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Cumberland County Finance Meeting

October 1, 2025 at 1:30 p.m.
Commissioners Hearing Room
Courthouse, Carlisle, PA

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Present: Commissioners Kelly Neiderer, Jean Foschi, and Gary Eichelberger.

Staff Present: Stacy Snyder, Chief Clerk; Angela Smyser, Deputy Chief Clerk; Desirée Diaz-Ortiz, Executive Assistant.

Department Staff Present: Mike Carter, Mark Adams, Alex Smyser, Darin Baish, Nolan Gill, Hunter Gibson, IMTO; Regina Robinson, Diane Porterfield, Carolyn Blatchley, Library System; Kirk Stoner, Stephanie Williams, Planning; Samantha Krepps, Ben Burner, Communications.

Department Staff Present via Zoom: Dana Best, Finance; Keeter Kallam, Veterans Affairs; Katie Zimmerman, Grant Administration.

Other Present: Janet Anderson, Laura Delaney, Greg Welker, Julie Koranda, Jonathan Cox, CAEDC.

Others Present Via Zoom: Ashely Kurtz, Carol Kilko, Doreen Edwards, CAEDC.

Media Present: Charlie Thompson, PennLive.

Roll Call: Commissioners Neiderer, Foschi, and Eichelberger were present.

Public Comment: None.

Approval of Minutes: Commissioner Eichelberger made a motion to approve the meeting minutes of September 24, 2025. Commissioner Neiderer seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Commissioner Foschi joined the meeting.

Employee Recognition: Regina Robinson, Library System, for 20 Years of Service

The Board of Commissioners recognized Regina Robinson for her 20 years of service to the county. Diane Porterfield and Carolyn Blatchley thanked Regina for her dedication and hard work during her time at the county.

Proclamation Re: Recognizing October as Cybersecurity Awareness Month

The Board of Commissioners presented Mark Adams, Darin Baish, Alex Smyser, Hunter Gibson, and Nolan Gill with a proclamation recognizing October as Cybersecurity Awareness Month. Commissioner Neiderer expressed her appreciation for all that the IMTO staff does to protect the county and our information.

Cumberland Area Economic Development Corporation Update (CAEDC)

Janet Anderson, Laura Delaney, Greg Welker, and Julie Koranda shared the CAEDC update with the board, which covered upcoming events and projects, statistics, financial information, and future goals (see attached). Discussion ensued.

Janet Anderson thanked the commissioners for their leadership and investment in CAEDC and shared that they remain focused on delivering value to the county and its residents.

Jonathan Cox, Chair of CAEDC Board, congratulated Janet Anderson who was the recipient of the West Shore Chamber's Luminary Award. Jonathan thanked Janet and the entire team for all their hard work and dedication.

Discussion and Possible Direction Regarding the 2026 Farmland Preservation Budget Request

Kirk shared that the farmland preservation board took action at their August meeting recommending that the board provide a \$850,000.00 budget for the farmland preservation program. He explained the memo provided to the board outlines all the details and identifies some federal one-time funds that are coming in 2026. Discussion ensued. Commissioner Foschi requested to see how many acres were preserved between 2017 and 2022 and what acreage was lost between 2019 and now.

Other Business: None.

Adjourn: With no additional business to come before the Board, Commissioner Foschi made a motion to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,
Desirée Diaz-Ortiz, Executive Assistant