

### **Commissioners**

Gail Patterson-Gladney, District 1  
Mike Chappell, District 2  
Kurt Doroh, District 3  
David DiStefano, District 4  
Mike Toth, District 5  
Tina Leary, District 6  
Paul Schincariol, District 7



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## **Committee of the Whole Agenda September 8, 2026 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. August 25th, 2026 Committee of the Whole Meeting Minutes  
Presented by:
5. Public Comment  
Limit of 4 minutes per speaker.
6. Presentation
  - A. Caring Connections  
Presented by:  
Gail Patterson-Gladney, County Commissioner, District #1
7. Administrative Affairs  
Commissioner Liaison: Gail Patterson-Gladney
  - A. Award of Construction Contract for the Hartford Kayak Launch Development Project  
Presented by:  
Lisa Ransler, Community Services Director
8. Buildings and Grounds  
Commissioner Liaison: Tina Leary
  - A. 2026 - 2027 Snow Removal Bids  
Presented by:  
John Small, Buildings & Grounds Director
9. Finance  
Commissioner Liaison: Paul Schincariol
  - A. Claims  
Presented by:  
Rebecca Grabemeyer, Finance Director

- B. Budget Adjustments  
Presented by:  
Rebecca Grabemeyer, Finance Director
- C. Monthly Financial Statement  
Presented by:  
Rebecca Grabemeyer, Finance Director
- D. Renewal of Microsoft 365 Annual Licensing  
Presented by:  
CJ Johnson, IT Director
- E. 1st Amended Agreement for Contract Social Work or Family Advocate Services  
Presented by:  
Jennifer Mockler, Family Division Administrator
- F. Michigan Access and Visitation (AV) Grant Application- EXPEDITED  
Presented by:  
Amanda Hoefle, Friend of the Court Director
- G. Foster Swift Invoice  
Presented by:  
John Faul, County Administrator
- 10. Labor, Negotiations, and Contracts  
Commissioner Liaison: David DiStefano
- 11. Public Transit  
Commissioner Liaison: Kurt Doroh
- 12. Veterans Services  
Commissioner Liaison: Mike Chappell
- A. Michigan Veterans Affairs Agency (MVAA) Grant Renewal FY 2026 - 2027  
EXPEDITED  
Presented by:  
Michael Fossitt, Veteran Services Director
- 13. Public Comment  
Limit of 4 minutes per speaker.
- 14. Adjournment

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