



MONROE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
August 19, 2026

The regular meeting of the Monroe County Board of Commissioners was held on Wednesday, August 19, 2026, in the Commissioners' Public Meeting Room at the Monroe County Administrative Center with the following present: Chairman John D. Christy, Vice-Chairman David C. Parker, Commissioner Sharon S. Laverdure, Solicitor Todd W. Weitzmann, Chief Clerk/Administrator Robert J. Gress and Administrative Secretary Cindy Cook.

Chairman Christy called the meeting to order at 9:30 a.m.

There were no public comments on agenda items.

Chairman Christy recessed the regular meeting at 9:32 a.m. and opened an Assessment Board meeting for corrections to the duplicate.

M-2026-239 Motion by Commissioner Laverdure, seconded by Vice-Chairman Parker and carried to approve the corrections to the duplicate as follows, as requested by Deborah Storman, Chief Assessor:

Additions-	\$ 814,120.00
Subtractions-	<u>\$2,904,330.00</u>
Total	(\$2,090,210.00)

Chairman Christy closed the Assessment Board meeting at 9:33 a.m. and continued with the regular meeting.

M-2026-240 Motion by Commissioner Laverdure, seconded by Vice-Chairman Parker and carried to approve the minutes of August 5, 2026, Commissioners' Meeting.

M-2026-241 Motion by Commissioner Laverdure, seconded by Vice-Chairman Parker and carried to approve the minutes of August 11, 2026, C&Y Needs Based Budget Meeting, Vice-Chairman Parker abstained due to being absent from meeting.

M-2026-242 Motion by Vice-Chairman Parker, seconded by Commissioner Laverdure and carried to amend Motion # 2026-237 dated 08/05/2026 to reflect a price change for a replacement TV from \$1,599.99 to \$1,749.99, an increase of \$150.00

M-2026-243 Motion by Commissioner Laverdure, seconded by Vice-Chairman Parker and carried to present a certificate of special recognition to East Stroudsburg in honor of the opening of the new University Center.

M-2026-244 Motion by Vice-Chairman Parker, seconded by Commissioner Laverdure and carried to approve the actions listed below:

a) Personnel Agenda:

