

**Warren County Commissioners  
Work Session  
Commissioners Conference Room  
September 20, 2021, 12:00 p.m.**

Commissioner Tricia Durbin called the Work Session of the Warren County Commissioners to order with Commissioner Jeff Eggleston present, and Commissioner Benjamin Kafferlin present by phone

Staff Present: Pamela Matve, Chief Clerk, Lisa Hagberg, Finance Director, Kenneth McCorrison, Public Safety Director, and Attorney Nathaniel Schmidt

Citizens Present: Josh Cotton (WTO),

**Announcements:**

Commissioner Tricia Durbin started the meeting by stating that the meeting will be recorded.

**Public Hearings:**

Commissioner Tricia Durbin stated that there will be a public hearing on Wednesday before the public meeting for the rezoning request of the Allegheny Elementary School.

**Old Items of Discussion:**

**New Items of Discussion:**

**C-Pace:** Pamela Matve, Chief Clerk stated that before we can put the resolution on the agenda letters must go out to the municipalities. Therefore, she confirmed that everyone was ok with the letters going out this week, and the resolution to go onto the October 6, 2021 agenda, to which all agreed.

**Projects:**

**Vaccine Promotion:** Commissioner Jeff Eggleston stated that with the low number of vaccinated people in our county and the increase in COVID cases, he would like to do a vaccine promotion program.

Commissioner Jeff Eggleston went onto state that the State has been promoting, and also the Warren General Hospital, he stated that he feels it is time to do something locally with local leadership. He included the numbers that he came up with to do this promotion.

This plan would consist of newspaper advertising, inserts, video interviews, Facebook and Instagram. He is requesting approximately \$23,000.00 from the American Rescue Plan funds. He then asked to have this put onto the agenda.

Attorney Nathaniel Schmidt asked if Warren General Hospital will be a part of this, Commissioner Jeff Eggleston stated yes, it will be a collaborative effort with many involved.

**Broadband:** Commissioner Tricia Durbin stated that the NTIA grant has been submitted, and now we wait to see if we get the grant.

**Testing Clinic:** Kenneth McCorrison, Public Safety Director stated that there will be a testing clinic set up at the State Hospital starting tomorrow to do Covid testing through October.

**Economic Development Summit:** Commissioner Benjamin Kafferlin stated that in a couple weeks he will be involved in the Economic Development Summit that will be held at Penn State Behrend. He then asked if the other two commissioners were going to attend.

**Upcoming Commissioner Meeting Review:**

The agenda for the September 22, 2021 public meeting was reviewed.

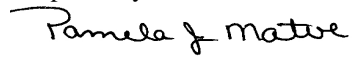
**Department/Committee Updates**

**Commissioner's Schedule**

**General Discussion**

With nothing further, the work session was adjourned at 12:24 p.m.

Respectfully,



Pamela J. Matve  
Chief Clerk

