Medina County

Board of Developmental Disabilities

The Mission of the Medina County Board of Developmental Disabilities is to promote and empower individuals with developmental disabilities to live, learn, work, and socialize as citizens in the community.



December 16, 2024

- Regular Board Meeting: 5:00 p.m.
- Executive Session: Following General Session (if needed)

MCBDD Board Meetings will be held in Board Conference Rooms 1 & 2.

Attendees are requested to follow all posted safety guidelines.

Link to livestream available on mcbdd.org/Events tab/Event Calendar

MEDINA COUNTY BOARD OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES Regular Board Meeting Agenda December 16, 2024

I. Call to Order (5:00 p.m.)

II. General Session (5:00 p.m.)

- A. Pledge of Allegiance
- **B.** Mission Statement Affirmation
- C. Recognitions
 - 1. Staff Retirements (2)
 - 2. Board Member Retirements (2)

D. Approval of Minutes

- 1. Approval of the Minutes from the Regular Board Meeting, November 18, 2024
- E. Follow Up (3)

F. Discussion Items

- 1. Board Member Self Evaluations
- G. Old Business No Old Business

H. New Business

- 1. 2025 Action Plan Approval Resolution #51-24 (ACTION)
- 2. NEON Representative & Alternate Resolution #52-24 (ACTION)
- 3. Approval of 2025 Board Meeting Calendar Resolution #53-24 (ACTION)
- 4. Employment Contracts Resolution #54-24 (ACTION)
- 5. Abolishment and Creation of Position Resolution #55-24 (ACTION)
- 6. Selection of 2025 Nominating Committee (ACTION)

I. Reports Review

- a. Superintendent's Report
- b. Financial Reports:
 - > Revenue
 - > Expenditures
 - ➤ Cash Balance
 - Cash Flow
 - Voucher Report
- c. Acceptance of Financial Reports Resolution #56-24 (ACTION)
- d. Enrollee Statistics Report
- e. Personnel Control Report

III. Open Forum (Board Policy Ch. 2, Sec. 4 E)

- The Board maintains discretion to hold an Open Forum
- Five (5) minutes allotted per speaker
- Forty-five (45) minutes, total of (9) speakers

IV. <u>Executive Session</u>

V. Adjournment

The next Regular Board Meeting is tentatively scheduled for January 27, 2025

Recognition

No Attachment

Meeting Minutes

MEDINA COUNTY BOARD OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

Regular Board Meeting Minutes November 18, 2024

I. Call to Order

The MCBDD Regular Board Meeting was called to order by Board President Andy Olah at 5:06 p.m. Other Board Members present included the following: Mark Gryskiewicz, Sandra Thomas Fain, Ann Salek, Wayne Carroll, Dave Hartman, and Lisa Dreaden.

Staff present included the following: Stacey Maleckar, Annie Finnerty, Shannon Lees, Diana Davis, Carey Bates, Tracey Lambdin, Patti Hetkey, Bobby Richards, Ed Dryer, Jennie Petrarca, and Jackie Shoemaker.

Others present included the following: Keisha Thomas and Jim Budzik (Labor Attorney).

II. Executive Session

A Motion was made by Mr. Olah, seconded by Ms. Thomas Fain, to enter into Executive Session for the following reason(s): Confidential matter regarding three Board employees. The Board entered Executive Session at 5:07 p.m. Ms. Davis and Attorney Budzik were invited to stay. The Board exited Executive Session at 5:54 p.m.

III. General Session

A. Pledge of Allegiance

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

B. Mission Statement Affirmation

The Mission Statement was recited.

Mr. Olah stated that as a result of the Executive Session, there was a revised Agenda and additional Resolution. A Motion was made by Mr. Hartman, seconded by Ms. Salek, to approve the revised Agenda. The Motion was approved with a unanimous "yes" vote.

C. Recognitions

1. Retirement

Ms. Maleckar announced the retirement of three staff; Jackie Shoemaker (Eligibility Assistant), Craig Kroh (SSA), and Marcy Batke (El Coordinator). Ms. Maleckar read the Retirement Proclamations for all three staff. Ms. Shoemaker was in attendance and was presented her Retirement Proclamation by the Board President, Mr. Olah. The Board wished all three staff the very best in their upcoming retirements.

D. Approval of Minutes

1. Approval of the Minutes from the Regular Board Meeting, October 28, 2024

A Motion was made by Ms. Thomas Fain, seconded by Mr. Gryskiewicz, to approve the Minutes from the Regular Board Meeting on October 28, 2024. The Motion was approved with a unanimous "yes" vote.

E. Follow Up

1. How many children that attended Windfall Preschool ended up attending Windfall School?

Ms. Maleckar reviewed the response to Mr. Carroll's question, provided in the Board Packet. Mr. Carroll stated he would like to know how many children left Windfall Preschool to attend their LEA and then ended up coming back to Windfall School. Mr. Lambdin will research this. Mr. Hartman asked if Windfall School is at capacity. Mr. Lambdin stated we have 42 students and could take a few more, depending on the needs of the student. Mr. Carroll asked at what point we would look at opening another classroom. Ms. Maleckar stated that is evaluated yearly.

F. Discussion Items

1. 2025 Action Plan Draft

Ms. Maleckar stated the 2025 Action Plan Draft will be posted for public comment and then will come back to the Board in December for approval; if revisions are needed based on public feedback, they will be made and shared with the Board. Mr. Hartman expressed concern regarding the metrics of the plan goals. He stated he feels the plan is lacking specifics. He also stated that key people in the agency need to be out in the community attending board meetings, etc. Mr. Carroll would like to see how the goals are evaluated and Mr. Gryskiewicz agreed that he would like to see measurable numbers. Ms. Maleckar stated that the specifics of the plan i.e. actions steps, are included in the internal document and monitoring tool used by Management Team to implement the plan and report monthly. In addition, the Board is given an Action Plan Dashboard throughout the year with progress for each goal as well as a yearly summary of the Annual Action Plan. Mr. Olah asked if the Action Plan goals are tied to the staff's evaluations. Ms. Maleckar stated we are moving to that in 2025. Mr. Olah recommended adding more information to the Dashboard Reports. Mr. Hartman asked about moving the Transportation Department under Operations. Ms. Maleckar stated that we mostly use the Transportation Department for Windfall School, which falls under Ms. Finnerty. Mr. Hartman stated that most of the items under Thriving Workforce in the Action Plan are HR related. He asked if the responsible staff are qualified to implement the plan goals. Ms. Maleckar stated that the goal is global. We are continuing to work on increasing the Medina County provider base, which is the Community Supports Department, as well as working on our internal workforce, which is our HR Department.

2. 2025-2027 Strategic Plan Draft

Ms. Maleckar reviewed two revisions that were made after input from the Board and/or public comments:

- 1. Focus Area 1, #1 added "throughout the county."
- 2. Focus Area 3, #1 added "for positions in the DD field."

G. Old-Business

There was no Old-Business.

H. New Business

1. Appropriation Transfer Resolution #42-24 (ACTION)

A Motion was made by Mr. Carroll, seconded by Ms. Thomas Fain, to approve Resolution #42-24 to authorize the Medina County Auditor to make the following appropriation transfers (\$10,000.00) from Community Supports Special Projects to Local Medicaid Match:

From:	То:	Amount:
33003032-50590	33009483-50623	
Comm Spcl Cont Prjt	Medicaid Waiv Loc	\$10,000.00
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Mr. Carroll asked how many individuals are in a DC? Ms. Bates stated we currently have six. The Motion was approved with a unanimous "yes" vote.