FIRST NAME	DEPARTMENT:	POSITION:	STEP:	DATE:	REASON:
NEW HIRES:					
Rivera, Rafael	Aging	37 Care Manager III	N/A	8/24/26	New Hire/Replacement
Mariano, Julianna	Conservation District	10 Resource Conservation Specialist*	1	8/31/26	New Hire/Replacement
Jackson, Jr., James	Correctional Facility	CO	N/A	8/24/26	New Hire/Replacement
Medico, Christopher	Correctional Facility	CO	N/A	8/24/26	New Hire/Replacement
Scheuer, Elizabeth	Correctional Facility	CO	N/A	8/24/26	New Hire/Replacement
Stella, Hannah	Correctional Facility	CO	N/A	8/24/26	New Hire/Replacement
Dillon, Matthew	Courts	14 Court Monitor	N/A	8/24/26	New Hire/Replacement
Edwards, Lindsey	Emergency Services	Burn Sim Operator- PT	N/A	8/24/26	New Hire/Replacement
SEPARATIONS:					
Felker, Susan	Assessment	11 Deputy Chief Assessor	3	6/29/26	Terminated
Aidoo, Nanaadjoa	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Bobcomb-Oladapo, Ameliah	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Brubaker, Raina	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Brubaker, Sara	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Calender, Devin	CareerLink	Supervisor	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Cardona, Robert	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Castaneda, Peter	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Castro, Liam	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Chapman, Adriana	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Chapman, Jasmine	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Chapman, Karen	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Clement-St Louis, Michaela	CareerLink	Supervisor	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Cooley-Perkins, Christopher-Michael	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Cooper, Samuel	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Cruz, Athena	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Cruz, Janacia	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Daniel, Brandon	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Daniel, Jelena	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
De La Rosa, Yessenia-Rose	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Dewitt, Rhnessa	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Diaz, Taylor	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Drew, Dwayne	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Felipe, Jaelynn	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Feraro, Ian	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Gibbons, Kylie	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Groff, Elijah	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Hoop, Payton	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Ingram, Aayanah	CareerLink	Supervisor	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Jean, Kelsey	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Johnson, Leonard	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Kee, Jayson	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Leon, Francesca	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Lucius, Leon	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Macedon, Kayla	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Macedon, Keith	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Martinez, Donovan	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Mautone, Antonio	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
McKillop, John	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
McKillop, Madison	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Molina, Agendy	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Molina, Jarran	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Morales, Pablo	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Muhammad, Nyeem	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Negron, Mason	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Otasowie, Marvelous	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Otasowie, Miracle	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
O'Toole, Aidan	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
O'Toole, Samantha	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
O'Toole, Tristan	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Plunkett, Ava	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Plunkett, Lea	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Richmond, Jules	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Robinson, Jaylen	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Smalls, Tahnyssa	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Soto, Ariel	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Soto, Leah	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Thomas, Ariel	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Torres, Sebastian	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Van Broock, Madison	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Watson, Isa-Kareem	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Williams, Adonis	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Williams, Apollo	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Williams, Kalani	CareerLink	Laborer	N/A	7/31/26	Program Ended
Hessek, Autumn	Conservation District	Laborer	N/A	8/12/26	Program Ended
Machala, Gabriel	Conservation District	Supervisor	N/A	8/12/26	Program Ended
Staples, Micah	Conservation District	Laborer	N/A	8/12/26	Program Ended
Johnson, Cecil	Correctional Facility	CO II	N/A	7/26/26	Retired
Friday, Brenda	Courts	6 Minute Clerk/Judicial Assistant PT	4	8/21/26	Resigned
Luces, Maiya	Courts	7 Technician	N/A	8/7/26	Terminated
CHANGES:					
Cuscani, James	Commissioners	5 Non-Court Armed Peace Officer	5	7/20-8/2/26	LOA
Lederer, Derek	Conservation	8 Environmental Educator*	3	8/10/26-8/14/26	Unpaid Suspension
Dancy, Cheryl	Correctional Facility	CO II	N/A	8/8-9/4/26	Extend Mod Duty
Estrada, Brandon	Correctional Facility	CO II	N/A	8/8-9/11/26	Extend LOA
Frank, Kristijan	Correctional Facility	CO II	N/A	7/29-9/1/26	Extend Mod Duty
Mohamed, Mohamed	Correctional Facility	CO II	N/A	7/25-7/30/26	Mod Duty
Ortiz, Diana	Correctional Facility	CO II	N/A	7/31-8/20/26	Extend Mod Duty
Plows, Alizabeth	Correctional Facility	10 Sergeant	8	8/1-9/11/26	LOA
Schiller, Blake	Correctional Facility	13 Lieutenant*	7	8/2-8/11/26	LOA
Stasulli, Vincent	Correctional Facility	CO II	N/A	7/28-9/1/26	Extend LOA
Virella, Nicholas	Correctional Facility	CO II	N/A	7/10/26-1/7/27	Intermittent LOA
Virella, Nicholas	Correctional Facility	CO II	N/A	8/7-8/20/26	LOA
Williams, Terez	Correctional Facility	CO II	N/A	8/4/26-2/3/27	Intermittent LOA
Wise, James	Correctional Facility	CO II	N/A	8/8-9/9/26	Extend LOA
Sebastianelli, Robert	District Attorney	17 Detective/DA	N/A	7/13-7/24/26	LOA
MISCELLANEOUS:					
Adopt Grade 13 Assistant Chief Assessor to replace Grade 11 vacant Deputy Chief Assessor					
Adopt Grade 8 Assistant to the Chief Assessor- once this is filled, the Grade 8 Head Field Assessor will be eliminated					

- b) Approve/Ratify Requests to work additional hours:
 - i) Sheriff's Overtime Report for pay period ending 07/26/2026:
 - (1) Deputies – 117.50 hours
 - (2) Security – 158.50 hours
 - (3) Clerks – 7 hours
 - ii) Sheriff's Overtime Report for pay period ending 08/09/2026:
 - (1) Deputies – 109.25 hours
 - (2) Security – 108 hours
 - (3) Clerks – 19.50 hours

M-2026-245 Motion by Vice-Chairman Parker, seconded by Commissioner Laverdure and carried to approve/ratify the actions listed below:

