C. Chernisky, B.J. Smith, and Mark J. Wissinger present.

**Ebensburg, PA
October 31, 2018**

Commissioners Thomas C. Chernisky, B.J. Smith, and Mark J. Wissinger present.

**Ebensburg, PA
November 1, 2018**

Commissioners Thomas C. Chernisky, B.J. Smith, and Mark J. Wissinger present.

**Ebensburg, PA
November 2, 2018**

Commissioners Thomas C. Chernisky, B.J. Smith, and Mark J. Wissinger present.

**Ebensburg, PA
November 5, 2018**

Commissioners Thomas C. Chernisky, B.J. Smith, and Mark J. Wissinger present.

**Ebensburg, PA
November 6, 2018**

Commissioners Thomas C. Chernisky, B.J. Smith, and Mark J. Wissinger present.

**Ebensburg, PA
November 7, 2018**

Commissioners Thomas C. Chernisky, B.J. Smith, and Mark J. Wissinger present.

**Ebensburg, PA
November 8, 2018**

Commissioners Thomas C. Chernisky, B.J. Smith, and Mark J. Wissinger present.

**Ebensburg, PA
November 9, 2018**

Commissioners Thomas C. Chernisky, B.J. Smith, and Mark J. Wissinger present.

**Ebensburg, PA
November 12, 2018**

Courthouse Closed Due to the Observance of Veterans Day.

**Ebensburg, PA
November 13, 2018**

Commissioners Thomas C. Chernisky, B.J. Smith, and Mark J. Wissinger present.

**Ebensburg, PA
November 14, 2018**

Commissioners Thomas C. Chernisky, B.J. Smith, and Mark J. Wissinger present.

Commissioners in Session.

Call to Order was made by President Commissioner Thomas C. Chernisky, in the third floor Commissioners' Meeting Room at the Cambria County Courthouse, Ebensburg, at 10:05 a.m.

Motion was made by Commissioner Wissinger to waive the reading of the Minutes of October 25, 2018, but to approve them and place them on file.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Smith and passed unanimously.

Public Comment:

There was no public comment.

A Proclamation was presented for #GivingTuesday.

COMMISSIONERS

Motion was made by Commissioner Smith to approve the 2019 Holiday Schedule.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Wissinger and passed unanimously.

Agreements:

Motion was made by Commissioner Wissinger to approve the Marketing License Agreement between Zamias Services, Inc., and the Cambria County Department of Emergency Services for window/display space at the Galleria Johnstown.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Smith and passed unanimously.

Motion was made by Commissioner Smith to approve the Civil/Site Engineering Services Agreement with the EADS Group, for the arch culvert replacement project at Duman Park, in the amount of \$9,500.00.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Wissinger and passed unanimously.

Motion was made by Commissioner Wissinger to approve the Agreement between Cambria County SERT and Nanty Glo Borough.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Smith and passed unanimously.

Contracts (Provided Funding is Available):

Motion was made by Commissioner Wissinger to approve five (5) Service Contracts for Cambria County Children & Youth FY 2018-2019 Budget:

A Second Chance, Inc.

Cert #	Unit ID	Service Provided	Rate	Title IV-E Unallowable	Title IV-E Allowable	Allow Maint	Allow Admin
465450	AA	Foster Care-Kinship Regular	\$49.08				
465450	BB	Foster Care-Kinship Regular	\$52.75				
465450	CC	Foster Care-Kinship Regular	\$55.85				
465450	DD	Foster Care-Kinship Regular	\$60.95				

John J. Kuzmiak, Esquire

Service Provided	Rate
Legal Representation (to include court litigation and appeals)	\$80.00/hour
Training	\$80.00/hour

Northern Children's Services

Service Provided	Rate
Initial Home Visit	\$200.00/visit
Home Safety Inspection to access the plan of correction	\$100.00/inspection
Transportation	\$.54/mile
*Northern Children's Services will not provide case management services.	