2. 2025 Delta Dental Contract Resolution #43-24 (ACTION)

A Motion was made by Mr. Hartman, seconded by Ms. Salek, to approve Resolution #43-24 to authorize the Superintendent to enter into a contract with Delta Dental for the following services: Employee Dental Insurance for 2025. The contract amount shall not exceed \$135,000.00. Mr. Hartman asked if any of the cost is passed to the employee. Ms. Maleckar stated the agency picks up the cost for the Delta dental insurance. Mr. Hartman asked at what age dependents drop off the coverage. Ms. Davis stated age 26. The Motion was approved with a unanimous "yes" vote.

3. 2025 Independent Employment Services Contract Resolution #44-24 (ACTION)

A Motion was made by Mr. Carroll, seconded by Ms. Thomas Fain, to approve Resolution #44-24, to authorize the Superintendent to enter into a contract with Independent Employment Services, LLC. for locally funded individual employment support, career planning and non-medical transportation (NMT) services for 2025. The contract amount shall not exceed \$85,000.00. The Motion was approved with a unanimous "yes" vote.

4. 2025 Midwest Innovations Contract Resolution #45-24 (ACTION)

A Motion was made by Mr. Hartman, seconded by Ms. Salek, to approve Resolution #45-24, to authorize the Superintendent to enter into a contract with Midwest Innovations, LLC. for locally funded day array services and non-medical transportation (NMT) services for 2025. The contract amount shall not exceed \$100,000.00. Mr. Carroll asked how many individuals this contract involves. Ms. Bates will look into this. The Motion was approved with a unanimous "yes" vote.

5. 2025 Windfall Industries Contract Resolution #46-24 (ACTION)

A Motion was made by Ms. Thomas Fain, seconded by Mr. Gryskiewicz, to approve Resolution #46-24, to authorize the Superintendent to enter into a contract with Medina County Sheltered Industries, Inc. for locally funded day array services, individual employment supports, career planning and non-medical transportation (NMT) services for 2025. The contract amount shall not exceed \$200,000.00. Mr. Carroll asked if many individuals move from one provider to another from year to year. Ms. Bates stated that in the beginning of MCBDD's transition out of direct services, there was more movement as individuals were trying to find the right fit, but now most don't move around a lot. The Motion was approved with a unanimous "yes" vote.

6. Annual School Services Resolution #47-24 (ACTION)

A Motion was made by Ms. Salek, seconded by Mr. Carroll, to approve Resolution #47-24, for the Medina County Board of Developmental Disabilities to continue to provide educational services in accordance with each child's Individualized Education Program (IEP) for children ages five through high school graduation who are placed at Windfall School by their IEP team (including at minimum the parent(s), one or more staff representing the local school district, and a Windfall School administrator and teacher), during the 2025-2026 school year. Mr. Carroll stated we used to do a letter with similar wording to each of the districts. Ms. Bates stated that we now share this resolution with the districts each year and have a contract with each LEA. The Motion was approved with a unanimous "yes" vote.

7. 2025-2027 Strategic Plan Approval Resolution #48-24 (ACTION)

A Motion was made by Ms. Thomas Fain, seconded by Mr. Gryskiewicz, to approve Resolution #48-24, to approve the 2025-2027 Strategic Plan as presented. The Board would like to see the monitoring tool used for internal reporting. Ms. Maleckar will send to the Board. The Motion was approved with a unanimous "yes" vote.

8. Board Complaint Resolution #50-24 (ACTION)

A Motion was made by Mr. Olah, seconded by Mr. Hartman, to approve Resolution #50-24, which states the Board received a complaint against three MCBDD employees on October 8, 2024. After an investigation was conducted, the Board finds the complaint to be unsubstantiated. The Motion was approved with a unanimous "yes" vote.

I. Reports Review

- Superintendent's Report Ms. Maleckar reviewed and also discussed the following:
 - > State Accreditation is done and we received a three-year Accreditation! The reviewers were most impressed by the relationships between staff and individuals and our advocacy programs. Great job by all.
 - ➤ Brian Sommers will be moving to the Business Office as the new Medicaid Services Manager. Interviews are underway for the SSA Supervisor position.
- Financial Reports Ms. Bates reviewed
 - > Revenue
 - o \$8.3M Second half tax payment.
 - o \$1.1M Second half rollback.
 - o \$212.33 Prime vendor rebate for GFS.
 - o \$64.68 Gas tax refund.
 - o \$918.10 Shred Day donations for Donor Scholarship.
 - > Expenditures
 - o \$90,832 First Qtr. FY25 Admin fees.
 - o \$18,850 Provider support.
 - o \$21,369 DODD ARPA grant expense.
 - o Electricity three months paid in October.
 - o Wall padding for school.
 - Mower deck for tractor.

- Capital Projects Interior door access readers; down payment for gutter work; final payment for school lockers.
- o \$1,869,564 Second Qtr. FY25 Medicaid match.
- o \$36,757 Five residents in a DC and one new temporary resident.
- Cash Balance
 - o \$40.6M.
- ➤ Monthly Cash Flow
 - o \$6.4M added to fund balance.
 - o \$2.4M YTD added to fund balance, due to tax payment.
- ➤ Voucher Report
 - o Board Member questions were addressed.

Approval of Financial Reports Resolution #49-24 (ACTION)

A Motion was made by Mr. Carroll, seconded by Mr. Hartman, to approve Resolution #49-24 to approve the Financial Reports for October, 2024. The Motion was approved with a unanimous "yes" vote.

- Enrollee Stats
 - Ms. Maleckar reviewed. No concerns or questions.
- Personnel Control Report
 - ➤ Ms. Maleckar reviewed. The new Intervention Specialist has started and will show on next month's report.

IV. Open Forum

FOR APPROVAL

Mr. Carroll asked if there are any Resolutions to be discussed at the OACB Delegate Assembly meeting in December and if so, does the Board have any input or recommendations for voting. Ms. Maleckar stated she is aware of two Resolutions. She will send the Resolutions out to the Board for review and input from all Board Members.

V. Adjournment

A Motion was made by Mr. Hartman, seconded by Ms. Thomas Fain, to adjourn the meeting at 7:12 p.m. The Motion was approved with a unanimous "yes" vote.

Board Chair	Board Secretary	

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Follow Up

Follow-Up Information

December 16, 2024

- 1. Wayne asked how many people were included on the Midwest locally funded day service & NMT contract.
 - There are three locally funded individuals covered under this contract.
- 2. How many Windfall Preschool students returned to Windfall School after attending their LEA.
 - None
- 3. The Board requested to see the Monitoring Tool used by Management Team for internal monitoring and reporting of the Annual Action Plan.
 - Stacey will provide to the Board at the December Board Meeting.

Discussion Items (No Attachment)

