

SPECIAL COMMISSIONERS MEETING – FRIDAY, JULY 25, 2003

Stephen D. Hambley called the meeting to order at 10:30 a.m. with Sharon A. Ray and Patricia G. Geissman present.

The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mr. Hambley stated that this is a special meeting for the Board to consider Resolution No. 03-586, Emergency Proclamation due to Weather Conditions. Mrs. Geissman moved to approve the resolution; Seconded by Ms. Ray.

Mr. Hambley noted that today’s paper listed some of the damages and noted that at the LEPC meeting yesterday the list was reviewed.

Mrs. Geissman stated that the Cleveland news channels haven’t shown anything on Medina County even when mentioning the county having damage. They are covering Summit County and other western counties.

Mr. Hambley added that the bigger news was in Hudson with the drownings and the Timber Top area that is totally isolated due to the rain. From reports he has heard the area in the northern and southern tier of the county received rain but the damage was in the middle section of the county, such as such as Medina City, Montville, Gloria Glens/Chippewa, Sharon, and River Styx. Apparently we have one house that the basement caved in. They were doing assessments the last couple of days and trying to finalize the damage survey yesterday. This includes public infrastructure damage such as roadway berms that were washed out.

John Stricker, County Administrator, added that some sewers were damaged and need to be cleaned out and repaired.

Mr. Hambley noted that Buck Adams, EMA Director, was planning to be at this meeting to report on this but was unable to attend.

There was no further discussion.

Roll Call on the motion and second to approve the emergency proclamation showed all Commissioners voting AYE.

There was no further business for review.

Mrs. Geissman moved to adjourn the meeting; Seconded by Ms. Ray. There was no discussion. Roll Call showed all Commissioners voting AYE.

RESOLUTIONS PASSED:

03-586 Emergency Proclamation Due to Weather Conditions

MEDINA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:

Stephen D. Hambley

Respectfully submitted,

Sharon A. Ray

Pamela J. Terrill, Clerk

Patricia G. Geissman