



WASHTENAW COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

April 6, 2022

WORKING SESSION

I. ROLL CALL

A session of the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners was held at the Administration Building, in the City of Ann Arbor, Michigan, on April 6, 2022.

The meeting was called to order at 05:30 PM by Comm. Hodge, Chair of the Board of Commissioners Working Session.

Members Present: Comms. Justin Hodge, Ricky Jefferson, Andy LaBarre, Jason Maciejewski, Jason Morgan (arrived at 5:42 pm), Caroline Sanders (arrived at 5:35 pm), Katie Scott, Sue Shink

Members Absent: Comm. Shannon Beeman

Others Present County Administrator, Greg Dill; Diane Heidt, Deputy County Administrator; Michelle Billard, Corporation Counsel; Tina Gavalier, Catherine Jones-Alther and Brady Peck, Finance; Faye Jasman, ITS; Jason Fee, Facilities; Andrew DeLeeuw, Peter Lindeman, and Candace Reum, County Administration; Robert Mulcahy, Clerk's Office; and members of the public.

II. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Monica Ross-Williams spoke about challenges facing the elderly in Washtenaw County. Brendo Stumbo from Ypsilanti Township spoke about economic segregation, Covid-19 testing, and Covid-19 variants in Washtenaw County.

III. REPORT OF THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR

None.

IV. REPORT OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS LIAISON

None.

V. DISCUSSION ITEMS

A. Huron-Clinton Metroparks Commissioner Bob Marans updated the Board of Commissioners on several Huron-Clinton Metroparks initiatives. Metroparks Director Amy McMillian provided an overview of the Huron-Clinton Metroparks.

B. Greg Dill and Catherine Jones-Alther presented Washtenaw County's 2021 non-general fund revenues and expenditures and discussed 2022 non-general fund priorities.

VI. LIAISON REPORTS

Commissioner Maciejewski shared that the Commission on Aging's 2021 report discussing their needs and recommendations will be presented to the Board of Commissioners at an upcoming meeting.

Commissioner Shink shared that the Brownfield Redevelopment Authority earned an award from the American Council of Civil Engineering Companies for their Beekman on Broadway development. Commissioner Shink shared that this is an example of the power of working together and that brownfields remediate environmental pollution, provide housing, and spur economic development.

Commissioner Hodge informed that the Youth Commission will present to the Board of Commissioners at an upcoming meeting. Commissioner Hodge noted the Youth Commission will need more applicants soon as many commissioners are aging out.

VII. ITEMS FOR CURRENT/FUTURE DISCUSSION

Commissioner Hodge informed the Board of Commissioners he participated in interviews for deputy corporation counsel and the interview panel's selection will be presented at the next meeting.

VIII. PENDING

None.

IX. ADJOURN TO NEXT SESSION

Comm. Katie Scott, seconded by Comm. Sue Shink, moved to adjourn. Voice vote - motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 06:54 PM.

Justin Hodge, Chair

Lawrence
Kestenbaum,
Clerk/Register
By: Robert Mulcahy, Deputy Clerk

Board Approved: May 4, 2022