



# WASHTENAW COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

September 2, 2026

## RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

### I. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

### II. 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 September 2, 2026.

The meeting was called to order at 7:06 PM by Comm. Scott, Chair of the Board of Commissioners.

Members Present: Comms. Shannon Beeman, Justin Hodge, Andy LaBarre, Crystal Lyte, Jason Maciejewski, Yousef Rabhi, Caroline Sanders, Katie Scott, Annie Somerville

Members Absent: Comms.

Others Present Derrick Jackson, Interim County Administrator; Michelle Billard, Corporation Counsel; Catherine Jones-Alther, Finance; Guillermo Hernandez, Director of Human Resources; Cami Khorrami, Administration; Terrence Williams, Administration; Richard Wilson, ITS; Tabatha Reynolds, Board of Commissioners Constituent Outreach Coordinator; Brenden McArthur, Clerk's Office; and members of the public.

### III. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Lauren Rolman, Chelsea, spoke in support of providing free public transit to polling locations. Rich Stoller congratulated the Board of Commissioners on the dismissal of the DOJ lawsuit against the County.

Nancy Manani thanked the Board of Commissioners for taking a stance against ICE.

A resident spoke about mental health care concerns.

Ray Smith, Ypsilanti Township, spoke about concerns with the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Office and the Prosecutor.

Jen Bolhurski, Northville Township, spoke about concerns with the Arbor Hills Landfill.

A resident spoke about concerns regarding the Sheriff.

Dirk Mayhew, Ann Arbor, spoke about election-related concerns, including training and providing free rides to the polls.

Trisha Koonst spoke about concerns with the Arbor Hills Landfill.

Jeremy Haley, Ypsilanti Township, spoke about concerns regarding the Sheriff's Office and potential swatting incidents.

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### IV. COMMISSIONER FOLLOW-UP TO PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Commissioners Hodge, Sanders, and Scott provided follow-up to public participation.

### V. LIAISON REPORTS

None.

VI. REPORT FROM THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR

Interim County Administrator Derrick Jackson spoke about the Legacy Project.

VII. REPORT FROM THE CHAIR OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

None.

VIII. SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS

None.

IX. APPOINTMENTS

1. **26-151** Comm. Hodge, seconded by Comm. LaBarre, moved that A Resolution Appointing One Member to the Department of Health and Human Services Social Services Board be approved. Roll Call Vote: 9 YEAS 0 NAYS 0 ABSENT. Motion carried.

X. CONSENT AGENDA

1. Comm. LaBarre, seconded by Comm. Hodge, moved that the minutes of the August 5, 2026 meeting of the Board of Commissioners be approved as presented. Voice vote - motion carried. (Complete report is on file in the County Clerk/Register's Office.)
2. Comm. LaBarre, seconded by Comm. Hodge, moved that the communications be received and dealt with as recommended. Voice vote - motion carried. (Complete report is on file in the County Clerk/Register's Office.)  
**R-0066** RECEIVED: July 31, 2026: City of Ypsilanti: Resolution to Destigmatize Menstruation and Expand Access to Free Period Products  
**R-0067** RECEIVED: August 4, 2026: Manchester District Library: Resolution Certifying Tax Levy  
**R-0068** RECEIVED: August 4, 2026: Manchester District Library: Resolution Approving Budget  
**R-0069** RECEIVED: August 25, 2026: Washtenaw County Office of Community & Economic Development: Barrier Busters 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Report
3. None.
4. None.
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- A. Comm. LaBarre, seconded by Comm. Hodge, moved that the following reports be received: A report of contracts in the amount of \$25,000 and under from July 27, 2026 through August 25, 2026. Voice vote - motion carried. (Complete report is on file in the County Clerk/Register's Office.)
6. None.

XI. RESOLUTIONS

- 1.
- A. Comm. LaBarre, seconded by Comm. Hodge, moved that A Resolution Requesting Authorization of a Grant Application to the Health Resources & Services Administration,

Maternal & Child Health Bureau from the Health Department be approved. Voice vote - motion carried.

- B. Comm. LaBarre, seconded by Comm. Hodge, moved that A Resolution Approving the Washtenaw County Health Department's 2025-2026 Final Budget from the Health Department be approved. Voice vote - motion carried.
- C. Comm. LaBarre, seconded by Comm. Hodge, moved that A Resolution Authorizing the Interim County Administrator's Signature on the Washtenaw County Health Department's Comprehensive Agreement for the period October 1, 2026, through September 30, 2027, from Washtenaw County Health Department be approved. Voice vote - motion carried.
- D. Comm. LaBarre, seconded by Comm. Hodge, moved that A Resolution Amending the FY2025/26 Budget from Community Mental Health be approved. Voice vote - motion carried.
- E. Comm. LaBarre, seconded by Comm. Hodge, moved that A Resolution Approving the Washtenaw County Community Mental Health 2026/2027 Annual Operating Budget in the Amount of \$156,569,251 for the Period of October 1, 2026 through September 30, 2027 from Community Mental Health be approved. Voice vote - motion carried.
- F. Comm. LaBarre, seconded by Comm. Hodge, moved that A Resolution Ratifying the Community Corrections Comprehensive Plan in the amount of \$3,144,299 for the period of October 1, 2026, through September 30, 2027, from the Sheriff's Office be approved. Voice vote - motion carried.

2. None.

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- A. **26-152** Comm. LaBarre, seconded by Comm. Hodge, moved that A Resolution to Authorize Participation in the Courts and Law Enforcement Management Information System (CLEMIS) Interlocal Agreement from the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Office be approved. Roll Call Vote: 9 YEAS 0 NAYS 0 ABSENT. Motion carried.
- B. **26-153** Comm. LaBarre, seconded by Comm. Hodge, moved that A Resolution to Honor Terrence Williams for His Fourteen Years of Service to Washtenaw County be approved. Roll Call Vote: 9 YEAS 0 NAYS 0 ABSENT. Motion carried.
- C. **26-154** Comm. LaBarre, seconded by Comm. Hodge, moved that A Resolution Honoring Brady Peck for His Service to Washtenaw County be approved. Roll Call Vote: 9 YEAS 0 NAYS 0 ABSENT. Motion carried.
- D. **26-155** Comm. LaBarre, seconded by Comm. Hodge, moved that A Resolution Affirming the Historic Name of Lake Ontario be approved. Roll Call Vote: 9 YEAS 0 NAYS 0 ABSENT. Motion carried.

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- A. **26-156** Comm. LaBarre, seconded by Comm. Hodge, moved that A Resolution Authorizing the Payment of Claims Commencing with the Last Previously Approved Claim and Continuing Through the date of August 24, 2026 be approved. Roll Call Vote: 9 YEAS 0 NAYS 0 ABSENT. Motion carried.

## XII. ITEMS FOR CURRENT/FUTURE DISCUSSION

1. Comm. Hodge, seconded by Comm. Beeman, moved to enter closed session to review and discuss labor negotiations Roll Call Vote: 9 YEAS 0 NAYS 0 ABSENT. Motion carried at 8:26 PM.

The Commissioners returned from closed session at 9:14 PM.

XIII. PENDING

None.

XIV. ADJOURN TO NEXT SESSION

Comm. Rabhi, seconded by Comm. Beeman, moved to adjourn. Voice vote - motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 9:16 PM.

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Katie Scott, Chair of  
the Board of  
Commissioners

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Lawrence  
Kestenbaum,  
Clerk/Register

By: Brenden McArthur, Deputy Clerk

Board Approved:

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