

**PULASKI COUNTY COUNCIL  
PULASKI COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

The Pulaski County Board of Commissioners and the Pulaski County Council met at 6:00pm EDST on August 13, 2018 at the Pulaski County Highway Garage in the Conference room, Winamac, Indiana. Present for the meeting were Commissioners Kenny Becker, Jerry Locke, and Mike McClure. Council members present were Thomas J. Roth, Kenneth Boswell, Scott Hinkle, Linda Powers, and Auditor Laura Wheeler. Jerry (Jay) Sullivan, Michael T. Tiede, and Alexsondra Haschel were absent.

Also, present, were Amber Tomlinson, Michael Gallenberger of WKVI, Jeff Richwine, Sean McGill, Jerome Keller, Justin Schramm, Melvin Braun, Charles and Toni Mersch, Karen Jones, Jack Jones, Renita Potthoff, Brian Kunce, Jim Potthoff, Linda McCune, Steve and Sheri Reinhold, Mary Penksa, Joe Moyer, Kathy Miller, Todd Samuelson, Harvey Gutwein, Nathan Origer, Marge Manikowski, Jennifer Smith, Daniel Smith, Tina and Josh Stacey, Nancy Chapman, Doris Smith, Cindy Lewis, Harry Moitcer, Bryan Corn, John Behny, Jon Frain, and Holly VanDerAA.

President of the Board of Commissioners Kenny Becker called the meeting to order and opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

**IN RE: UмбаUGH**

Todd Samuelson of Umbaugh discussed local income taxes, tax levy freeze, property taxes, and many other issues within Pulaski County. The main objective is to have enough revenue to support the cost of operating Pulaski County.

Samuelson says that there are several options available and would like the opportunity for Umbaugh to do a complete analysis.

After a lengthy conversation, Kenneth Boswell motioned to hire Umbaugh with the price not to exceed 35,000.00 and to pay for their services out of the CDC fund. Thomas J. Roth stated that he would prefer to make this decision with the other Council members present. Kenneth Boswell's motion died for lack of second. Jerry Locke asked Umbaugh to present a formal quote.

**IN RE: WHEEL TAX/SURTAX**

The Indiana Bureau of Motor Vehicles sent a notice to Auditor Wheeler requesting to know whether Pulaski County would be adopting Wheel Tax/Surtax.

Jerry Locke motioned to decline a Wheel Tax/Surtax and Kenny Becker seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

**IN RE: OTHER BUSINESS**

Kenny Becker motioned to approve the June 11, 2018 Joint Session minutes and Jerry Locke seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously. For Council, Kenneth Boswell motioned to approve the June 11, 2018 Joint Session minutes and Scott Hinkle seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Jerry Locke motioned to approve the April 24, 2018 Joint Session Special meeting minutes and Kenny Becker seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously. For Council, Scott Hinkle motioned to approve the April 24, 2018 Joint Session Special meeting minutes and Linda Powers seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting opened to the public without comment.

Jerry Locke motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:04pm and Mike McClure seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Scott Hinkle motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:04pm and Thomas J. Roth seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Signed and dated  
October 8, 2018

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Jerry G. Sullivan

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Thomas J. Roth

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Alexsondra Haschel

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Linda Powers

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Kenny Becker

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Jerry Locke

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Mike McClure

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
Laura M. Wheeler, Auditor, Pulaski County