Old Business No Old Business

New Business



RESOLUTION #51-24

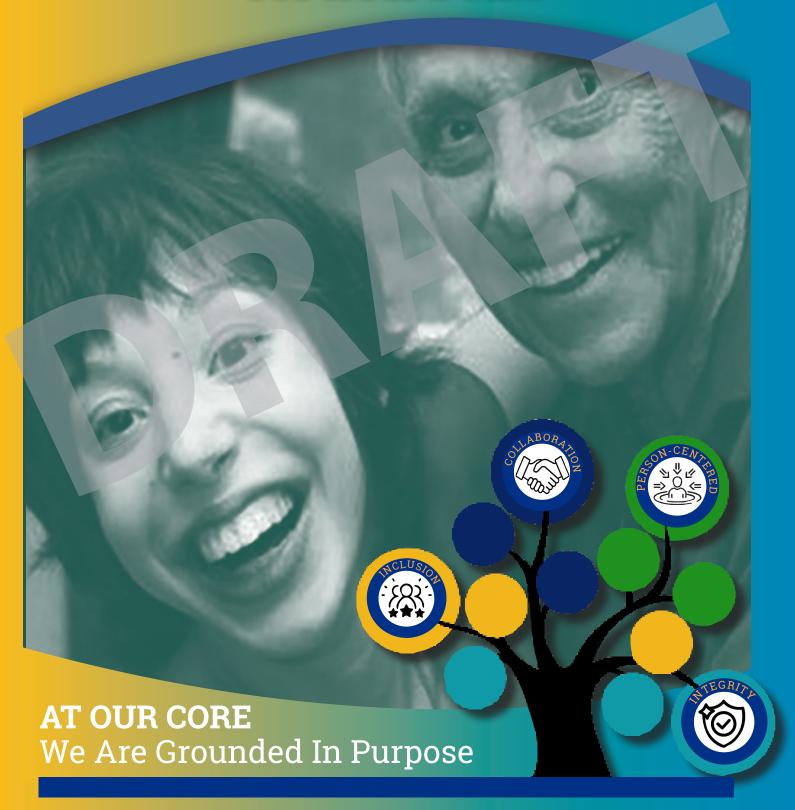
December 16, 2024

MEDINA COUNTY BOARD OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

2025 ACTION PLAN

A motion was made by	, and seconded by	, to approve the 2025
Action Plan as presented.		
Explanation:		
•	pmental Disabilities has developed and a	adonted by resolution a Strategic Plan
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•	nio Administrative Code. In order to im	plement the Strategic Plan, an annual
Action Plan has been prepared and su	omitted to the Board for approval.	
THE MOTION WAS CARRIED A	ND ASSIGNED RESOLUTION #51-2	<u>24</u> .
Board Chair		
Medina County Board of Developmen	ntal Disabilities	





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2025-2027 Strategic Plan Recap



Community Partnership

Enhancing partnerships and outreach that support inclusion, awareness, and engagement in the community.

- **Initiatives:** 1. Increase Community Employment through community partnerships throughout the county.
 - 2. Use community partners to increase inclusion and accessibility throughout the county.
 - 3. Engage community partners through outreach and education.



Wellbeing

Fostering a holistic approach that supports individuals throughout their lives.

- **Initiatives:** 1. Connect individuals and families with support groups and resources for wellbeing.
 - 2. Increase advocacy skills for individuals to utilize throughout their lives.
 - 3. Expand the utilization of technology to promote independence and inclusion.



Thriving Workforce

Cultivating professional workforces that are engaged, informed, invested, and valued.

- **Initiatives:** 1. Assist in recruitment and retention for positions in the developmental disabilities field.
 - 2. Support, train, and develop leadership and workforce.
 - 3. Promote a culture of value and respect within the local DD system.
 - 4. Engage workforces to increase communication and enhance relationships.

AT OUR CORE

We Are Grounded In Purpose

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Community Partnership

Enhancing partnerships and outreach that support inclusion, awareness, and engagement in the community.

- 1. Increase community employment through community partnerships throughout the county.
 - a. Develop Business Advisory Committee to increase business engagement.
 - b. Develop at least two opportunities for relationship between OOD and community employment providers.
 - c. Increase awareness of available community employment services demonstrated by a 10% increase in career planing and IES services.

Initiatives & Strategies

- 2. Use community partners to increase inclusion and accessibility throughout the county.
 - a. Develop an environmental accessibility and inclusion plan.
 - b. Research, develop, and promote a list of local inclusion opportunities.
 - c. Expand partnerships with at least two childcare providers.
 - d. Develop a school district communication/participation plan.
- 3. Engage community partners through outreach and education.
 - a. Collaborate and develop a plan for training and resources for first responders.
 - b. Research, develop, and promote a list of inclusive after-school programs.
 - c. Identify three new communication opportunities to build new connections, provide education, and enhance community knowledge of the agency.





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Wellbeing

Fostering a holistic approach that supports individuals throughout their lives.

- 1. Connect individuals and families with support groups and resources for wellbeing.
 - a. Collaborate with community members to identify and develop a list of support groups for families.
 - b. Collaborate with community members to identify and develop a list of mental health resources.
 - c. Engage with community members to develop a plan to address gaps across the lifespan.

Initiatives & Strategies

- 2. Increase advocacy skills for individuals to utilize throughout their lives.
 - a. Identify and promote at least three new advocacy opportunities.
 - b. Collaborate with agency providers monthly to increase participation in advocacy education.
- 3. Expand the utilization of technology to promote independence and inclusion.
 - a. Enhance staff knowledge of the process and uses of remote supports by developing at least three practical tools.
 - b. Provide education and promotion of assistive technology to Service and Support Administrators (SSAs), teachers, and providers.



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Thriving Workforce

Cultivating professional workforces that are engaged, informed, invested, and valued.

- 1. Assist in recruitment and retention for positions in the developmental disabilities field.
 - a. Increase engagement by at least two providers in recruitment of DSPs.
 - b. Research and develop a plan for additional retention strategies for provider staff.
 - c. Research and develop a plan for additional retention strategies for internal staff.

2. Support, train, and develop leadership and workforce.

- a. Expand training programs by at least three for provider front-line supervisors.
- b. Assess internal agency technology use and develop a three-year technology training plan.
- c. Implement Internal Leadership Program.

3. Promote a culture of value and respect within the local DD system.

- a. Expand DEI initiatives by at least one agency-wide project.
- b. Evaluate and make recommendations for the Employee Resource Committee's function and role.
- c. Create at least three opportunities for awareness of agency core values.

4. Engage workforces to increase communication and enhance relationships.

- a. Develop a Provider Advisory Committee.
- b. Evaluate and make recommendations for MCBDD engagement strategies with providers.
- c. Create at least three new opportunities, resources, or training to improve staff communication and agency-wide relationships.







AT OUR CORE We Are Grounded In Purpose

The Medina County Board of Developmental Disabilities believes our core vision and core values are the foundation on which we conduct our everyday work. In our ever-changing world, our core values remain constant. These values underline our work, how we interact with each other, and how we fulfill our mission.

Core Vision

To partner with individuals, families, providers, and the community to be a valued resource in promoting the abilities, and meeting the needs of, individuals with developmental disabilities.



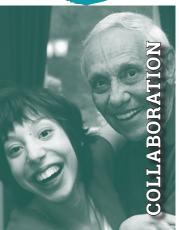
Core Values







We will use resources efficiently to meet the needs of individuals while being committed to transparency, accountability, and quality.



We will work together with individuals, families, providers, and the community through mutual respect for the common good of the people we serve.

Developed and Approved by:

2024 Board of Trustees

Andrew Olah, President
Mark Gryskiewicz, Vice-President
Lisa Dreaden, Secretary
Dave Hartman
Wayne Carroll
Sandra Thomas Fain

Pending Approval

Ann Salek

2024 Management Team

Stacey Maleckar, Superintendent Annie Finnerty, Assistant Superintendent

Carey Bates, Director of Business

Jennie Petrarca, Director of Service and Support Administration

Diana Davis, Director of Human Resources

Ed Dryer, Director of Community Support and Development

Tracey Lambdin, Director of Children's Services

Bobby Richards, Director of Facilities and Technology

Shannon Lees, Executive Administrator

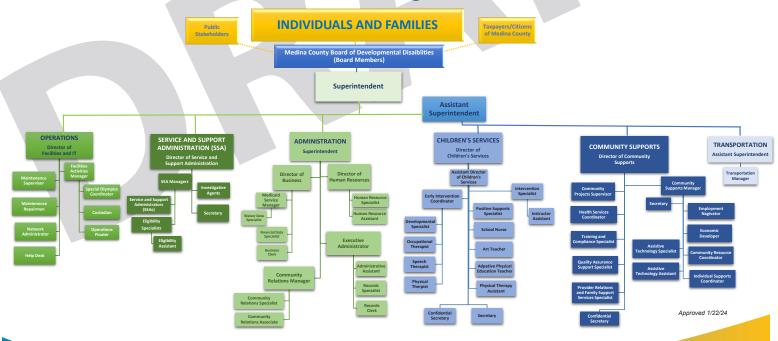
Patti Hetkey, Community Relations Manager