Glen Mills Schools

Cert #	Unit ID	Service Provided	Rate	Title IV-E Unallowable	Title IV-E Allowable	Allow Maint	Allow Admin
113050, 113060, 112970, 112880, 112980, 112960, 112890, 113010, 112920, 112940, 113020, 112860, 137300, 113030	IR	Residential Intensive Restitution Program	\$168.59 per diem				
113050, 113060, 112970, 112880, 112980, 112960, 112890, 113010, 112920, 112940, 113020, 112860, 137300, 113030	RR	Residential Program	\$146.95 per diem				
		Community Management Services (CMS)	\$58.50				

Pathways Adolescent Center, Inc.

Cert #	Unit ID	Service Provided	Rate	Title IV-E Unallowable	Title IV-E Allowable	Allow Maint	Allow Admin
435970	TL	Transitional Living #2, Supervised Transitional Living	\$135.00/day				
437370	TL	Transitional Living #3, Supervised Transitional Living	\$135.00/day				
402630	PA	Pathways Adolescent Center, Residential Program	\$140.00/day				
406990	PA	Pathways Adolescent Center, Residential Program	\$140.00/day				
416290	NB	Pathways Adolescent Center, New Beginnings Group Home	\$145.00/day				

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Smith and passed unanimously.

Motion was made by Commissioner Wissinger to approve three (3) Service Contracts for Cambria County BH/ID & EI FY 2018-2019 Budget:

SERVICE PROVIDERS	BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES	CONTRACT AMOUNT
accessAbilities, Inc.	Occupational, physical, and speech therapy along with special instruction, including special instruction for nutrition for Cambria County's Early Intervention Program	\$10,000.00
Bayada Home Health Care	Family aide services for base funded non-waiver consumers	\$2,942.40
Independent Family Services, Inc.	Family-based behavioral health services	\$10,000.00

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Smith and passed unanimously.

Motion was made by Commissioner Wissinger to approve one (1) Service Contract for Cambria County Drug and Alcohol FY 2018-2019 Budget:

SERVICE PROVIDERS	BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES	CONTRACT AMOUNT
Familylinks, Inc.	Drug and alcohol abuse treatment, prevention, and other services	\$207.00 per day

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Smith and passed unanimously.

Bid:

Motion was made by Commissioner Wissinger to approve the bid of J.M. DeLullo Stone of Kersey, Pennsylvania, for stone and silt sock for the Glendale Lake Shoreline Stabilization Project, Phase V, in the amount of \$25,490.00.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Smith and passed unanimously.

Resignation:

Motion was made by Commissioner Smith to approve the resignation of Thomas Callihan from the Cambria County War Memorial Authority Board, effective immediately.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Wissinger and passed unanimously.

Appointment:

Motion was made by Commissioner Wissinger to approve the appointment of Christopher Glessner to the Cambria County War Memorial Authority Board, to fill an unexpired term, beginning November 15, 2018, and ending December 31, 2019.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Smith and passed unanimously.

Reappointments:

Motion was made by Commissioner Smith to approve the reappointment of Robert Davis to the Cambria County Conservation District Board to serve a 4-year term beginning January 1, 2019, and ending December 31, 2022.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Wissinger and passed unanimously.

Motion was made by Commissioner Smith to approve the reappointment of Thomas C. Chernisky to the Cambria County Conservation District Board to serve a 1-year term beginning January 1, 2019, and ending December 31, 2019.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Wissinger and passed unanimously.

Tax Refund:

Motion was made by Commissioner Wissinger to approve a tax refund to the Estate of Clinton Stewart, Sr., Map No. 49-009.-103.001, for the following years and amounts:

2018 - \$10.05	2017 - \$10.05	2016 - \$10.05
2015 - \$10.05	2014 - \$10.05	2013 - \$10.05

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Smith and passed unanimously.

