

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' MINUTES
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 2026

The Board of County Commissioners met today for a Commissioners' Meeting.

Present at today's meeting were:

Ray D'Agostino, Chairman
Joshua G. Parsons, Vice-Chairman
Alice Yoder
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Amy M. Campbell
DEPUTY CHIEF CLERK

Jacquelyn Pfursich, Esquire
COUNTY SOLICITOR

Also, present were:

Vincent Cash, Buyer II
PURCHASING

Tom Lisi, Reporter
LNP

Tom Martin, Executive Director
OFFICE OF AGING

Jan Baily, Deputy Director of Mental Health Services
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES

Elizabeth Miller
RESIDENT

Cheri Modene, Director
JUVENILE PROBATION

Crystal Natan, Executive Director
CHILDREN AND YOUTH AGENCY

Sohail Sayeg, Customer Service Manager
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Deanna Weaver, Program Director
DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

Commissioner D'Agostino called the meeting to order at 9:15 a.m. followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Commissioner D'Agostino announced approval of the April 8, 2026, Commissioners' Meeting Minutes.

On motion of Commissioner Parsons, seconded by Commissioner Yoder, it was agreed for the County of Lancaster, acting on behalf of the District Attorney's Office – Victim/Witness Services, to approve the following:

Grant Renewal Application With:

Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency
(PCCD)
Harrisburg, PA

Purpose:

To apply for Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) funding for the continued provision of victim's services. This is one of two recurring grants used to partially fund the salaries and benefits of three victim advocates who provide support, accompaniment, information and referrals to victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, child abuse and other violent crimes.

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Amount/Term: \$159,115 for the period October 1, 2026 through September 30, 2027.

Funding: 100% Federal funding.

Motion passed unanimously.

On motion of Commissioner Yoder, seconded by Commissioner Parsons, it was agreed for the County of Lancaster, acting on behalf of the Office of Juvenile Probation, to approve the following:

Grant Agreement With: Juvenile Court Judges' Commission
Harrisburg, PA

Purpose: To apply for grant funding to support costs of maintaining and improving general juvenile probation services with the funding being applied to probation officers' salaries and some operational expenses for the implementation of evidence-based practices and models.

Amount/Term: \$659,433.00 for the period July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026.

Funding: 100% State funding.

Motion passed unanimously.

On motion of Commissioner Parsons, seconded by Commissioner Yoder, it was agreed for the County of Lancaster, acting on behalf of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services (BHDS), to approve the following:

Agreement With: PeerStar, LLC
Clifton, NJ

Purpose: To provide certified crisis peer support in conjunction with the BHDS Crisis Intervention team to individuals in Lancaster County experiencing a mental health emergency.

Amount/Term: \$83,031.00 for three months from April 1, 2026 through June 30, 2026.

Funding: Community Mental Health Block Grant Crisis Expansion Grant (Federal).

Motion passed unanimously.

On motion of Commissioner Yoder, seconded by Commissioner Parsons, it was agreed for the County of Lancaster, acting on behalf of the Children and Youth Agency and/or the Office of Juvenile Probation, to approve the following for **Fiscal Year 2026-2027:**

Renewal Agreements With:	For:	Amounts	% Increase/Decrease
The Academy Malvern, PA	CBS Full Program	\$63.95	
	Individual /Family Counseling	\$103.60	
	Group Counseling	\$37.87	
	Polygraph	\$427.19	
	Abel Assessment	\$535.34	
Bench Mark Lancaster, PA	Predisposition Program	\$327,459	

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	Strength-Based Skill Building Program	\$188,008	
Boys & Girls Club of Lancaster PA	Independent Living Program Staff	\$617,464	+3.75%
COBYS Family Services Lancaster, PA	Permanency Program	\$1,569,112	+1.10%
Faithful Transportation Manheim, PA	Transport: 7 Passenger Van	\$220/day	
	Transport: Wheelchair Van	\$232/day	
	Mileage Over 100/day	\$1.90/mile	
	Aide Required (Per Four Hours)	\$80/hr.	
	Transport: School Closed	\$115/day	
Gaudenzia, Inc. Family Harrisburg, PA	Alternatives Program	\$268,439	
It Takes A Village, Inc. Harrisburg, PA	Family Finding	\$325,435	
	Successful FGDM Conference	\$3,000	
	Successful FGDM Referral	\$1,000	
	Unsuccessful FGDM Referral	\$250.00	
PA Counseling Services	Check and Connect (Per Billable Unit)	\$40.96	
	Truancy Prevention Program	\$218,717	
Pathfinders Program, LLC	CRS Services - Tier 1 (7 days per week)	\$60.00	
	CRS Services - Tier 2 (5 days per week)	\$65.00	
	CRS Services - Tier 3 (3 days per week)	\$70.00	
Hugh S. Smith PH.D. & Associates, P.C. Lancaster, PA	Forensic Psychological Evaluation	\$450.00	+13.00%
	Additional Procedures/Testing	\$150.00	
	Comprehensive Psychological Evaluation	\$900.00	+13.00%
	Intellectual Testing - Stand Alone Report	\$650.00	+30.00%
	Intellectual Testing - Add On	\$400.00	+33.00%
	Comprehensive Psychoeducational/ Neuropsychological Eval	\$1,500.00	+50.00%
	Comprehensive Psychoeducational/ Neuropsychological Eval with Personality Measure	\$1,200.00	
	Comprehensive Psychological Evaluation of Parent/Caregiver	\$900.00	+13.00%
	No Show Fee	\$200.00	
	Supplemental Intellectual Screener	\$225.00	+13.00%
	Supplemental Drug & Alcohol Assessment	\$175.00	+17.00%
	Supplemental Fire Risk Assessment	\$325.00	+8.00%
	Supplemental Psychosexual Assessment	\$325.00	+8.00%
	Supplemental Violence Risk Assessment	\$325.00	+8.00%
	Emotional Abuse/Trauma Assessment	\$800.00	
	Consultation	\$150/hr.	
	Competency To Stand Trial Evaluation	\$1,650.00	+10.00%
	Addendum	\$60.00	+20.00%
	Amenability Assessment	\$2,200.00	+10.00%
	Court Testimony	\$250/hr.	
	Comprehensive Bonding Assessment	\$1,000.00	+11.00%
	Capacity Assessment	\$900.00	+13.00%
	Comprehensive Biopsychosocial Evaluation	\$1,000.00	
	Social Summary	\$500.00	
	Comprehensive Diagnostic Team Evaluation	\$6,000.00	+4.00%
	Updated Psychiatric Evaluation (Diagnostic)	\$650.00	+8.00%
	Psychotherapy/Trt/Evals for Non-MA Clients	\$100.00	