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RESOLUTION #52-24

December 16, 2024

MEDINA COUNTY BOARD OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

NORTH EAST OHIO NETWORK (NEON) COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS REPRESENTATIVE and ALTERNATE

A motion was made by	, and seconded by	, to approve Stacey
Maleckar, Superintendent, as authorized re-	epresentative and Annie Finnerty, As	sistant Superintendent, as alternate
representative to council meetings and in bu	usiness matters of the North East Ohio	Network Council of Governments
effective January 1, 2025 through December	er 31, 2025.	
Explanation :		
To appoint a delegate and an alternate to at	tend, vote, and to give the authority t	o represent the Board's best
interest in all NEON business and meetings	s throughout the year.	
THE MOTION WAS CARRIED AND A	ASSIGNED RESOLUTION #52-24	•
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RESOLUTION #53-24

December 16, 2024

MEDINA COUNTY BOARD OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

2025 Board Meeting Calendar

A	motion	was	made	by		and	seconded	by
				to approve th	e proposed Board Meeting Cale	ndar for yea	ar 2025, as pres	entec
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Boa	rd Committe	e Meeting	gs, and aut	horizes the Boa	rd Secretary/designee to finaliz	e and distri	bute the calend	dar as
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Regular Board Meetings:	
January 27, 2025	Time: 5:30pm*
February 24, 2025	Time: 5:00pm
March 24, 2025	Time: 5:00pm
April 28, 2025	Time: 5:00pm
May 12, 2025	Time: 5:00pm
June 23, 2025	Time: 5:00pm
July 28, 2025	Time: 5:00pm
No Mtg. Scheduled in Augu	ıst
September 22, 2025	Time: 5:00pm
October 27, 2025	Time: 5:00pm
November 17, 2025	Time: 5:00pm
December 15, 2025	Time: 5:00pm
Nominating Committee Mee	<u>eting</u>
January 27, 2025	Time: 4:30pm
Annual Organizational Mee	ting
January 27, 2025	Time: 5:00pm
Ethics Committee Meeting	
May 12 2025	Time: 4:30pm
(Prior to Regular Board Mee	eting)
Special Board Meeting:	
October 6, 2025	Time: 4:30pm
(2026 Budget Draft Review)	
Public Forums: TBD	
*All Regular Board Me	etings are held at the MCBDD and begin
•	t 5pm, unless otherwise noted.

Approved:



RESOLUTION #54-24

December 16, 2024

MEDINA COUNTY BOARD OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

EMPLOYMENT CONTRACTS

A motion was made by contracts:	and seconded by	to approve the following employment
Administration respectfully reques	ts Board approval for the following	g Employment Contracts:
For a period of two years beginnin	g January 1, 2025 through Decemb	per 31, 2026:
 Lillian Selva (Confidential Zachary Kascak (IT Help I Angela Baratuci (Commun 	Desk)	
Explanation:		
least one one-year contract, received	ved an overall performance rating	mployees who have successfully completed at g of satisfactory or above, and have received ere is no additional cost associated with this
THE MOTION WAS CARRIED	O AND ASSIGNED RESOLUTION	ON <u>#54-24.</u>
Board Chair		
Medina County Board of Develop	mental Disabilities	



RESOLUTION #55-24

December 16, 2024

MEDINA COUNTY BOARD OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

ABOLISHMENT and CREATION of POSITION

A motion was made byposition:	, and seconded by	, to abolish the following
• Secretary		
And create:		
• Confidential Secretary		
Explanation: Upon review of departmental needs, Adm in the SSA department to a non-bargain pertaining to personnel and other confide so there will be no negative impact to cur a minimal increase of no more than \$5,00	ing position. This will allow increase ntial matters. The secretary position is rent staff. Depending on the individua	ed support for management in areas s currently vacant due to a retirement al selected, this request may result in
THE MOTION WAS CARRIED AND	ASSIGNED RESOLUTION #55-24	<u>4.</u>
Board Chair		
Medina County Board of Developmental	Disabilities	

Monthly Reports

SSA

- SSA Manager interviews have been conducted, and the department is pleased to announce that Jen Call, a longtime SSA, has accepted the position!
- The SSA Management Team has established priority areas for 2025, with the first focus to
 organize the training and guidance material for SSAs to be able to have efficient access to the
 most current rules and processes.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- MCBDD had a booth at the Northern Medina County Chamber Non-Profit Showcase and featured general information about the MCBDD and employing people with disabilities.
- The MCBDD provided gift baskets and giveaways for several local events hosted by Wadsworth Soprema Senior Center.
- See Community Engagement for samples of media coverage.

EARLY INTERVENTION

- Referrals continued to be steady through the month of November and the total service coordination caseload remains the same.
- A new Early Intervention Service Coordinator (EISC) was hired by Catholic Charities and will begin the onboarding and training process on 12/16.
- A Technical Assistance meeting was held on 11/18 with the EI Regional Program Consultant and Medina County's Early Intervention Leadership Team. Goals for the program for SFY25 plan were developed and agreed upon by the team.
- The EI Regional Program Consultant and the new EI Coordinator developed a schedule for monthly mentorship for the next calendar year.

SCHOOL AGE

- On 11/26, Windfall School held its annual Friendsgiving event. Directors and Administrators served our students and staff. We also had several past employees visit with us this year making this a special moment for our kids. Thank you to everyone that came to support our students.
- One elementary and one high school student were enrolled in Windfall School.
- Tracey Lambdin, Director of Children's Services, toured the I Am Boundless facility to support after school program needs.

COMMUNITY SUPPORTS & DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Past Trainings and Presentations

Date	Title of Training	Presenter	Target Audience
11/19/2024	Let's Talk Housing	John Thomas,	Individuals/Families/Community
	Attendance:	MCBDD	Stakeholders/Providers
	In-person: 8; Virtual: 18		
11/20/2024	Provider & SSA Mingle	Medina County	Providers & SSAs
	Topic: Library Services	District Library Staff	
	Attendance: 41		

11/21/2024	Frontline Supervisor: Skills	Crystal Brodzenski,	Agency Providers
	Required to Guide, Manage,	MCBDD	
	and Monitor a Team		
	Attendance: 6		

Upcoming Trainings and Presentations

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Date	Title of Training	Presenter	Target Audience			
1/15/2025	Trust & Estate	Ann Salek, Estate Planning,	Individuals/Families/Commun			
	Planning	Trust, Probate Law &	ity Stakeholders/Providers			
		Certified Elder Law Attorney				
2/4/2025	Advocacy Information	Various presenters	Individuals/Families			
	Night					
2/5/2025	Frontline Supervisor	Various presenters	Agency Frontline Supervisor			
	Meeting/Training-		Staff			
	Documentation					
Postponed	CPI Verbal	Jerry Thomas & Nicole	Independent Providers &			
to Q1-2025	Intervention	Richter, MCBDD	Families			

Advocacy

Meeting – Midwest was kind enough to host this month on 11/26.

- We gathered in the cafeteria and listened to holiday music with Midwest and AC Passage staff
 and individuals coming together to make beautiful handmade holiday cards for Hospice of
 Medina County to spread some holiday cheer.
- Thank you to Sarah Hartman for her last-minute music save and assistance helping our attendees with their cards.

Curriculum

- In November, Mrs. Radabaugh's morning class participated in two of their four Advocacy curriculum classes.
- They have learned about listening, time management, personal space, problem solving, and ADA accommodations.
- In their upcoming final class, they will discuss goals and receive their certificates of completion.

