

July 23, 2025

Roll Call: Mr. Willis, Present Mr. Hensler, Present Mr. Haller, Absent

Motion by Willis second by Hensler to approve the meeting minutes of July 16, 2026

Roll Call: Willis, Yes Hensler, Yes Haller, Absent

Jackson County Board of Developmental Disabilities Superintendent Nick Elliott and Business Manager Myra Mathews presented the certificate of estimated property tax revenue from Auditor Ridgeway, along with the resolution to proceed with election on the question of a renewal tax in excess of the ten-mill limitation.

Resolution #200-25

Motion by Willis second by Hensler to approve the resolution to proceed regarding placing the Board of Developmental Disabilities renewal levy on the ballot.

Roll Call: Willis, Yes Hensler, Yes Haller, Absent

Fund Reimbursement

From	Description	Amount
231-1300-5305.00	FY23 Airport FAA Project Exp.	\$ 19,001.41
To		
230-0007-4006.00	Reimbursement/wrong acct.	\$ 19,001.41
Roll Call: Willis, Yes	Hensler, Yes	Haller, Absent

Modification of Appropriations

From	Description	Amount
101-1100-5102.01	Employees-part time	\$ 14,000.00
To		
101-1100-5102.00	Employee Salary	\$ 14,000.00
Roll Call: Willis, Yes	Hensler, Yes	Haller, Absent

Additional Appropriation

To	Description	Amount
217-1400-5102.00	Dispatch Salary	\$ 48,000.00
Roll Call: Willis, Yes	Hensler, Yes	Haller, Absent

Additional Appropriation

To	Description	Amount
217-1400-5327.00	PERS	\$ 9,000.00
Roll Call: Willis, Yes	Hensler, Yes	Haller, Absent

Additional Appropriation

To	Description	Amount
217-1400-5347.00	Health Insurance	\$ 25,000.00
Roll Call: Willis, Yes	Hensler, Yes	Haller, Absent

Additional Appropriation

To	Description	Amount
217-1400-5375.00	Medicare	\$ 2,000.00
Roll Call: Willis, Yes	Hensler, Yes	Haller, Absent

Back in session @ 10:11 a.m. with no action taken.

JFS Director Tammy Osborne-Smith was present to give quarterly updates for April to June, 2025. Child support collections have decreased, which is typical this time of year, because of the increase in IRS collections they do at the beginning of the year. They have 64 children in care, with 90% being placed in care out of the county. OWF Cash Assistance to over 300 monthly, with most of them receiving it being grandparents caring for their grandchildren, and JFS transported 515 individuals during the quarter. Regarding transportation, ODOT awarded JFS 5 vehicles and gave them the local match for all 5 vehicles. Ms. Smith stated they will be applying for operational funds grant and will be hiring a Transportation Coordinator in the near future.

Regarding the upcoming changes in the government spending, the SNAP program cuts are projected to be roughly \$186 billion over 10 years and more than likely add to the county's financial burden. Also, there are expected to be expanded SNAP requirements. Ohio provides 3.2 billion in snap funds, with 7000 SNAP recipients being in Jackson County. The Federal Contribution will be cut in half. The TANF (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families) program, however, will not be affected. Director Osborne-Smith stated they will look at cost savings for the next 18 months.

News Media Representation:

Alex Shope, The Telegram

ADJOURNMENT

MR. HENSLER ADJOURNED THE MEETING

Jon Hensler, President

Donnie Willis, Vice President

ABSENT

Paul Haller, Commissioner

Carla Marcum, Administrator