



Newaygo County Board of Commissioners

Health, Education & Human Services Committee

MINUTES

March 24, 2022

10:30 A.M.

CALL TO ORDER	James Maike, Chair, called the meeting to order at 10:52 a.m.
MEMBERS PRESENT	Brenda Bird, Mike Kruithoff, James Maike
AGENDA - MOTION NO.	22-126
Motion by Brenda Bird, second by Mike Kruithoff, to approve the Agenda of March 24, 2022. Ayes – Brenda Bird, Mike Kruithoff, James Maike. Nays – none. Motion carried.	
PUBLIC COMMENT	None
MINUTES – MOTION NO.	22-127
Motion by Mike Kruithoff, second by Brenda Bird, to approve the Health, Education & Human Services Committee Regular Meeting Minutes of February 23, 2022. Ayes – Brenda Bird, Mike Kruithoff, James Maike. Nays – none. Motion carried.	
DEPARTMENT UPDATE	Steven Cain, Veteran Affairs
The following departmental updates were reported by Steven Cain: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Full Time VSO – Plan to hire a full-time Veterans Service Officer as a partially grant funded employee. Currently in the hiring process and seeking candidates. • Transportation – Volunteer drivers are available for Veterans of all wartime eras. • Veterans Affairs Committee – Processed 18 Soldiers and Sailors Relief Fund applications, 6 Peach Time Relief Fund applications, and 8 Veterans Trust Fund Applications to date from the start of FY 2022. 	
DEPARTMENT UPDATE	Joseph Fox, Director, Commission on Aging
The following departmental updates were reported by Joseph Fox: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Fremont and White Cloud meal sites are doing well. • Meals on Wheels is delivering 190-205 meals per day currently. • Homemaker services are very active. 	
ADMINISTRATOR’S REPORT	Christopher Wren, County Administrator
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plans to have Health Care discussion at next month’s meeting. 	
PUBLIC COMMENT	None
ADJOURNMENT – MOTION NO.	22-128
Motion by Mike Kruithoff, second by Brenda Bird, to adjourn the meeting at 11:05 a.m. Ayes – Brenda Bird, Mike Kruithoff, James Maike. Nays – none. Motion carried.	
COUNTY CLERK CERTIFICATION	
CHAIRPERSON CERTIFICATION	
DATE	April 27, 2022