People Together

- On 11/8, the group presented at Eliza Northrop Elementary. Adina Kolar and a parent participant from Granger Elementary, Dan Brown, spoke in front of 80 students.
- On 11/22, Ms. Kolar and Molly Usner, Community Resource Coordinator, spoke to 90 students at Huntington Elementary about their lives, as well as, both invisible and visible disabilities.

Provider Support

DSP Spotlight

Connie Mantz, was recognized for the December DSP Spotlight. Connie has been working for The Society as a Direct Support Professional for the past nine years. Connie was nominated by Melanie Kasten-Krause, who stated, "The individuals we support want to know that they can count on their

DSP; that the DSP understands their likes/dislikes and that the DSP enjoys spending time with them. This describes DSP, Connie Mantz. Connie is an anchor; a firm foundation in the lives of the individuals she supports." When Connie was asked, "What is your favorite part of being a Direct Support Professional?" She replied, "I may get paid, but its more than a job for me. I'm not perfect and may be having my own bad day, but I try to catch myself and be humbled. To be humbled brings me reward that I can be there to make a difference for someone and extend that extra helping hand to those in need and not as fortunate as I. Hoping that someone would do the same for me if needed someday." Congratulations, Connie!!!

OPERATIONS

- Paint and blinds were updated in the Business Office.
- Gutters to be installed by the end of the year.
- Electrical work for the future Bleacher Project began.

AKTION CLUB

- Sixty Blessing Baskets were delivered to Cups Café.
- Hospice exterior decorations are completed.
- Next up is ringing the bell for the Salvation Army on 12/6 and lunch with Santa on 12/14.

SPECIAL OLYMPICS OHIO MEDINA COUNTY BOARD OF DD

188 Athletes; 27 Unified Partners

- 131 Bowling; 27 Unified Partners
- 38 Basketball
- 19 Swim
- <u>Basketball:</u> Practices began 11/5. There are two teams: Division 3 and Division 5. Thirteen Basketball Skills Athletes are also participating. Each team currently has 10 home/away games scheduled from November through the end of January.
- Swim: Practices began 11/5 at Medina Community Recreation Center.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- Wadsworth YMCA Pickleball continues weekly on Tuesdays from 6:30 7:30 p.m. Sixteen Athletes currently participate; the YMCA Pickleball Coordinator cannot accept any more Athletes at this time due to space and assistance needed.
- S.O. Ohio has decided to select Pickleball and Cornhole as exhibition sports in 2025; aiming to have regional events in 2026 and state-held events in 2027 for these two sports.
- S.O. Ohio has collaborated with local YMCAs to offer free membership to current S.O. Athletes in the state. S.O. Medina continues to participate and shares information regarding this free membership.
- Fall 2024 Bowling began on 9/9 at Medina Lanes. The Fall Bowling Banquet is scheduled for 1/6/2025; Spring session will begin on 1/13/2025.
- The Black Friday Bowl fundraising event (flag football game) was held Friday, 11/29 at Medina High School Ken Dukes Stadium.
- The Regional Basketball event is scheduled on the weekend of 2/7-9/25, at Spire Institute in Geneva, Ohio.

- The Regional Swim Event is scheduled on Sunday, 2/2/25, at Canton McKinley High School.
- State Winter Games (Basketball and Swim) are scheduled the weekend of 3/7-9/25, and will be held at The Ohio State University.
- Amy Smith, S.O. Medina Coordinator, gave a presentation at the Brunswick Rotary Club on 11/21 to promote the Special Olympics program.

MEDINA COUNTY BOARD OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES MONTHLY STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS ALL FUNDS 11/30/2024

	VARIANCE ANALYSIS									
ACCT	TITLE	BUDGETED RECEIPTS	SEP	ОСТ	NOV	YTD RECEIPTS CURRENT YEAR	YTD RECEIPTS PRIOR YEAR	INCREASE (DECREASE)	% INCR. (DECR.)	% OF BUDGET RECEIVED
										91.67%
2856-40008	SALES TAX REVENUE	27,000	-	7,458	-	29,110	28,305	805	2.84	107.81
3300-40001	REAL ESTATE TAX (3)	17,745,841	-	8,284,848	-	17,908,177	17,736,072	172,105	0.97	100.91
3300-40009	ST PYMT IN LIEU OF TAXES	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-
3300-40011	ROLLBACK/HOMESTEAD TAX (2)	2,100,475	-	1,056,521	-	2,114,223	2,089,201	25,022	1.20	100.65
3300-40250	FEES	3,300	-	-	-	1,500	4,075	(2,575)		45.45
3300-40420	GENERAL REIMBURSEMENTS	1,062,100	46,614	161,118	152,556	964,627	736,614	228,013	30.95	90.82
3300-40435	MEDICAID SETTLEMENT (7)	1,297,000	-	-	-	1,007,451	1,670,270	(662,819)	(39.68)	77.68
3300-40438	TARGETED CASE MGT (5)	1,160,239	103,759	87,182	93,347	946,519	1,014,502	(67,983)	(6.70)	81.58
3300-40439	WAIVER INCOME (5)	7,000	1,962	1,774	-	19,737	31,447	(11,710)	(37.24)	281.96
3300-40440	MAC	598,000	154,382	-	-	473,910	437,239	36,672	8.39	79.25
3300-40599	OTHER REVENUE	12,000	1,077	1,558	1,167	12,987	18,806	(5,819)	(30.94)	108.22
3300-40601	GRANTS - FEDERAL (4)	128,700	29,339	3,016	16,896	108,517	139,670	(31,153)	(22.30)	84.32
2855/3300-40602	GRANTS - STATE (4)	313,500	57,167	-	512	154,000	43,988	110,012	250.10	49.12
3300-40606	OOD	20,000	-	-	-	17,265	149,023	(131,759)	(88.41)	86.32
3300-40612	DEPT OF ED SUBSIDY	560,000	46,809	47,195	70,794	546,214	560,482	(14,267)	(2.55)	97.54
3300-40710	RENT	116,000	9,262	9,262	9,262	101,882	107,428	(5,546)	(5.16)	87.83
3315/3300-40712	REFUNDS	3,500	345	65		597	6,865	(6,268)	(91.30)	17.06
3300-40799	OTHER NON-REVENUE (9)	-			-	-	70	(70)	(100.00)	-
3315-40072	DONATIONS (6)	5,000	300	918	-	6,812	3,862	2,950	76.39	136.24
3315-40503	INTEREST	4,500	-	-	-	-	4,736	(4,736)	(100.00)	-
	GRAND TOTALS	25,164,155	451,016	9,660,917	344,535	24,413,528	24,782,655	(369,127)	(1.49)	97.02
		check:	451,015.57	9,660,917.01	344,534.50	24,413,528.14	24,782,654.94			
2855-40450	TRANSFERS (8)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		

Footnotes:

1. This report combines all funds for MCBDD (General, Capital, Capital Sales Tax and Donated).

- 2. Rollback/ Homestead is the portion of Real Estate Taxes that are paid by the State twice a year.
- 3. Real Estate taxes are received twice a year typically in April and August or September. 1st half rec'd 4/12/24, 2nd half rec'd 10/4/24.
- 4. Grants Federal (Title XX, National School Lunch, Title VI), Grants State (RAP, Capital Assistance Grants (Housing), Other State Grants)
- 5. Medicaid payments (Waiver & Targeted Case Management) 2024 waiver revenue is Transit NMT waiver billing only.
- 6. Donations received (3315-40072): Mar (6) donations received for \$600 in memory of Sue Barnes Brown (donor scholarship), Apr (5) donations received for \$475 in memory of Sue Barnes Brown (donor scholarship), \$1200 received from Bob Sefcik to be used for camperships, (2) donations received for \$1000 from Ullman Oil Co. for their Educational Alliance program (supporting local schools) (Windfall School), May donation received from Laura and Bob Calmer in memory of L.B. (former student) (Windfall School), Jun \$673.93 Ice Cream Social donations (to Special Events). Jul- \$1495 (cash and two check donations from Community Shred Day (to donor scholarship), Sep \$300 from Chatham Volunteer Firemen's Association (to El), Oct \$918.10 (cash and two check donations from Community Shred Day (to donor scholarship).