Tax Exonerations:

Motion was made by Commissioner Smith to authorize and direct the Tax Claim Bureau Director to strike, from the records in her office, taxes plus penalty, interest, and fees assessed against:

Control No.	Map No.	Assessed Name	Municipality	Exonerate
71-132	71-005.-409.000	Two Hundred Lincoln Street, LLC	Johnstown 1 st Ward	2015 through 2017 taxes. Offered at 10-5-18 Judicial Sale; no bidder. Property now available for Repository.
7-8091	07-007.-203.000	Furman, Casimir J. & Patricia A.	Brownstown Borough	2016 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
7-8320	07-004.-106.000	Johnson, Cynthia L.	Brownstown Borough	2016 through 2017 taxes. Transfer missed. Purchased by Brownstown Borough 5/29/15 at Private Sale (exempt entity).
28-19222	28-009.-409.000	627, LLC	Ferndale Borough	2014 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
30-22011	30-015.-213.000	Novak, Ronald P.	Gallitzin Borough	2005 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
30-22174	30-016.-101.000	Dashner, Bernard J. & Nancy	Gallitzin Borough	2010 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
30-22886	30-019.-222.000	Novak, Ronald P. & Lisa A.	Gallitzin Borough	2008 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
30-118023	30-019.-108.001	Veazey, Julie	Gallitzin Borough	2016 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
35-17373	35-005.-209.000	Burns, George J.	Lilly Borough 1 st Ward	2013 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
37-17957	37-003.-237.000	Rodda, Jon	Lorain Borough	2013 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
42-21731	42-007.-205.000	Redevelopment Authority of Cambria County	Nanty Glo Borough 1 st Ward	2008 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
42-21819	42-002.-200.000	Ondriezek, Alvin P. & Iris A.	Nanty Glo Borough 1 st Ward	2008 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
45-25525	45-002.-221.000	Zemrose, Louis	Patton Borough 2 nd Ward	2002 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
48-65503	48-045.-102.000	Miller, Joseph E., Jr. & Plummer, Diane	Portage Township	2008 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
55-30476	55-017.-411.000	Hurrell, Isabelle D.	Southmont Borough	2012 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
55-119324	55-017.-410.001	Hurrell, Isabelle D.	Southmont Borough	2012 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.

56-13087	56-090. -403.000	Capenos, W.R.	Northern Cambria Borough	2015 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
56-13158	56-097. -107.000	Hoover, Richard A. & Debra S.	Northern Cambria Borough	2008 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
56-13159	56-096. -301.000	Hoover, Richard A. & Debra S.	Northern Cambria Borough	2008 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
56-14105	56-076. -401.000	HTW, LLC	Northern Cambria Borough	2009 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
56-119162	56-096. -107.000	Hoover, Richard A.	Northern Cambria Borough	2008 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
56-119456	56-096. -402.001	Hoover, Richard A. & Debra S.	Northern Cambria Borough	2008 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
65-100542	65-001. -102.005	SJF Co.	West Carroll Township	2014 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
67-82163	67-015. -229.001	Beltz, Justin James	West Taylor Township	2012 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
67-105859	67-015. -229.002	Beltz, Justin James	West Taylor Township	2012 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
77-1669	77-018. -221.000	Triplin, Jacky W.	Johnstown 7 th Ward	2015 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
77-1756	77-015. -314.000	Renewed Hope Enterprises, Inc.	Johnstown 7 th Ward	2007 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
77-2475	77-002. -502.000	Dynacom Industries, Inc.	Johnstown 7 th Ward	2010 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
77-2476	77-003. -101.000	Dynacom Industries, Inc.	Johnstown 7 th Ward	2006 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
86-6075	86-003. -407.000	End Poverty Now, Inc.	Johnstown 16 th Ward	2015 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
86-6076	86-003. -403.000	End Poverty Now, Inc.	Johnstown 16 th Ward	2015 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
86-6077	86-003. -402.000	End Poverty Now, Inc.	Johnstown 16 th Ward	2015 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
86-118271	86-005. -110.000	MTR, Inc.	Johnstown 16 th Ward	1998 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
90-11956	90-015. -102.000	Kelly, Michael	Johnstown 20 th Ward	2012 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.
90-12639	90-021. -119.000	Rose, Dorothy V.	Johnstown 20 th Ward	2015 through 2017 taxes. Sold at 10/5/18 Judicial Sale.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Wissinger and passed unanimously.

