



GEAUGA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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AGENDA

For the Board of County Commissioners Meeting of August 25, 2026

Open the meeting at 9:30 a.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

1. **Public Comment** - Those wishing to make a comment or ask a question on items appearing on the meeting's agenda, please sign in and wait to be called upon, begin by stating their full name and township or municipality, and will have up to three minutes to comment or ask a question, and are kindly asked to refrain from disorderly or disruptive conduct.
2. The Commissioners' Office will report on the items approved August 24, 2026, by the Acting County Administrator, authorized by Resolution #26-003 under the direction and supervision of the County Commissioners that was approved January 6, 2026, pursuant to O.R.C. 305.30.
3. The Commissioners' Office is requesting the Board approve and execute the minutes for the meeting of March 31, 2026.
4. The Commissioners' Office is requesting the Board approve and execute Resolution #26-129 itemizing the financials for the meeting of August 25, 2026.
5. The Department on Aging is requesting the Board approve and execute Resolution #26-130 Honoring Hildred and Edward Tornberg for their dedicated Service, Volunteerism, and Community Enrichment through the Geauga Renaissance Choral Group.
6. The Maintenance Department is requesting the Board grant permission to advertise for Bids for the 2026-2027 Snowplowing Services, including the West Geauga Senior Center, Geauga County Office Building, Safety Center, Dog Warden, Department of Emergency Services, County Home, Patterson Center and Sheriff's Station, Post #2, to be held on Wednesday, September 16, 2026, at 2:15 p.m. Notice of this Bid Opening will be advertised on August 28, 2026, September 4, 2026, and on the county website.
7. The Maintenance Department is requesting the Board grant permission to advertise for Request for Proposals for Food and Beverage Concession Services in the Geauga County Office Building with Proposals due by 4:00 p.m. on September 24, 2026. Notice of this Request for Proposals will be advertised on August 28, 2026, September 4, 2026, and on the county website.
8. The Commissioners' Office is requesting the Board approve and execute Resolution #26-131, Seventh Amendment, Approving the Use of County Credit Cards for the Year 2026 for Agencies and Cardholders to add additional users for the Department of Water Resources, pursuant to O.R.C. 301.27.
9. The Commissioners' Office is requesting the Board approve and authorize the President of the Board to execute the Application for Authorization to Permit the use of County Credit Cards form, pursuant to O.R.C. 301.27, adding Jeremy Neill and Shawn Maruna for the Year 2026 on the Tractor Supply Commercial Account, and Jeremy Neill for the Home Depot Commercial Account.

10. The Commissioners' Office is requesting the Board approve and execute Resolution #26-132 Requesting the Geauga County Budget Commission Suspend Collection of the Job and Family Services .50 Mill Levy for the Tax Year 2026.

11. Board Discussion –

12. **Public Comment** - Those wishing to make a comment or ask a question on matters of concern, please raise their hand to be called upon, begin by stating their full name and township or municipality, and will have up to three minutes to comment or ask a question, and are kindly asked to refrain from disorderly or disruptive conduct.
13. The Commissioners' Office is requesting the Board move into Executive Session for the purpose of discussing the compensation of public employees, pursuant to O.R.C. 121.22 (G)(1).

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

- a) A weekly report filed by the County Dog Warden of all dogs seized, impounded, redeemed or destroyed for the weeks ending August 12, 2026, August 19, 2026, as required by O.R.C. 955.12.
- b) Geauga County Engineer's 2025 Annual Report

MEETINGS

- Thu., 9/3 The Commissioners will hold session at the Great Geauga County Fair at 10:00 a.m. at the Junior Fair Stage, Burton, Ohio
- 9/3 – 9/7 The Great Geauga County Fair, Burton, Ohio
- Mon., 9/7 **County Offices will be closed in honor of the Labor Day holiday, Twenty-four-hour operations will continue to operate as normal**
- Thu., 9/10 The Commissioners will hold session at 9:30 a.m., that will include a Work Session with Community and Economic Development
- Thu., 9/10 ADP Meeting, 1:00 p.m., Auditor's Appraisal Conference Room
- Tue., 9/15 The Commissioners will hold session at 9:30 a.m., that will include a Work Session with Maintenance
- Mon., 9/21 Family First Council, 1:30 p.m. County Office Building, Suite B168
- Tue., 9/22 Perry Nuclear Power Plant Drill, Day 1
- Wed., 9/23 Perry Nuclear Power Plant Drill, Day 2
- Thu., 9/24 The Commissioners will hold session at 9:30 a.m.
- Tue., 9/29 The Commissioners will hold session at 9:30 a.m.