

Commissioners
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Board of Commissioners Agenda
October 14, 2025
Immediately following the 1:00 PM Committee of the Whole Meeting

** Indicates Consent Agenda, or recurring items that do not require discussion.

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1. Call to Order
2. Recital of the Pledge of Allegiance / Prayer
3. Roll Call
4. Additions/Deletions to the Agenda
5. Approval of Agenda
Do any Commissioners or members of the public want to request any item be removed from the consent agenda?
6. Approval of Minutes
 - A. **September 23rd, 2025 Board of Commissioners Meeting Minutes
Presented by:
7. Public Comment
Limit of 4 minutes per speaker.
8. Administrative Affairs
Commissioner Liaison: Gail Patterson-Gladney
 - A. **Appointment to Van Buren County Mental Health Board (VBCMh) - Susan Barnes
Presented by:
Debra Hess
 - B. **Out-of-State Travel Request - Friend of the Court (FOC)
Presented by:
Veronica Stillson, Family Division Administrator
 - C. **Out-of-State Travel Request - Community Services Department
Presented by:
Lisa Ransler, Community Services Director
9. Buildings and Grounds
Commissioner Liaison: Tina Leary
 - A. **Disposal/Auction of County Property - Sheriff's Office, Drone
Presented by:
Casey Davis
 - B. **Disposal/Auction of County Property - Sheriff's Department Golf Cart

Presented by:
Casey Davis

C. ****2025 - 2026 Snow Removal Bids**

Presented by:
John Small, Buildings & Grounds Director

D. ****Holiday Lighting**

Presented by:
John Small, Buildings & Grounds Director

10. **Finance**

Commissioner Liaison: Paul Schincariol

A. ****Access and Visitation (AV) Grant Contract**

Presented by:
Veronica Stillson, Family Division Administrator

11. **Labor, Negotiations, and Contracts**

Commissioner Liaison: David DiStefano

12. **Public Transit**

Commissioner Liaison: Kurt Doroh

13. **Veterans Services**

Commissioner Liaison: Mike Chappell

14. **Commissioner's Roundtable**

15. **Chairman's Update**

16. **Board Correspondence**

A. **Montcalm County Resolution**

Presented by:

B. **Crawford County Resolution**

Presented by:

C. **Genesee County Resolutions**

Presented by:

D. **Grand Traverse County**

Presented by:

E. **Out of County Resolutions — Budget Cuts**

Presented by:

17. **Closed Session**

A. **Closed Session - Discuss Strategy Connected with the Negotiation of Collective Bargaining Agreements**

Presented by:
John Faul, County Administrator

18. **Public Comment**

Limit of 4 minutes per speaker.

19. **Adjournment**

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