

A (virtual) special meeting of the Fayette County Board of Commissioners was held at 10 a.m. on Monday, April 27, 2020 at the Fayette County Courthouse, 61 East Main Street, Uniontown PA.

In attendance-

Commissioner Chairman Dave Lohr
Commissioner Scott Dunn
Commissioner Vincent A. Vicites
Chief Clerk Amy Revak
Chief County Solicitor Jack Purcell (via Zoom)

Commissioner Lohr welcomed everyone to the Zoom meeting. He said we are looking forward to sooner or later getting back to normal. He asked everyone to rise for a moment of silent prayer. The pledge of allegiance was recited.

Public comment on agenda items- None

Commissioners

A motion was made by Commissioner Dunn and seconded by Commissioner Vicites to approve the agreement with Reynolds Construction, LLC 3300 North Third Street, Harrisburg, PA to provide construction management services for the new Fayette County Prison Project pursuant to RFP 20-01 as per the terms and conditions of the attached agreement.

Commissioner Dunn yes
Commissioner Lohr yes
Commissioner Vicites yes

Motion passed unanimously

Children and Youth Services

A motion was made by Commissioner Dunn and seconded by Commissioner Vicites to approve a **FY2019-20** Purchase of Service Agreement between Fayette County Children & Youth Services, and Fayette County Juvenile Probation Office, and **City Mission-Living Stones, Inc., - Aspire Youth Center**, 155 North Gallatin Avenue, Uniontown, PA 15401, for JPO secure shelter. The rates are as follows:

RATE 1 (Purchase of beds in advance) Approval of a rate of \$250 per bed per day for 2 beds purchased in advance. Each advance-purchase bed is for 365 days for a total of \$91,250 per bed. Total of \$182,500 for both beds to be paid immediately.

RATE 2 (Purchase of regular priced beds) Approval of a rate of \$305 per bed per day to be invoiced as follows:

Fayette County will receive a monthly invoice of \$0 for two advance purchase beds. If the monthly bed usage at a given time exceeds 2, the county will be invoiced at \$305 for number of nights the extra bed/s is utilized.

CLOTHING PROVIDED: Sweatshirt, sweatpants, PJ top, t-shirt, undergarments, slides.

CLOTHING ALLOWANCE: \$50

CHILD HEALTH INSURANCE: If a child enters the program and does not have Medical Assistance or any type of insurance, the county will cover the cost of their required medical exam, and/or any court-ordered psych evaluations.

ADDITIONAL STAFFING: If a child is admitted to ASPIRE with severe medical or mental health needs and additional staff if required to be bring in to keep that youth safe, the county will cover the cost of that additional staff at a rate of \$15/hour. (This situation would only occur if agreed to and approved IN ADVANCE by the Program Director and JPO Chief).

EMERGENCY MEDICAL/PSYCH CARE in the event of a medical or mental health emergency if the child is hospitalized, the county will cover the cost of the 24-hour staff required to remain with the child at the hospital at a rate of \$15 per hour.

Commissioner Dunn yes
Commissioner Lohr yes
Commissioner Vicites yes

Motion passed unanimously

Prior to a vote, Commissioner Lohr said it was a good service and they were looking forward to working with Aspire and thanked them for all their work. Commissioner Dunn called this a win-win situation to keep our youth locally and keeps funds within Fayette County. He said our juvenile probation office can place youths locally instead of driving many hours. Commissioner Vicites said he toured the facility and it is a fine facility and is local. Commissioner Lohr said some of the facilities are in Ohio and it is very costly.

Public comment- None

Adjournment

A motion was made by Commissioner Dunn and seconded by Commissioner Lohr to adjourn the meeting.

Commissioner Dunn yes
Commissioner Lohr yes
Commissioner Vicites yes

Motion passed unanimously