PERSONNEL ACTIONS

New Hires:

Motion was made by Commissioner Wissinger to hire Benjamin Berkebile, Full-Time Accountant I for Children & Youth Service, (Paygrade 43-H/\$27,571.18 annually), effective November 26, 2018. (Employment is contingent upon successful completion of pre-employment health screenings).

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Smith and passed unanimously.

Motion was made by Commissioner Wissinger to hire Shannon Zarnesky, Full-Time Caseworker I for Children & Youth Service, (Paygrade 41-E/\$26,911.54 annually), effective November 26, 2018. (Employment is contingent upon successful completion of pre-employment health screenings).

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Smith and passed unanimously.

Transfers:

Motion was made by Commissioner Smith to transfer Hugh Balsinger, Per-Diem DUI Counseling Assistant for DUI, (Paygrade 32-X/\$200.00 per day), to Per-Diem Legal DUI Counselor for DUI, (Paygrade 32-U/\$150.00 per day), effective October 6, 2018.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Wissinger and passed unanimously.

Motion was made by Commissioner Smith to transfer Rebecca Fox, Full-Time Department Clerk II for the Prison, (Paygrade 9-E/\$11.97 per hour), to Full-Time Prison Counselor (Temporary) for the Prison, (Paygrade 32-K/\$19.22 per hour), effective November 5, 2018.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Wissinger and passed unanimously.

Motion was made by Commissioner Smith to transfer David Behe, Per-Diem Correctional Officer I for the Prison, (Paygrade 26-A/\$11.71 per hour), to Full-Time Correctional Officer I for the Prison, (Paygrade 26-A/\$18.95 per hour), effective December 2, 2018.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Wissinger and passed unanimously.

Remove from Payroll:

Motion was made by Commissioner Wissinger to remove Brett Smith, Per-Diem Legal DUI Counselor for DUI, (Paygrade 32-U/\$150.00 per day), effective September 28, 2018.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Chernisky and passed with a 2 to 1 vote, with Commissioner Smith abstaining.

Motion was made by Commissioner Wissinger to remove Bradley Klemann, Full-Time Telecommunicator III for the Department of Emergency Services, (Paygrade 35-F/\$18.71 per hour), effective November 26, 2018.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Chernisky and passed with a 2 to 1 vote, with Commissioner Smith abstaining.

Motion was made by Commissioner Wissinger to remove Timothy Grose, Full-Time Case Management Specialist, (Paygrade 43-E/\$28,571.66 annually), effective November 22, 2018.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Chernisky and passed with a 2 to 1 vote, with Commissioner Smith abstaining.

Motion was made by Commissioner Wissinger to remove Linda Gongloff, Full-Time Correctional Officer I for the Prison, (Paygrade 26-A/\$21.77 per hour), effective December 1, 2018.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Chernisky and passed with a 2 to 1 vote, with Commissioner Smith abstaining.

Motion was made by Commissioner Wissinger to remove Daniel Penatzer, Per-Diem Department of Emergency Services Specialist for the Department of Emergency Services, (Paygrade 49-Y/\$650.00 per week), effective November 16, 2018.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Chernisky and passed with a 2 to 1 vote, with Commissioner Smith abstaining.

Rescind:

Motion was made by Commissioner Smith to rescind Tina Latoche, Full-Time Clerk Typist II for the Election Office, (Paygrade 9-B/\$12.02 per hour), to Full-Time Public Safety Administrative Clerk for the Department of Emergency Services, (Paygrade 21-J/\$12.62 per hour), effective November 12, 2018.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Wissinger and passed unanimously.

Commissioner Chernisky stated that the next regular Commissioners' meeting will be held on Thursday, December 6, 2018, at 10:00 a.m., at the Cambria County Courthouse.

Adjournment:

Motion was made by Commissioner Smith to adjourn the meeting.

Motion was seconded by Commissioner Wissinger and passed unanimously.

Michael Gelles, IV, Chief Clerk