- a) Vouchers Payable:
 - i) Dated 08/07/2026 in the amount of \$538,128.08
 - ii) Dated 08/14/2026 in the amount of \$3,852,128.98
- b) Gross Payroll:
 - i) For Pay Period ending 08/09/2026 in the amount of \$1,729,483.01
- c) Healthcare Benefits Payments:
 - i) Highmark Blue Cross/Blue Shield:
 - (1) Dated 08/04/2026 in the amount of \$132,602.79
 - (2) Dated 08/11/2026 in the amount of \$38,591.63
 - ii) Geisinger:
 - (1) Dated 08/03/2026 in the amount of \$194,128.81
 - (2) Dated 08/10/2026 in the amount of \$129,552.76
 - (3) Dated 08/12/2026 in the amount of \$2,453.49
 - iii) Dental Claims:
 - (1) Dated 08/04/2026 in the amount of \$1,121.40
 - (2) Dated 08/04/2026 in the amount of \$4,638.59
 - (3) Dated 08/07/2026 in the amount of \$4,688.19
 - (4) Dated 08/14/2026 in the amount of \$6,469.91
 - iv) Flexible Spending Account:
 - (1) Dated 08/07/2026 in the amount of \$1,775.98
 - (2) Dated 08/14/2026 in the amount of \$1,635.58
 - (3) Dated 08/14/2026 in the amount of \$209.00

M-2026-246 Motion by Commissioner Laverdure, seconded by Vice-Chairman Parker and carried to approve/ratify the Travel Requests for the following: Conservation District, Emergency Services and Human Resources.

M-2026-247 Motion by Commissioner Laverdure, seconded by Vice-Chairman Parker and carried to execute a contract with Gretchen Weitzmann, Esq. to provide legal assistance and advice for protective service and guardianship clients and represent the Monroe County Area Agency on Aging in court as necessary for the period 08/01/2026 – 07/31/2029 at a rate of \$150.00 per hour up to a maximum of \$10,000.00 for contract term as requested by the Area Agency on Aging.

M-2026-248 Motion by Commissioner Laverdure, seconded by Vice-Chairman Parker and carried to approve the actions listed below as requested by Children and Youth Services:

- a) Execute the following Purchase of Service Agreements for the period 07/01/2026 – 06/30/2027:
 - i) Diakon Child, Family & Community Ministries with a contract limit of \$75,000.00 (foster care)
 - ii) Kidspeace Children's Hospital with a contract limit of \$150,000.00 (sexual issues treatment and education services)
 - iii) Metta Place Youth Home LLC with a contract limit of \$200,000.00 (group homes)
- b) Execute a Contract for Professional Services with Children's Advocacy Center of Monroe County for the period 07/01/2026 – 06/30/2028 with a contract limit of \$35,000.00 to provide forensic evaluations

M-2026-249 Motion by Commissioner Laverdure, seconded by Vice-Chairman Parker and carried to approve the Budget Adjustment Report dated 08/19/2026 totaling \$213,345.00 not to include Salvation Army and Safe Monroe.

M-2026-250 Motion by Commissioner Laverdure, seconded by Chairman Christy and carried to approve the budget adjustment for Salvation Army, Vice-Chairman Parker abstained due to being a Salvation Army board member.

M-2026-251 Motion by Commissioner Laverdure, seconded by Vice-Chairman Parker and carried to approve the budget adjustment for Safe Monroe, Chairman Christy abstained due to being a Safe Monroe board member.

M-2026-252 Motion by Vice-Chairman Parker, seconded by Commissioner Laverdure and carried to approve items b) through g)

- b) Acknowledge Final Arbitrage Report for General Obligation Bonds, Series of 2022 for the period June 17, 2022, to September 15, 2025, with \$8,860.19 arbitrage liability due plus \$292.90 interest due to U.S. Treasury
- c) Acknowledge Five (5)-Year Arbitrage Report for General Obligation Bonds, Series of 2021 for the period June 22, 2021, to June 22, 2026, with \$789,023.71 arbitrage liability due to U.S. Treasury
- d) Authorize the Chief Clerk to advertise the following:
 - i) Bathroom Renovations at the Conservation District
 - ii) Budget Hearing dates
- e) Approve/Ratify the following Opioid Grants from the Opioid Settlement Funds consistent with the uses allowed under the Opioid Settlement Agreement, Exhibit E:
 - i) AMZ Housing Solutions in the amount of \$40,000.00 for rental assistance
- f) Approve the following payments for items from the Hotel Tax funds:
 - i) Stroud Area Regional Police Department Overtime for Independence Day Parade Coverage in the amount of \$951.68
 - ii) Monroe County Transportation Authority for Bus Service at the County Commissioners Association of PA conference in the amount of \$1,210.00
- g) Approve payment from the Substance Abuse Education and Demand Reduction Fund (SAEDRF) in the amount of \$8,000.00 for Court related office attendance at treatment court conference

M-2026-253 Motion by Commissioner Laverdure, seconded by Vice-Chairman Parker and carried to ratify authorization for Eugene Ruddy, Warden to sign agreement with Information Equity Initiative, Inc to provide educational digital content using digital television broadcast signals for the term 07/01/2026 – 06/30/2027 at a cost of \$32,000.00 to be paid from the Inmate Welfare account.

