

# MINUTES

## ELKHART COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETING

November 30, 2020

President Mike Yoder called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. in the County Administration Building, 117 North Second Street, Goshen, Indiana. Board members Frank Lucchese and Suzie Weirick were present. Others present were Patricia Pickens, County Auditor; Jeff Taylor, County Administrator; Craig Buche, County Attorney; Steve Olsen, County Attorney and Anita Mock; Executive Assistant. All members attended VIRTUALLY. All presenters attended VIRTUALLY.

\*\*\*This meeting commenced pursuant to public notice under the Indiana open door law and Governor Holcomb's Executive Orders. This meeting was made available for the public and press to attend in person or engage in remote real-time observation and remote electronic participation.

On a motion made by Frank Lucchese, seconded by Suzie Weirick and unanimously carried, the Board approved the Allowance of Claims, as presented by the County Auditor's office. A roll call vote followed with all members voting; AYE.

### **BUSINESS ITEMS:**

County Prosecutor, Vicki Becker, requested approval of Prosecutor Forfeiture Fund Expense & Claims. On motion made by Suzie Weirick, seconded by Frank Lucchese and unanimously carried, the Board approved this request. A roll call vote followed with all members voting; AYE.

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### **BOARD ITEMS:**

County Attorney, Steve Olsen, requested approval of Resolution of the Elkhart County Commissioners Regarding Limited Public Access to Elkhart County Facilities to be effective immediately. On motion made by Suzie Weirick, seconded by Frank Lucchese and unanimously carried, the Board approved this request. A roll call vote followed with all members voting; AYE.

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County Attorney, Steve Olsen, requested approval of an Ordinance to Establish Incremental Civil Fines for Violations of the COVID-19 Mitigation Directives. Mike Yoder opened the floor for discussion. Blake Doriot, appeared VIRTUALLY, expressed concerns of citizen's property rights. On motion made by Suzie Weirick, seconded by Frank Lucchese and unanimously carried, the Board approved this request. A roll call vote followed with all members voting; AYE.

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**AUDIENCE ITEMS:**

On a motion made by Frank Lucchese, seconded by Suzie Weirick and unanimously carried, the Board adjourned their meeting. A roll call vote followed with all members voting; AYE.

Respectfully submitted,

Anita Mock