

**MINUTES OF THE  
JUSTICE & PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE**

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2015**

At a meeting of the **Justice and Public Safety Committee**, held Wednesday, November 4, 2015, in the Board Room, on the 9<sup>th</sup> Floor of the Administration Building, Mount Clemens, the following members were present:

Vosburg-Chair, Marino-Vice-Chair, Brown, Carabelli, Duzyj, Flynn,  
Klinefelt, Mijac, Miller, Sauger, Smith and Tocco.

Absent and excused was Sabatini.

Chair Vosburg called the meeting to order at 9:47 a.m.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

**AGENDA**

**MOTION**

A motion was made by Duzyj, supported by Marino, to adopt the agenda, as presented.  
**The Motion Carried.**

**MINUTES**

**MOTION**

A motion was made by Marino, supported by Sauger, to approve the October 7, 2015 minutes of this committee, as written. **The Motion Carried.**

**INTRODUCTION OF HONORABLE JOSEPH TOIA, CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE**

Chair Vosburg noted that due to his court schedule, Judge Toia was introduced at the Health and Human Services Committee meeting, which was held prior to this meeting.

**AMENDED MACOMB TOWNSHIP LAW ENFORCEMENT SERVICES CONTRACT/  
SHERIFF**

Sheriff Wickersham gave an overview of the contract.

**MOTION**

A motion was made by Carabelli, supported by Sauger, to forward to the Finance Committee a recommendation to concur with the Sheriff's request to amend the contract renewal for law enforcement services with Macomb Township for the term of January 1, 2016 through December 31, 2018 for a total three year cost of \$11,370,100; this includes the amendment amount of \$1,201,053.

The following commissioners spoke: Miller and Vosburg.

Chair Vosburg called for a vote on the motion and **The Motion Carried.**

**BUDGET AMENDMENT/MACOMB TOWNSHIP LAW ENFORCEMENT SERVICES CONTRACT/SHERIFF**

**MOTION**

A motion was made by Carabelli, supported by Marino, to forward to the Finance Committee a recommendation to concur with the Sheriff's request to amend the 2016 budget to reflect the additional \$393,149 in revenue from the amended Macomb Township law enforcement services contract; also, the corresponding expenditures in the budget. **The Motion Carried.**

**CONTRACT WITH CIVIL STAFFING RESOURCES LLC/CIVIL DIVISION/SHERIFF**

Sheriff Wickersham gave an overview of the contract.

**MOTION**

A motion was made by Carabelli, supported by Smith, to forward to the Finance Committee a recommendation to concur with the Sheriff's request to award Civil Staffing Resources LLC the bid for the operation of the Sheriff's Civil Division; 50 percent of all revenue will be paid to the County by the vendor.

The following commissioners spoke: Carabelli, Tocco and Miller.

Chair Vosburg called for a vote on the motion and **The Motion Carried.**

**AGREEMENT WITH ST. CLAIR COUNTY FAMILY COURT/JUVENILE JUSTICE CENTER**

**MOTION**

A motion was made by Marino, supported by Duzyj, to forward to the Finance Committee a recommendation to approve the agreement between Macomb County and St. Clair County Family Court providing detention services for all eligible youth as ordered by a St. Clair County judge or referee.

JJC Director Rhonda Westphal gave an overview of the contract renewal, indicating that it will cover an additional two years.

The following commissioners spoke: Sauger, Carabelli and Tocco.

Chair Vosburg called for a vote on the motion and **The Motion Carried.**

**RESPONSE RE: RFI 10-30-15 JPS QUANTITATIVE DATA JJC**

Quantitative information was provided by JJC Director Rhonda Westphal which pertained to discussion that was held at the October 7<sup>th</sup> JPS meeting.

The following commissioners asked questions of Ms. Westphal: Carabelli, Brown, Miller and Sauger.

**MOTION**

A motion was made by Marino, supported by Klinefelt, to receive and file the information provided on RFI 10-30-15 JPS Quantitative Data JJC. **The Motion Carried.**

**NEWS RELEASE RE: CONFIRMATION OF HONORABLE JAMES BIERNAT, JR.  
FOR CONTINUED APPOINTMENT BY THE MICHIGAN SUPREME COURT AS  
CHIEF JUDGE OF THE 16<sup>TH</sup> CIRCUIT, MACOMB COUNTY PROBATE AND 42<sup>ND</sup>  
DISTRICT COURTS**

**MOTION**

A motion was made by Marino, supported by Carabelli, to receive and file the news release. **The Motion Carried.**

**ADJOURNMENT**

Chair Vosburg adjourned the meeting at 10:23 a.m.



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**Corinne Bedard  
Committee Reporter**