

CAMBRIA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Salary Board

January 22, 2026

10:00 a.m.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Moment of Silence.

Call to Order.

Public Comment.

Approve the Salary Board Minutes of December 18, 2025.

Salary Modification:

- 1. Full-Time Director of Training and Recruitment for the Prison, (Paygrade 67-F/\$61,179.04 [2080 hours] annually) to (Paygrade 67-F/\$57,155.28 [2080 hours] annually), effective February 2, 2026.**

Adjournment.

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Agenda

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10:00 a.m.

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Public Comment.

Approve the Minutes of the Commissioners' Meeting held January 8, 2026.

COMMISSIONERS

Notice of Executive Sessions:

1. January 20, 2026, meeting with Agency Department Heads.
2. January 20, 2026, meeting with Human Resources and Solicitor.

Mileage:

Approve adjusting the mileage reimbursement rate for 2026, from \$.70 to \$.725 per mile, pursuant to IRS guidelines, effective January 1, 2026.

Lease:

Approve the Lease with Nulton Diagnostic Treatment Center, for space at the Central Park Complex Building, beginning January 1, 2026, and ending June 30, 2027, at a rate of \$3,974.55 monthly.

Agreements:

Approve the Assessment Agreement with Patrick J. Zirpoli Consulting & Investigation to provide a comprehensive evaluation of practices, policies, risks, and recommendations for the Cambria County Prison, in the amount of \$11,000.00, to be paid out of the Prison Commissary Fund.

Approve the Agreement with Bedford County to house juveniles at the Cambria County Prison, beginning January 1, 2026, and ending December 31, 2026, at a rate of \$150.00 per inmate, per day.

Contract (Providing Funding is Available):

Approve one (1) Service Contract for Cambria County Children & Youth Service Fiscal Year 2025-2026.

George Junior Republic in Pennsylvania

Cert No.	Unit ID	Service Provided	Rate
Multiple 407640	RG	Regular Residential	\$329.30/day
Multiple 408140	SN	Special Needs	\$412.19/day
Multiple 408210	DA	Drug & Alcohol	\$340.01/day
407920	DX	Diagnostic	\$353.45/day

Multiple 407830	IS	Intensive Supervision	\$526.83/day
454420	SD	GJR Secure	\$730.99/day
Multiple 408120	SM	Special Needs M.A.	\$199.65/day
Multiple 408210	DM	Drug & Alcohol M.A.	\$82.94/day
407510	TR	Therapeutic Residence for Adolescent – Complex Cases	Determined by individual county contract.

Approve three (3) Service Contracts for Cambria County BHDS Fiscal Year 2025-2026.

<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Service Provided</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Greater Johnstown Landlord Association	Performs any duties as they relate to Housing & Urban Development (HUD), Point in Time Outreach, as well as in the development and coordination of the Single Point Entry Housing Process.	\$55,365.00
Greater Johnstown Landlord Association	Provider shall operate the day-to-day operations in the execution of Cambria County's Comprehensive Housing Rental Assistance Program.	\$155,256.00
Alleghenies Unlimited Care Providers, Inc.	Provides transportation according to ODP waiver & non-waiver regulations.	\$4,308.00

Appointment:

Approve appointing Dr. Brandi Penatzer to the Cambria County Redevelopment Authority Board, for a 5-year term, beginning January 22, 2026, and ending December 31, 2030.

PERSONNEL ACTIONS

New Hire:

1. Chad Roberge, Full-Time Caseworker I for Children & Youth Service, (Paygrade 52-C/\$44,167.50 [1950 hours] annually), effective February 2, 2026. (Employment is contingent upon successful completion of pre-employment health screening).

Transfers:

1. Jeremy Smick, Full-Time Counselor for the Prison, (Paygrade 32-K/\$54,433.60 [2080 hours] annually), to Full-Time Director of Training and Recruitment for the Prison, (Paygrade 67-F/\$57,155.28 [2080 hours] annually), effective February 2, 2026.

2. Faith Smith, Full-Time Account Clerk II/Float for the Recorder of Deeds Office, (Paygrade 11-A/\$14.48 [1820 hours] per hour), to Full-Time UPI Assistant/Clerk III for the Recorder of Deeds Office, (Paygrade 16-C/\$15.20 [1820 hours] per hour), effective February 2, 2026.

Remove from Payroll:

1. George Rozum, Full-Time Chief Deputy Warden of Operations for the Prison, (Paygrade 73-D/\$73,767.20 [2080 hours] annually), effective February 17, 2026.

2. Ruth Garcia, Full-Time Correctional Officer I for the Prison, (Paygrade 26-A/\$24.96 [2080 hours] per hour), effective January 8, 2026.

3. Brian Latoche, Full-Time Major of Booking & Admission for the Prison, (Paygrade 70-L/\$66,963.52 [2080 hours] annually), effective January 31, 2026.

4. Benjamin Shovestull, Full-Time Temporary Accounting Assistant I for the Controller's Office, (Paygrade 11-D/\$13.26 [1820 hours] per hour), effective January 7, 2026.

5. Zabrina Deyarmin, Full-Time Clerk Typist I for Voter Registration, (Paygrade 3-A/\$13.02 [1820 hours] per hour), effective January 9, 2026.

6. Sandy Jones, Per-Diem Correctional Officer I for the Prison, (Paygrade 13-G/\$18.00 [1000 hours] per hour), effective January 17, 2026.

7. Dana Descavish, Full-Time Pension Benefits Healthcare Administrator/Second Deputy for the Controller's Office, (Paygrade 48-F/\$51,473.24 [1820 hours] annually), effective January 31, 2026.

Rescind:

1. Approve rescinding the hiring of Barbara Steiner, Per-Diem Correctional Officer I for the Prison, (Paygrade 13-G/\$18.00 [1000 hours] per hour), effective January 20, 2026. (Action originally taken at the Commissioners' Meeting held January 8, 2026).

2. Approve rescinding the hiring of Dylan Segada, Per-Diem Correctional Officer I for the Prison, (Paygrade 13-G/\$18.00 [1000 hours] per hour), effective January 20, 2026. (Action originally taken at the Commissioners' Meeting held January 8, 2026).

There will be a regularly scheduled Commissioners' Meeting on Thursday, February 12, 2026, at 10:00 a.m., at Saint Francis University, Kudrick-Oravec Vista Room, Schwab Hall, 3rd Floor, 132 Franciscan Way, Loretto.

Adjournment.