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(369,126.80)

- 7. Medicaid Settlement cost report and waiver match reconciliations. For CY24, we expect FY22 waiver match reconciliation and CY21 cost report settlement (budgeted for CY20 to be rec'd in 2024 but received 12/2023).
- 8. Cash transfer from general fund to capital improvement fund no cash transfers expected in CY24.
- 9. Other Non-revenue insurance premiums PT staff (moved to 40420 general reimbursements in 2023)

MEDINA COUNTY BOARD OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES MONTHLY EXPENDITURE STATEMENT ALL FUNDS NOVEMBER 2024

									YTD VAF	IANCE ANALYSI	S	L	
		INITIAL	BUDGET	ADJUSTED				YTD	YTD	YTD	INCREASE	UNSPENT	%
ACCT	TITLE	BUDGET	CHANGES	BUDGET	SEP	OCT	NOV	BUDGET	EXPENDED	PRIOR YEAR	(DECREASE)	BALANCE 2024	SPENT
													91.67
VARIOUS	SALARIES (5)	8,616,283	-	8,616,283	633,847	671,865	1,033,645	7,953,492	7,806,463	7,151,266	655,197	809,820	90.6
3300-50060	WORKERS COMP	86,085		86,085	6,339	6,719	10,348	79,463	78,170	71,311	6,859	7,915	90.8
3300-50070	UNEMPLOYMENT	68,862	-	68,862	-	-	-	63,565	-	11,638	(11,638)	68,862	-
3300-50080	PERS	986,805	-	986,805	73,815	74,232	120,922	910,897	890,455	819,007	71,448	96,350	90.2
3300-50081	MEDICARE	124,827	-	124,827	8,774	9,324	14,519	115,225	107,019	97,699	9,320	17,808	85.7
3300-50082	STRS	218,424	-	218,424	15,536	15,268	24,405	201,622	201,886	174,614	27,272	16,538	92.4
3300-50090	HOSPITALIZATION	2,552,437	-	2,552,437	178,776	179,647	177,333	2,356,096	2,024,067	1,905,344	118,722	528,370	79.3
3300-50091	DENTAL INSURANCE	135,413	-	135,413	9,660	18,394	-	124,129	104,066	118,367	(14,301)	31,347	76.8
3300/3315-50100	SUPPLIES	178,815	-	178,815	19,766	10,291	18,440	163,914	134,421	163,510	(29,089)	44,394	75.1
3300-50200	MATERIALS	17,350	-	17,350	150	1,559	1,770	15,904	13,355	8,167	5,188	3,995	76.9
3300-50230	REPAIRS	51,300	-	51,300	6,255	10,259	3,978	47,025	47,205	45,859	1,346	4,095	92.0
3300-50250	EMERGENCY RELIEF	25,000	-	25,000	5,888	-	-	22,917	10,125	722	9,403	14,875	40.5
3300-50450	FEES	390,150	-	390,150	700	90,832	-	357,638	370,937	352,827	18,110	19,213	95.0
3300-50515	PROPERTY & LIABILITY INS	61,300	-	61,300	12,518	-	-	56,192	52,646	52,796	(150)	8,654	85.8
3300-50536	VEHICLE INSURANCE	9,000	-	9,000	-	-	-	8,250	9,000	8,723	277	-	100.0
3300-50540	ADVERTISING	41,600	-	41,600	5,331	2,717	1,817	38,133	36,801	33,111	3,690	4,799	88.40
3300/3315-50541	PRINTING	7,050	-	7,050	1,591	-		6,463	4,002	3,806	196	3,048	56.76
3300/3315-50560	TRAVEL	123,750	-	123,750	8,046	6.128	6.582	113,438	83,041	106,641	(23,600)	40,709	67.10
3300/3315-50580	CONTRACT SERVICES	2,425,747	(88.800)	2.336.947	133,895	148,993	170,367	2,142,201	1.784,200	1.674.765	109,435	552,747	76.3
3300-50590	SPECIAL PROJECTS	444,000	162,000	606,000	31,055	40,345	40,163	555,500	230,993	203,152	27,841	375,007	38.12
3300-50600	GASOLINE	4,500	-	4,500	1,034	159	225	4,125	3,241	3,277	(35)	1,259	72.03
3300/3315-50610	OTHER EXPENSE (3)	81,005	-	81,005	1,539	1,224	5,540	74,255	79,883	83,152	(3,269)	1,122	98.62
VARIOUS	UTILITIES	265,150	-	265,150	18,408	28,823	7,474	243,054	205,118	195,128	9,990	60,032	77.30
3300/3315-50711	RENTALS	7,000	-	7,000	-	-	-	6,417	3,899	3,709	190	3,101	55.7
3300/3315-50780	EQUIPMENT	92,950	-	92,950	6.647	5.500	13,503	85,204	80,224	96,446	(16,222)	12,726	86.3
2855-50580	CONTRACT SERVICES (CI)	25,000	_	25,000	-	-		22,917	7.115	3,090	4.025	17.885	28.40
2855-50590/50780	CAPITAL PROJECTS/EQUIP (CI)	593,000	-	593,000	89,741	60.714	7.942	543.583	608,259	686,915	(78,655)	(15,259)	102.5
2856-50590	CAPITAL PROJECTS (SALES TAX)	27,000	_	27,000	22,900	-	- 1,0 1	24,750	22,900	32,000	(9,100)	4,100	84.8
SUBTOTAL - EXPENDI		17,659,803	73,200	17.733.003	1,292,210	1,382,993	1,658,972	16,336,366	14,999,493	14,107,042	892,451	2,733,510	84.59
3300-50623	MEDICAID LOCAL MATCH (2)	8,418,000	(72,000)	8.346.000	37.983	1,906,322	37.983	7.650,500	8,295,185	6.185.312	2.109.873	50.815	99.39
0000 00020	INIEBIONIB EGGNE III. IT GTT (E)	0,110,000	(12,000)	0,0.0,000	07,000	1,000,022	0.,000	7,000,000	0,200,100	0,100,012	2,100,010	00,010	00.0
GRAND TOTALS		26.077.803	1,200	26.079.003	1.330.193	3,289,315	1.696.955	23.986.866	23,294,678	20.292.354	3.002.324	2.784.325	89.32
PRIOR YEAR CARRYO	VER (4)		.,		-	-	-		625,950	809.308	(183,358)		
	check:	26,077,803	1,200	26.079.003	1,330,192.97	3.289.314.94	1,696,954.57	23,986,866	23.294.677.63	20,292,353.88	(122,222)	2.784.325	
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3300-50960	TRANSFERS (6)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
3300-50981	RESERVE GENERAL (7)	8.685.895	(141.615)	8.544.280	- 1	- 1	- 1	8,544,280	-	8.665.888	(121.608)	8.544.280	-
2855-50981	RESERVE CAPITAL (7)	2.183.357	-	2.183.357	-	-	-	2.183.357	-	2.801.357	(618,000)	2.183.357	-
TOTAL RESERVE AMO	- ()	10.869.252	(141.615)	10.727.637				10,727,637		11.467.245	(739,608)	,,	

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FOOTNOTES:

