

Stafford County Commissioners

**Minutes of Meeting  
July 19, 2023**

**\*\*\*\*DRAFT MINUTES\*\*\*\***

The Stafford County Board of County Commissioners met in regular session on Wednesday, July 10th, 2023, in the Commission Room in the Annex. Commissioner Wycoff called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m. Present: Todd Wycoff, and Jim Stanford.

Since Commissioner Garner was not at the meeting it was decided to schedule a budget workshop for 8:30 a.m. on Thursday in the second-floor meeting room of the courthouse.

Shannon Snyder, Health Administrator, discussed current grant funding and what services are covered with those funds. She also advised the commissioners about a radio advertising option she is looking into that can be paid for with those grant funds. Shannon made the commissioners aware of a possible workforce development grant that is available. She will be gathering additional information concerning the specifics of this grant and report back.

Ryan Russell, Economic Development, came in to discuss the possibility of utilizing the large Annex kitchen as a culinary incubator which would allow local entrepreneurs to launch or expand their food businesses without having to build their own facilities. He introduced basic information about this idea and will be gathering more detailed information and requirements to bring to them later.

Commissioner Wycoff moved, and Commissioner Stanford seconded, to accept the minutes from the July 12<sup>th</sup> session. Motion carried 2-0.

Commissioner Wycoff adjourned the meeting at 9:15 a.m. The meeting resumed at 9:20 a.m.

Rob Murrow, and Gina Schwein joined the meeting. They discussed current wages and the difficulty that they are having in trying to hire new employees due to the current pay rates. Rob also discussed replacing the dispatch door with a solid door to cut down on outside noise interfering with dispatch operations as well as for security measures. Commissioner Wycoff moved, and Commissioner Stanford seconded, to approve Rob replacing the dispatch door. Motion carried 2-0.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:00 a.m.

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County Clerk

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Chairman

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