

**RESOLUTION HOLDING HEARING ON THE 2022 COMMON PLEAS COURT BUDGET REQUEST**

WHEREAS, This being the date set for the public hearing on the proposed 2022 appropriations to the Ashtabula County Common Pleas Court in accordance with Ohio Revised Code Section 307.01(b); and

WHEREAS, Common Pleas 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 Harris, Judge Schroeder, Judge Sezon, Kathy Thompson Budget Committee Member Susan Hill, Prosecutor Colleen O'Toole Brian Haytcher with Star Beacon, Commissioner Ducro attended via GoToMeeting; and

WHEREAS, Comments and/or questions were offered, as follows: Highlights include a 3% raise for employees across general fund. Salary change for PO Officer when spoke earlier this year was a step increase. Two employees potentially retiring, including overlap for 3 months for training for magistrate and court reporter. There is a 12.9% increase in health insurance included. Some employees are doing the wellness for this year but it won't be reflected until next year. Professional services line item relating to ongoing correspondence. Projected high on health insurance but may go down based on insurance requirements from employees.

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 Common Pleas Court is hereby adjourned.

**ASHTABULA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
CERTIFICATION PAGE**

Resolution No. 2021-72FINA

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