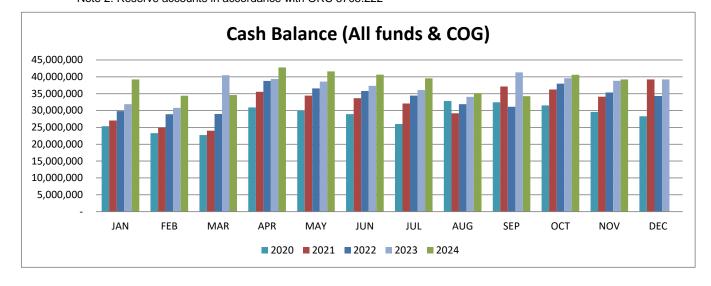
- 1. This report combines all funds for MCBDD (General, Capital, Sales Tax and Donated); Initial Budget is the initial approved 2024 Budget. Budget changes are for appropriation transfers, increases or decreases that occur after the initial budget is approved. Adjusted budget is current budget net of budget changes.
- 2. Local Match includes quarterly payments plus 5th invoice to DODD for Medicaid match, as well as match for those individuals living in a DC.
- 3. Other Expense includes one-time payments (e.g. professional memberships OACBDD, OPRA, Chambers, etc.).
- 4. Prior Year Carry-over is 2023 expenses paid in 2024.
- 5. Salaries three pay months (May and November 2024).
- 6. Transfers- This is not an expense but is needed to transfer money from the general fund to the capital improvement fund (none needed for 2024)
- 7. Reserve Designated reserve accounts covered by ORC 5705.222 (C)

MEDINA COUNTY BOARD OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES CASH BALANCE FOR MONTH ENDING:

November 30, 2024

			CURRENT	PRIOR	NET
			YEAR	YEAR	CHANGE
FUND#	2855	Capital Fund	2,376,257.85	2,381,858.85	(5,601.00)
	2855	Capital Fund Reserve	2,183,357.00	2,801,357.00	(618,000.00)
	2856	Capital Sales Tax Fund	14,231.46	8,021.61	6,209.85
	3300	General Fund	25,930,041.02	24,788,515.17	1,141,525.85
	3300	General Fund Reserve	8,544,280.00	8,665,888.00	(121,608.00)
	3315	Donated Fund	62,644.40	75,982.64	(13,338.24)
	NA	Residential Fund- Held by NEON	116,406.12	90,770.72	25,635.40
		TOTALS	39,227,217.85	38,812,393.99	414,823.86
		RESERVE TOTAL	10,727,637.00	11,467,245.00	(739,608.00)
		TOTALS LESS RESERVES	28,499,580.85	27,345,148.99	1,154,431.86

Note 1: Cash held by NEON is used to pay Supported Living and Family Support Services Note 2: Reserve accounts in accordance with ORC 5705.222



MEDINA COUNTY BOARD OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES MONTHLY CASH FLOW 11/30/2024 BEGINNING YTD **FUND** DESCRIPTION BALANCE JAN FEB MAR APR MAY JUN AUG SEP OCT NOV TOTAL 2855 Capital Improvements Revenue 50 000 00 \$ 5.174.989.14 \$ \$ 2855 Capital Improvements Expenses 122,858.67 170,393.43 10,786.00 \$ 42,137.50 \$ 15,584.00 \$ 3,454.80 91,763.67 89,740.50 \$ 60,714.05 615.374.29 Total Cash Available: \$ 5,124,989.14 \$ 5,002,130.47 \$ 4,831,737.04 \$ 4,820,951.04 \$ 4,778,813.54 \$ 4,763,229.54 \$ 4,809,774.74 \$ 4,809,774.74 \$ 4,718,011.07 \$ 4,628,270.57 \$ 4,567,556.52 \$ 4,559,614.85 \$ 4,559,614.85 Capital Sales Tax Revenue 2856 7 478 08 7 441 65 6.731.92 7 458 20 37,131.46 2856 Capital Sales Tax Expenses 22,900.00 22,900.00 6,773.26 \$ Total Cash Available: \$ 8,021.61 \$ 15,499,69 15.499.69 15.499.69 \$ 15,499,69 \$ 22.941.34 \$ 22.941.34 29.673.26 29.673.26 14.231.46 \$ 14.231.46 14,231.46 344,534.50 3300 General Fund Revenue 253,751.54 325,624.24 \$ 1,399,117.46 \$ 10,951,744.34 \$ 402,820.27 \$ 192,792.62 179,182.48 174,782.53 450,715.57 \$ 9,652,540.71 \$ \$ 57,111,436.66 3300 General Fund Expenditures \$ 2,826,355.93 \$ 1,385,739.47 \$ 1,171,281.85 \$ 2,705,144.20 \$ 1,547,995.76 \$ 1,178,632.40 \$ 1,257,900.66 \$ 4,434,133.62 \$ 1,216,668.61 \$ 3,224,353.62 \$ 1,688,909.52 \$ 22,637,115.64 Total Cash Available: \$ 32,783,830.40 \$ 30,211,226.01 \$ 29,151,110.78 \$ 29,378,946.39 \$ 37,625,546.53 \$ 36,480,371.04 \$ 35,494,531.26 \$ 34,415,813.08 \$ 30,156,461.99 \$ 29,390,508.95 \$ 35,818,696.04 \$ 34,474,321.02 \$ 34,474,321.02 3315 Donated Fund Revenue 600.00 \$ 2.675.00 \$ 150.00 \$ 673.93 1.495.00 300.00 \$ 918 10 81,932.10 955.14 \$ 3315 Donated Fund Expenditures 320.00 319.60 \$ 2,285.00 \$ 2,090.56 5,382.89 2,700.00 883.86 \$ 4.247.27 103.38 19,287.70 75,120.07 \$ 75,120.07 74,800.07 75,080.47 \$ 76,800.33 \$ 74,665.33 \$ 66,660.81 66,076.95 \$ 62,747.78 \$ 62,644.40 Total Cash Available: \$ 73.248.70 \$ 69,360.81 62,644.40 All Fund Revenue ALL 261,229,62 325.624.24 \$ 1.399.717.46 \$ 10.954.419.34 \$ 410.411.92 \$ 243.466.55 \$ 187,409,40 174.782.53 451.015.57 \$ 9.660.917.01 \$ 344.534.50 \$ 62,405,489,36 All Fund Expenditures ALL \$ 2,949,214.60 \$ 1,556,452.90 \$ 1,182,387.45 \$ 2,748,236.84 \$ 1,565,864.76 \$ 1,184,177.76 \$ 1,263,283.55 \$ 4,528,597.29 \$ 1,330,192.97 \$ 3,289,314.94 \$ 1,696,954.57

Total Cash Available: \$ 37.991.961.22 \$ 35.303.976.24

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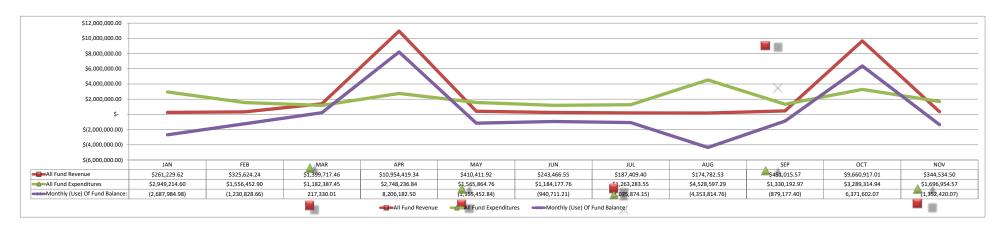
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FOOTNOTES:

Monthly (Use) Of Fund Balance:

(1) Funds held at NEON are not included here since money available is already included as a transfer from Fund 3300, earmarked for Supported Living and Family Support Services (NEON balance 11/30/24: \$116,406.12)