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Comprehensive Sibling Assmt for Two Siblings	\$1,000.00
Comprehensive Sibling Assmt - Each	\$500.00
Additional Sibling	
Serious Mental Injury Assmt (Child/Adolescent)	\$900.00
Comprehensive Threat Team Assessment	\$3,750.00

<u>New</u>			<u>% Increase/ Decrease</u>
<u>Agreements With:</u>	<u>For:</u>	<u>Amounts</u>	
Auberle Traditional	Foster Care Ages 0-12	\$135.51	
McKeesport, PA	Traditional Foster Care Ages 13+	\$141.69	
	Therapeutic Foster Care Ages 0-12	\$165.41	
	Therapeutic Foster Care Ages 13+	\$170.26	
	Treatment Foster Care Ages 0-12	\$153.65	
	Intensive Foster Care Ages 0-12	\$153.65	
	Foster Care Temporary Ages 13+	\$140.41	

FISCAL YEAR 2025-2026

Renewal

Agreement With:

Merakey Pennsylvania	Therapeutic Foster Care - Room & Board	\$56.10	+27.88%
Harrisburg, PA	Therapeutic Foster Care - R&B/Treatment	\$174.22	+8.11%
	Intensive Treatment - R&B	\$19.18	+56.57%
	Foster Care Plus	\$106.02	+5.81%
	Enhanced Foster Care	\$165.95	+16.51%
	Respite	\$107.09	+2.77%
	Risk Screening for Best Practice Assmt Svcs	\$2,550	

NOTE: All agreements are 16% County funding, 56% State funding, and 28% Federal funding except for the following:
Boys & Girls - 15% County funding, 78% State funding, 7% Federal funding
It Takes A Village-Family Finding - 5% County funding, 95% State funding
It Takes A Village-FGDM - 5% County funding, 95% State funding
PA Counseling Services-Check and Connect - 5% County funding, 95% State funding

Motion passed unanimously.

On motion of Commissioner Parsons, seconded by Commissioner Yoder, it was agreed for the County of Lancaster, acting on behalf of the Office of Aging, to approve a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the PA Department of Aging, facilitated by Weill Cornell Medicine, to participate in the Lehigh-Berks-Lancaster Counties Elder Abuse Multidisciplinary Team (MDT), which brings together professionals to discuss and identify complex elder abuse cases and create action plans to help move older adults out of those situations. There is no cost to participate and the Office of Aging will not receive financial compensation. Authorization is given to Amy M. Campbell, Deputy Chief Clerk, to sign the MOU.

Tom Lisi asked about the existing task force.

Motion passed unanimously.

On motion of Commissioner Yoder, seconded by Commissioner Parsons, it was agreed for the County of Lancaster, acting on behalf of the Purchasing Department and Information Technology, to approve the following:

Agreement with:

Hewlett-Packard Financial Services Company
Berkley Heights, NJ

Purpose:

To approve the 2026-2030 computer lease schedule that will provide financing for the replacement of 235 computers throughout County offices.

Amount/Term:

\$399,210.00 for a four-year lease beginning

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approximately on June 15, 2026 through June 14, 2030.

Funding:

IT budget.

Note:

To authorize Amy M. Campbell, Deputy Chief Clerk, to sign all related lease documents.

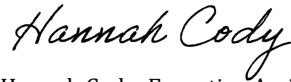
Motion passed unanimously.

Elizabeth Miller, Lancaster County Resident, asked about the recent County layoff.

On motion of Commissioner Parsons, seconded by Commissioner Yoder, the meeting adjourned at 9:34 a.m.

Motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,



Hannah Cody, Executive Assistant
Commissioners' Office