

**RESOLUTION HOLDING HEARING ON THE 2022 JUVENILE COURT, PROBATE COURT, AND RESOURCE CENTER BUDGET REQUEST**

WHEREAS, This being the date set for the public hearing on the proposed 2022 appropriations to the Ashtabula County Juvenile Court, Probate Court and Resource Center in accordance with Ohio Revised Code Section 2101.11(B)(2); and

WHEREAS, Juvenile Court, Probate Court and Resource Center has submitted their proposed budget for 2022 for consideration and discussion; and

WHEREAS, persons in attendance included: Commissioner Whittington, Commissioner Kozlowski, Janet Discher, County Administrator, Crystal Sturgill, Assistant Clerk of the Board, Judge Albert Camplese, Andrew Misiak and Karen Capstick, Budget Committee Member Susan Hill, Brian Haytcher with Star Beacon, Commissioner Ducro attended via GoToMeeting; and

WHEREAS, Comments and/or questions were offered, as follows: The 2022 Appropriation request of the Juvenile/Probate/Resource Center were discussed and reviewed. Judge Camplese handles appeal to Magistrate's decision as objections are filed by attorneys. There are 3 magistrates now. He is looking for resources and ideas for a staff attorney to assist in appeals. Video format due to COVID allows more hearings over course of the day. They are still looking for a suitable facility. Travel and training expenses are back in request for Judges and Magistrates. Juvenile has added staff turnover, paid at lower level than other employers. Asking for wage increase. There is a request for Deputy Clerk floater position to help with training in probate/juvenile that can go back between departments. There is a 3% increase for salary. Resource center budget could be meshed with Juvenile. Wellness for employee's- time issue for employees to do the program. Offering incentives outside of the program to get employees to participate. 12.9% increase in health insurance costs across the board for each area.

WHEREAS, There being no further comments or questions; now

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, By the Board of Commissioners of Ashtabula County, Ohio, that the hearing on the proposed 2022 budget for the Juvenile Court, Probate Court and Resource Center is hereby adjourned.

**ASHTABULA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
CERTIFICATION PAGE**

**Resolution No. 2021-71FINA**

**November 18, 2021**

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**Upon the motion of Casey R. Kozlowski, seconded by Kathryn L. Whittington.**

**VOTE:**

**Kathryn L. Whittington  
J.P. Ducro IV  
Casey R. Kozlowski**

**Aye  
Absent  
Aye**

**CERTIFICATE OF CLERK**

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of a resolution acted upon and duly passed by the Board of County Commissioners of Ashtabula County, Ohio, on the date noted above.

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*Crystal Sturgill*  
Crystal Sturgill, Clerk of the Board, *Acting*  
Board of County Commissioners  
Ashtabula County, Ohio