M-2026-254 Motion by Commissioner Laverdure, seconded by Vice-Chairman Parker and carried to approve the actions listed below as requested by the Fiscal/Grants department:

- a) Approve the 2026-2027 Hazardous Materials Response Fund Grant in the amount of \$5,267.00 for the performance period of 07/01/2026 – 06/30/2027, and Authorize Jennifer Barclay, Fiscal Director to electronically sign the agreement on behalf of the Commissioners
- b) Amend Motion #2026-131 dated 05/06/2026 to correct the grant period for the Medication Assisted Substance Abuse Treatment Grant Program Application to 07/01/2026 – 06/30/2028
- c) Amend Motion #2026-192 dated 07/01/2026 to correct the contract period for the Medication Assisted Substance Abuse Treatment Grant Program Contract to 07/01/2026 – 06/30/2028
- d) Ratify authorization for Ashley Kerrick, Grants Manager, to electronically submit the FY 2026 Election Integrity Grant Program application for the period 07/01/2026 - 06/30/2027 in the amount of \$587,835.52 to provide financial support for county elections administration: staff, ballots, canvassing, transportation and list maintenance
- e) Ratify authorization for Jennifer Barclay, Fiscal Director, to electronically sign the FY 2026 Election Integrity Grant Program contract for the period 07/01/2026 – 06/30/2027 in the amount of \$587,835.52
- f) Ratify authorization for Ashley Kerrick, Grant Manager, to submit the 2026-2027 Human Services Plan for the implementation of the Homeless Assistance Program (HAP and the Human Services Development Fund (HSDF)

M-2026-255 Motion by Commissioner Laverdure, seconded by Vice-Chairman Parker and carried to approve the actions listed below as requested by the Industrial Development Authority:

- a) Approve 1st Amendment to Cooperation and Funding Agreement for the Sanofi Pasteur, Inc. Gas Corridor Capital Project (ME300-1516) with MCIDA increasing the Redevelopment Assistance Capital Program by \$4,000,000.00
- b) Approve Cooperation and Funding Agreement for the Pocono Family YMCA Project with MCIDA for the Redevelopment Assistance Capital Program in the amount of \$3,750,000.00

M-2026-256 Motion by Vice-Chairman Parker, seconded by Commissioner Laverdure and carried to ratify change order #3 with Ring Central, Inc. adding eighteen (18) ATA analog telephone adapters in the amount of \$1,710.00 as requested by Information Technology and Services.

M-2026-257 Motion by Commissioner Laverdure, seconded by Vice-Chairman Parker and carried to approve the actions listed below as requested by the Transportation Authority:

- a) Reappoint the following to the Board of Directors with a new term to expire 09/30/2031
 - i) Robert Huffman
 - ii) Eric Koopman
 - iii) Mary Claire Megargle
- b) Reappoint Robert Bryant to the Board of Directors with a new term to expire 09/30/2030
- c) Approve the 2025/26 Medical Assistance Transportation Program 4th quarter report in the amount of \$114,880.80

M-2026-258 Motion by Vice-Chairman Parker, seconded by Commissioner Laverdure and carried to approve the following actions:

- d) Ratify the Capital Purchases Report dated 08/19/2026 as follows:

DEPARTMENT	ACCOUNT #	ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION	QTY	ITEM	Vendor	AMOUNT
APPROVED CAPITAL:						
TOTAL APPROVED CAPITAL						\$ -
REQUESTS WITH TRANSFER: (see Budget Adjustment Report)						
TOTAL REQUESTS W/TRANSFER						\$ -
GRANT FUNDED & OTHER:						
Commissioners	101.4111.7101.0000	Office Supplies/Forms	3	Adjustable Desk Risers	Amazon - Lowest Quote	\$ 900.90
TOTAL GRANT FUNDED & OTHER						\$ 900.90
TOTAL CAPITAL REQUESTS						\$ 900.90

- e) Approve the Capital Purchases Report dated 08/19/2026 as follows:

