THE SHELBY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

The Shelby County Commissioners met on Monday, September 8, 2025, at 8:00 a.m., and present were Commissioners Lawson, Runnebohm, County Attorney and County Deputy Auditor.

MINUTES:

Motion to approve minutes from September 2, 2025, was made by Lawson, seconded by Runnebohm, motion passes 2-0-1 (Abel).

911 DIRECTOR/ AMR CONTRACT:

Tisha Debaun presented the Commissioners with an amendment contract for their services. The service is currently located in Evansville but will expand their service so our service calls will be going to St. Louis. Motion to approve was made by Lawson, seconded by Runnebohm, approved 3-0.

CORONER/ INDIANA HEALTH INFORMATION EXCHANGE CONTRACT:

County Coroner Brad Rund presented a contract to be able to access medical records immediately instead of getting ahold of the doctor's office and waiting on records to be sent over, this can save a lot of money on autopsies because we do not have to wait months to get their information. There is a one-time set-up fee of \$1,000.00 and a maintenance fee of \$1,500.00 annually. Motion to approve was made by Lawson, seconded by Runnebohm, approved 3-0.

Rund also updated that the suicide numbers have stabilized at this time. Rund advised they have a non-reverting fund that they are hoping they can start pulling money out of to start doing prevention.

KOORSEN AGREEMENT / TRANSFER STATION:

The Commissioners have a contract with Koorsen suppression and alarm system for the Transfer Station in the amount of \$706.95. Motion to approve was made by Lawson, seconded by Runnebohm, approved 3-0.

ARI RDA MEMBERSHIP CONTRIBUTION:

The Commissioners presented an ARI RDA Membership Contribution in the amount of \$7,500.00 for membership for 2025 and 2026. This total fee is split into 7 groups. This basically is the READI Program, Runnebohm advised he was on the READI GRANT Board and the money has already been allocated. Abel asked if the Commissioners were opposed to tabling this until next week to give him time to look into things. Motion to table was made by Lawson, seconded by Abel, approved 3-0.

UTILITY REQUEST:

AT&T is requesting right of way permit to install 3,606 feet of innerduct starting near 2745 S. Miller Street and ending on Rosewood Dr. Motion to approve was made by Lawson, seconded by Runnebohm, approved 3-0.

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HIGHWAY:

Ben advised they are waiting on Rush Shelby to remove tree TDS to move line to begin on Bridge 146 on 1100 S. This will probably push us out 2 weeks.

This was information only; no action was needed.

CLAIMS:

Payroll – Motion to approve Payroll was made by Runnebohm, seconded by Lawson, approved 3-0.

TRANSFER / ADDITIONALS:

N/A

MISCELLANEOUS:

LISA WOJIHOUSKI SCHALER – would like to make a couple of comments. She wanted to relay the need to make broadband funding a priority. Lisa shared a personal experience that happened to her. She needed to call 911 and the call dropped 2 times because of poor WI-FI signal. The county needs to be more proactive to the county, not just Shelbyville. She asked the Commissioners to make it a priority to make fund broadband available. This was information only; no action was needed.

Blake Newkirk wanted to thank Lisa for her story, and this does happen to her also that her cell service also drops a lot and she need to connect to her WI-FI.

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There being no further business to come before board. A motion to adjourn was made by

Lawson, seconded by Runnebohm, approved 3-0.