

Commissioners

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Committee of the Whole Agenda October 8, 2024 1:00 PM

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1. Call to Order
2. Additions/Deletions to the Agenda
3. Approval of Agenda
4. Approval of Minutes
 - A. September 23, 2024 Committee of the Whole Minutes
Presented by:
5. Public Comment
Limit of 4 minutes per speaker.
6. Presentation
 - A. Van Buren County Housing Target Market Analysis - Sharon Woods
LandUseUSA
Presented by:
Lisa Ransler, Community Services Director
7. Administrative Affairs
Commissioner Liaison: Gail Patterson-Gladney
 - A. Road Commission Re-Appointment - Nelson, W.
Presented by:
John Faul, County Administrator
 - B. Road Commission Re-Appointment - Askew, W.
Presented by:
John Faul, County Administrator
 - C. Digital Information Department - AI Steering Committee
Presented by:
Jerry Happel, DID Director
 - D. Van Buren Youth Initiative \$12,000 Grant Award from the Michigan Arts and Cultural Council (MACC)
Presented by:
Lisa Ransler, Community Services Director
8. Buildings and Grounds
Commissioner Liaison: Tina Leary
 - A. Facilities Master Plan - Request for Proposals

Presented by:
Lisa Ransler, Community Services Director

B. 2024 - 2025 Snow Removal Bids

Presented by:
John Small, Buildings & Grounds Director

9. Finance

Commissioner Liaison: Paul Schincariol

A. Commissioner Per Diems

Presented by:
Rebecca Grabemeyer, Finance Director

B. Claims

Presented by:
Rebecca Grabemeyer, Finance Director

C. Budget Adjustments

Presented by:
Rebecca Grabemeyer, Finance Director

D. Monthly Financial Statement

Presented by:
Rebecca Grabemeyer, Finance Director

E. Equalization - 2024 Apportionment Report

Presented by:
Anthony Meyaard, Equalization Director

F. 2024 Drain and Lake Level Assessments

Presented by:
Joe Parman, Drain Commissioner

G. Specialty Court Grants – Accept & Sign Contracts

Presented by:
Rachel Lindley, Trial Court Administrator
Brianne Smith

10. Labor, Negotiations, and Contracts

Commissioner Liaison: Richard Godfrey

A. County Administrator - Contract Extension

Presented by:
John Faul, County Administrator

11. Public Transit

Commissioner Liaison: Kurt Doroh

12. Veterans Services

Commissioner Liaison: Mike Chappell

A. Bi-Monthly Update

Presented by:
David Krzycki, Veterans Services Director

13. Public Comment

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14. Adjournment

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