

Present: Chris Switzer, Mike Morris, Mark Clinkenbeard

Others present: Auditor Larry Hutchings, Tammy York-Allen, Morgan Vinzant, Kevin Gardner, Bob Murray, Jim Hunter, Josie Thompson, Diana Smith, Chris Eldredge, William Caldero, Jordynne Gackle, Bruce Allen.

Pledge of Allegiance. Mike Morris called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

Review of minutes/claims

Auditor Larry Hutchings presented the Board with the minutes from the January 13, 2026 Commissioners' Meeting. Chris Switzer made a motion to approve the January 13, 2026 Commissioners' Meeting minutes as presented. Mark Clinkenbeard seconded the motion. With a voice vote of 3-0 the motion was passed.

Larry then presented the Board with the minutes from the January 13, 2026 Commissioners' Rezoning Hearing. Chris Switzer made a motion to approve the January 13, 2026 Commissioners' Rezoning Hearing minutes as presented. Mark Clinkenbeard seconded the motion. With a voice vote of 3-0 the motion was passed.

The claims docket dated January 9, 2026 through January 16, 2026 in the amount of \$2,526,119.37 was presented to the Board. Mark Clinkenbeard made a motion to approve the claims docket dated January 9, 2026 through January 16, 2026 in the amount of \$2,526,119.37. Chris Switzer seconded the motion. The motion passed upon a 3-0 vocal vote.

The payroll docket dated January 9, 2026 through January 16, 2026 in the amount of \$1,550,811.27 was then presented to the Board. Chris Switzer made a motion to approve the claims docket dated January 9, 2026 through January 16, 2026 in the amount of \$1,550,811.27. Mark Clinkenbeard seconded the motion. The motion passed with a 3-0 vocal vote.

Hamilton Center Update

Chief Medical Officer Mark Collins with the Hamilton Center approached the Board and presented an annual report the Hamilton Center submits to the Division of Mental Health and Addiction. The report was a synopsis of services provided in 2025. Mark said the center served 4,081 total patients in 2025, 2,125 of those patients received addiction treatment services, 3,995 of those patients received mental health services and 1,842 patients received both mental health and addiction treatment services. He said 2,901 of those patients were adults, and 1,180 of those patients were children. Mark went over common mental health diagnosis at the center for adults and children. He said the total number of clinical encounters was 27,269 for the year. He said an overwhelming majority of patients served in 2025 were below the poverty level. Mark said the center provided \$1.68 million in charity care for Vigo County residents. There was discussion on the collection period for this report. Mark said this data is collected from July 2024 to June 2025. There was discussion on the method the state uses collects this data and presents it to the public. Mark Collins said the Hamilton Center was not obligated to submit the data collected during this period until December 31st. Mark Clinkenbeard asked how many beds were currently at the Hamilton Center. Mark Collins confirmed there were 16 beds at the center, 30 group home transitional living beds in group homes in the County, and Mark said the group home occupancy was full. There was discussion on Hamilton Center's efforts to become more available to patients.

Public Comment

There were none.

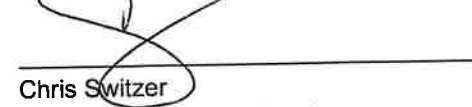
Comments from the Commissioners or other Elected Officials

There were none.

The meeting was recessed at 9:12 a.m.



Mark Clinkenbeard



Chris Switzer



Mike Morris

Attest:



Larry T. Hutchings II, Auditor

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