



HENDRICKS COUNTY PUBLIC DEFENDER BOARD

MINUTES OF THE MARCH 23, 2022 MEETING

Hendricks County Government Center
Commissioners' Meeting Room
355 S. Washington Street
Danville, IN 46122

CALL TO ORDER

The Public Defender Board met at 2:05 PM on Wednesday, March 23, 2022 in the Commissioners' Meeting Room at the Hendricks County Government Center, with the following in attendance:

Ryan Tanselle	Hendricks County Public Defender Board, Chairman
Sally Steward	Hendricks County Public Defender Board, Secretary
Jeremy P. Gooch	Hendricks County Chief Public Defender
Scott Taillon	Hendricks County Public Defender's Investigator

DETERMINATION OF A QUORUM AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Ryan Tanselle opened the meeting with a quorum of two members in attendance.

ELECTION OF BOARD MEMBERS

Jeremy Gooch introduced our new board member, Sally Steward. She will be taking the place of Doug Lawson. Ryan Tanselle was elected by Sally Steward to be Chairman of the Board. Todd McCormack has been elected as the Vice Chairman and Secretary will be appointed to Ms. Steward. Ryan Tanselle motions to close nominations. Sally seconds the motion, and the motion was approved unanimously 2-0-0.

4th Quarter 2021 Reimbursement & Program-to-Date Amount

Jeremy Gooch provided an overview of what our program does for the county and how the reimbursement from the State works. Mr. Gooch explained that our 4th quarter reimbursement had not yet been approved by the State, but the program was expected to receive \$159,264.77. Once the amount is approved, the program will have received over 2.5 million dollars in reimbursement from the State.

MOVING UPDATE

Jeremy Gooch discussed that our office will be moving in the next few months to the North side of the square (56 W. Main Street). The lease started February 1st and the County has been updating the location with an anticipated move-in date the end of May. With the new location, this in return will increase our quarterly reimbursement totals.

New Business

Mr. Gooch discussed the salaries of the two full time staff in the office with the Board. Mr. Gooch has requested the council increase the employee's salaries to coincide with the Prosecutor's Office.

ADJOURN

Ryan Tanselle moved to adjourn the Public Defender Board meeting at 2:22 PM on Wednesday, March 23, 2022. Sally Stewart seconded the motion, and the motion was approved unanimously 2-0-0.

Ryan Tanselle

Sally Steward