DEPARTMENT	ACCOUNT #	ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION	QTY	ITEM	Vendor	AMOUNT
APPROVED CAPITAL:						
TOTAL APPROVED CAPITAL						\$ -
REQUESTS WITH TRANSFER: (see Budget Adjustment Report)						
Sheriff	101.4197.9575.0000	Capital Expenditure	40	High Security Keys	Fly lock Security Solutions - Sole Source	\$ 1,027.50
Sheriff	101.4197.9575.0000	Capital Expenditure	1	Active Shooter Training Package	Scenario Trainer - Sole Source	15,429.53
Sheriff	101.4197.9575.0000	Capital Expenditure	1	Active Shooter Rescue Mannequin	Rescue Essentials - Lowest Quote	1,644.80
TOTAL REQUESTS W/TRANSFER						\$ 18,101.83
GRANT FUNDED & OTHER:						
Correctional Facility	101.4232.7109.0000	Uniforms	15	Bulletproof Vests	Ace Link Industrial- Lowest Quote	10,853.85
Planning	101.4171.4612.8800.0000	Program Expenses	50	Farmland Preservation Signs	Voss Signs - Sole Source	\$ 7,137.50
TOTAL GRANT FUNDED & OTHER						\$ 17,991.35
TOTAL CAPITAL REQUESTS						\$ 36,093.18

M-2026-259 Motion by Commissioner Laverdure, seconded by Vice-Chairman Parker and carried to approve the following actions:

a) Ratify the Computer Capital Purchase Report dated 08/19/2026 as follows:

DEPARTMENT	ACCOUNT #	ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION	QTY	ITEM	Vendor	AMOUNT
APPROVED CAPITAL:						
TOTAL APPROVED CAPITAL						\$ -
REQUESTS WITH TRANSFER: (see Budget Adjustment Report)						
TOTAL REQUESTS W/TRANSFER						\$ -
GRANT FUNDED & OTHER:						
Dept Of Information Systems	101.4172.5800.0010	Equipment/Maint Repair	18	Analog Telephone Adapters	Ring Central - Sole Source	\$ 1,710.00
TOTAL GRANT FUNDED & OTHER						\$ 1,710.00
TOTAL CAPITAL REQUESTS						\$ 1,710.00

b) Approve the Computer Capital Purchases Report dated 08/19/2026 as follows:

DEPARTMENT	ACCOUNT #	ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION	QTY	ITEM	Vendor	AMOUNT
APPROVED CAPITAL:						
TOTAL APPROVED CAPITAL						\$ -
REQUESTS WITH TRANSFER: (see Budget Adjustment Report)						
Domestic Relations	157.4187.9575.0000	Capital Expenditure	1	Cables, parts and labor	HD Communications - Sole Source	\$ 3,733.00
TOTAL REQUESTS W/TRANSFER						\$ 3,733.00
GRANT FUNDED & OTHER:						
Court 43-2-02	101.4186.9575.0000	Capital Expenditure	1	Camera system with installation	HD Communications - Sole Source	4,432.88
Court 43-4-02	101.4186.9575.0000	Capital Expenditure	1	Lobby Camera and installation	HD Communications - Sole Source	1,062.50
Dept Of Information System	101.4172.5800.0010	Equipment/Maint Repair	1	Network tester with network support	SCW - Lowest Quote	3,800.70
Dept Of Information System	101.4172.9575.0000	Capital Expenditure	1	Laptop	Best Buy - Lowest Quote	1,999.00
DIS: Courts	101.4172.5800.0010	Equipment/Maint Repair	7	Aiphone Desk Stations with installation	AES - State Contract	11,816.00
TOTAL GRANT FUNDED & OTHER						\$ 23,111.08
TOTAL CAPITAL REQUESTS						\$ 26,844.08

Vice-Chairman Parker reminded everyone the West End Fair begins this Sunday. Vice-Chairman Parker also announced that Kinsley’s Shoprite participated in America250PA Bells Across PA and would be unveiling their bell on August 20, 2026, at 1:00 p.m. Vice-Chairman Parker reminded everyone Parkside Chapel’s open house was postponed and will be held on August 30 and the Ice Cream Passport trail ends on Labor Day.

Commissioner Laverdure announced there are America250PA pencils available for any students who may need them for school supplies.

Chairman Christy asked if there was any public comment.

Jane Gagliardo thanked the Commissioners for being available and allowing her to speak. Ms. Gagliardo asked for a follow-up on 287 G program at the correctional facility.

Chairman Christy stated to the best of his and Warden Ruddy’s knowledge there are no correctional facility employees signed up to report for the 287 G program.

Jane Gagliardo announced The Women Veterans Museum will host a soft opening on September 4 and a grand opening on September 5. US Army Sergeant Major (Ret) Claudette Williams will lead tours throughout each room in the museum, and all are welcome to attend. The museum is now located at 107 North 7th Street in Stroudsburg.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:55 a.m.

M-2026-239 through M-2026-259