

MORGAN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS RIECKER BUILDING

The Board of Morgan County Commissioners met in their offices on Monday, July 21, 2014.

The meeting was called to order at 8:30am with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.
The minutes of July 14, 2014 were read and approved.

Tim Vanhorn, President
Adam Shriver, Vice-President
Mike Reed, Member

14-256- Motion by Mr. Shriver and seconded by Mr. Reed to approve the minutes of July 14, 2014.
Mr. Vanhorn yea, Mr. Shriver yea Mr. Reed yea, Motion Carried

14-257- Motion by Mr. Reed and seconded by Mr. Shriver to place a 1 mill renewal tax levy for Kate Love Simpson Library for general operation and maintenance of the library on the November ballot.
Mr. Vanhorn yea, Mr. Shriver yea Mr. Reed yea, Motion Carried

Jenny Lindimore, OSU Extension

Agriculture and Natural Resources

Chris Penrose

- Is busy planning the 14th Annual Ag & Livestock Field Day
- No other report at this time he plans to provide a more detailed report next month

Amy Grove

- Master Gardeners continue to do volunteer work at the Wilds
- The Farmer's Market is doing better. The number of vendors has increased and more produce arrives every week. In addition to Produce Auction is in full swing with a great variety of produce available.
- She has other projects that require more detail and explanation more detailed later or visit with you.

Community Development

Amy Grove

- No update this month

Family and Consumer Sciences

- The next Successful Co-Parenting is scheduled for August 26, 2014 6:30-9:00pm. Individuals can call the Extension Office at 740-962-4854 to register for the class.

Supplemental Nutrition Assistant Program Education Report SNAP-Ed

- No report at this time

4-H Youth Development

- Amy report that Cloverbud Camp was very successful with 38 campers, 10 youth volunteers and 2 adults volunteers. We appreciate the Meigsville Community for letting us use their building.
- Amy Grove, Pam Montgomery, 5 adult volunteers/staff members, 14 camp counselors, 11 Counselors in training and 59 campers are starting their week at camp (7/21/14). Everyone was very excited last week as final plans were made.
- Junior Fair Board has their annual workday on the fairground August 12 from 10:00am to 2:00pm.
- The Morgan County 4-H Committee has the annual Pool Party for 4-H members, family and friends scheduled for August 11th from 6-8pm. They hope a number of 4-Hers and their family and friends attend.

Vicki Quesinberry, Job and Family Services

-Jeanna Hopkins to Zanesville, Ohio on July 28, 2014 for training on "Child Care Type B Non-Compliance Training".

Shannon Wells, Development Office

- Explained to the commissioners she has interviews set up tomorrow for the Convention & Tourism Bureau Coordinator position.
- Stay-n-Play was discussed throughout the meeting. A few concerns were raised referring to the way the business is being run. The owner's closing deadline for the business is quickly approaching. There is still a lot of work yet to be done.
- A new grant was submitted to ODOT for Transit
- Discussion was held concerning the price of transportation from town to the fair this coming year
- Mrs. Wells mentioned to the commissioners that her expenses have increased due to growing transit growth. The commissioners agreed this topic needs to be discussed in greater detail. Mrs. Wells agreed to put together a monthly revenue expense breakdown for the commissioners to review.

Becky Thompson, Dog Warden

- submitted dog report

Gary Joiner, Ohio Insurance Services

-Has been working with the public since 1995. The company currently insures 3,000 individuals. Mr. Joiner explained their insurance plan. Ohio Insurance Services pride themselves on customer contact. Much discussion was held between Mr. Joiner and the commissioners concerning the insurance proposal. The commissioners agreed to wait until September before they make any decisions.

14-258- Motion by Mr. Vanhorn and seconded by Mr. Reed to adjourn the commissioners meeting at 4:00pm
Mr. Vanhorn yea, Mr. Shriver yea Mr. Reed yea, Motion Carried

Tim Vanhorn, President

Adam Shriver, Vice-President

Mike Reed, Member

Sheila Welch, Clerk
