

Commissioners:

R. JACK MCKERNAN
Chairman

TONY R. MUSSARE
Vice Chairman

RICHARD MIRABITO
Secretary



MATTHEW A. McDERMOTT
*Director of Administration
and Chief Clerk*

J. DAVID SMITH
Solicitor

Telephone (570) 320-2124
Fax (570) 320-2127

COUNTY of LYCOMING
48 WEST THIRD STREET
WILLIAMSPORT, PA 17701

www.lyco.org
county.commissioners@lyco.org

**Minutes of the Meeting of
December 6, 2016
Board Room, Executive Plaza
Pine Street, Williamsport**

Commissioner McKernan - Present
Commissioner Mussare - Present
Commissioner Mirabito - Present

Solicitor Smith - Present

1.0 OPERATIONS

1.1 CONVENE COMMISSIONERS MEETING. The meeting was convened at 10:03 a.m.

Bids were opened for the following:
Food Products (4 bidders).
Bread Products (1 bidder).
Tire Recycling (1 bidder).

2.0 ACTION ITEMS

2.1 APPROVE CASH REQUIREMENTS REPORT. A motion by Mr. Mirabito and seconded by Mr. Mussare and passed (3-0), approved accounts payable cash requirement report through October 12, 2016, for payment on October 5, 2016.

2.2 APPROVE MOVING BUDGET ITEMS TO DECEMBER 15, 2016. A motion by Mr. Mirabito and seconded by Mr. Mussare and passed (3-0), approved moving all the budget related items to be discussed on December 15, 2016.

6.0 COMMISSIONER COMMENT. The floor was opened to public comment and the following were received:

Mr. Mussare spoke about the cooperation between the courts and the previous board of commissioners to address the heroin epidemic. He explained that there needs to be a unified front. He also compared sheriff deputy numbers with other

fifth and sixth class counties. He added that GEO is a great tool to help with prison overcrowding.

Mr. McKernan commented on the article in Sunday, December 6, paper. He explained that Mr. Mirabito has his ideas and way of thinking, and that doesn't necessarily represent the views of all the commissioners. The budget process opened his eyes. Trying to get rid of a deficit requires tough decisions and it cannot be solved overnight.

7.0 PUBLIC COMMENT. The floor was opened to public comment and the following were received:

Larry Stout asked about problems with using 9-1-1 for non-emergency calls.

Mr. Yingling addressed his concerns and explained the protocol.

8.0 NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING. Mr. McKernan announced the next regularly scheduled meeting to be held Thursday, November 6, 2016.

9.0 ADJOURN COMMISSIONERS' MEETING. The meeting was adjourned at 11:03 a.m.