Sum of AMOUNT	Fund					
Vendor	2855		3300	3315	G	rand Total
AC PASSAGE ENTERPRIS						
CRC-ADS-08/12/24-10/11/24 (DG)		\$	476.00		\$	476.00
CRC-NMT-08/12/24-10/11/24 (DG)		\$	452.64		\$	452.64
CS-DSP-U PROVIDER INTERNSHIP GRANT		\$	627.00		\$	627.00
AC PASSAGE ENTERPRIS Total		\$	1,555.64		\$	1,555.64
AIRGAS USA LLC			•			
NU-OXYGEN TANK RENTAL FEES-10/01/24-10/31/24		\$	34.00		\$	34.00
AIRGAS USA LLC Total		\$	34.00		\$	34.00
AKRON AREA YMCA						
CRC-RESPITE SERVICES-06/09/24-06/14/24 (CC)		\$	750.00		\$	750.00
CRC-RESPITE SERVICES-06/09/24-06/14/24 (ZC)		\$	750.00		\$	750.00
CRC-SUMMER CAMPERSHIP (LD)		\$	400.00		\$	400.00
AKRON AREA YMCA Total		\$	1,900.00		\$	1,900.00
ALONOVUS CORP						<u> </u>
CR-ADVERTISING & PRINTING-10/17/24		\$	549.75		\$	549.75
ALONOVUS CORP Total		\$	549.75		\$	549.75
AMAZON CAPITAL SERVI		Ť			Ť	
A-SUPPLIES		\$	155.79		\$	155.79
CR-SUPPLIES		\$	203.97		\$	203.97
ES-SUPPLIES		\$	106.55		\$	106.55
M-SUPPLIES		\$	275.10		\$	275.10
NU-SUPPLIES NU-SUPPLIES		\$	198.01		\$	198.01
PT-SUPPLIES		\$	586.08		Ś	586.08
SA-SUPPLIES		\$	266.59		\$	266.59
SSAS-SUPPLIES		\$	475.00		\$	475.00
AMAZON CAPITAL SERVI Total		Ś	2,267.09		Ś	2,267.09
AMERICAN RED CROSS H		+			+	
CS-FIRST AID/CPR-8/12/24 & 10/7-10/21/24(DH/PW/NR)		\$	570.00		\$	570.00
AMERICAN RED CROSS H Total		Ś	570.00		Ś	570.00
APOLLO PEST CONTROL		+	570.00		7	570.00
M-PEST CONTROL SVCS-10/28/24		\$	88.00		\$	88.00
APOLLO PEST CONTROL Total		Ś	88.00		Ś	88.00
ARMSTRONG CABLE SERV		+	00.00		+	
AT/M-INTERNET SERVICES-11/15/24-12/14/24		\$	304.90		Ś	304.90
ARMSTRONG CABLE SERV Total		\$	304.90		\$	304.90
ASIAN SERVICES IN AC		-	304130		Ť	304.30
EI-INTERPRETER SERVICES-10/02/24 (GS)		\$	82.08		\$	82.08
EI-INTERPRETER SERVICES-10/16/24 (GS)		\$	82.08		\$	82.08
ASIAN SERVICES IN AC Total		Ś	164.16		\$	164.16
B & H PHOTO		7	104.10		Ť	104.10
IT-SUPPLIES		\$	1,156.53		\$	1,156.53
B & H PHOTO Total		\$	1,156.53		\$	1,156.53
BERNARDI KIM		7	1,130.33		7	1,130.33
CS-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$	129.98		\$	129.98
BERNARDI KIM Total		Ś	129.98		\$	129.98
BORDEN DAIRY		7	125.50		7	125.50
DS-SUPPLIES		\$	143.30		\$	143.30
BORDEN DAIRY Total		\$	143.30		\$	143.30
BRITTCO LLC		7	173.30		٠	143.30
IT-SOFTWARE MONTHLY SUBSCRIPTION-NOV 24		Ś	3,550.00		Ś	3,550.00
BRITTCO LLC Total		\$	3,550.00 3,550.00		\$	3,550.00
		۶	3,330.00		۶	3,330.00
BUDGET BLINDS OF MED A CURRILES (DEPOSIT FOR BLISINESS OFFICE BLINDS)		۲.	1 204 00		۲	1 204 00
A-MIRRIES INTRUST FOR RUSINESS CIFFICE RUNNISC	1	l S	1,384.00		\$	1,384.00
A-SUPPLIES (DEPOSIT FOR BUSINESS OFFICE BLINDS) M-SUPPLIES/EQUIPMENT (FINAL PMT-BLINDS SCHOOLSIDE)		\$	2,350.35		\$	2,350.35

Sum of AMOUNT	Fund			
Vendor	2855	3300	3315	Grand Total
BUEHLERS FOOD MARKET				
A-CATERING FOR BOARD MEETING-10/28/24		\$ 24.38		\$ 24.38
BUEHLERS FOOD MARKET Total		\$ 24.38		\$ 24.38
CDW GOVERNMENT LLC				
IT-CARBONITE-3YR SUB-7YR RETENTION OF MS 0365 DATA		\$ 13,534.15		\$ 13,534.15
CDW GOVERNMENT LLC Total		\$ 13,534.15		\$ 13,534.15
CITY OF MEDINA		7,		7 20,000
CS-UNIVERSAL CHANGING TABLE REIMBURSEMENT		\$ 8,680.00		\$ 8,680.00
CITY OF MEDINA Total		\$ 8,680.00		\$ 8,680.00
CLEVELAND COMMUNICAT		7 0,000.00		7 3,000.00
M-HARRIS RADIOS TO CONNECT W/MEDINA CNTY DISPATCH		\$ 12,027.20		\$ 12,027.20
CLEVELAND COMMUNICAT Total		\$ 12,027.20		\$ 12,027.20
COLUMBIA GAS OF OHIO		\$ 12,027.20		V 12,027,120
M-GAS-09/13/24-10/11/24		\$ 696.27		\$ 696.27
COLUMBIA GAS OF OHIO Total		\$ 696.27		\$ 696.27
CONSTELLATION NEWENE		ÿ 050.27		y 050.27
M-GAS-OCT 24		\$ 207.35		\$ 207.35
CONSTELLATION NEWENE Total		\$ 207.35		\$ 207.35
		\$ 207.55		\$ 207.55
CONSUMER SUPPORT SER		¢ 2.404.05	-	¢ 2,404.05
CRC-NMT-09/03/24-09/30/24 (MC/MD/MR/CW)		\$ 2,404.65		\$ 2,404.65
CRC-NMT-09/16/24-09/30/24 (MR)		\$ 282.90		\$ 282.90
CRC-NMT-10/01/24-10/31/24 (MC/MD/MR/CW)		\$ 2,942.16		\$ 2,942.16
CS-DSP REFERRAL		\$ 500.00		\$ 500.00
CONSUMER SUPPORT SER Total		\$ 6,129.71		\$ 6,129.71
CRITZER KELLY				
OT-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$ 117.99		\$ 117.99
CRITZER KELLY Total		\$ 117.99		\$ 117.99
CROSS CREEK APARTMEN				
CRC-RENTAL ASSISTANCE-DEC 24 (LM)		\$ 512.00		\$ 512.00
CROSS CREEK APARTMEN Total		\$ 512.00		\$ 512.00
CROWN TROPHY OF MEDI				
A-RETIREMENT PLAQUES (AS/STF)		\$ 130.00		\$ 130.00
CROWN TROPHY OF MEDI Total		\$ 130.00		\$ 130.00
CURTIS KENNETH				
SSA-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$ 581.83		\$ 581.83
CURTIS KENNETH Total		\$ 581.83		\$ 581.83
CYBERNETICS				
IT-ANNUAL MAINTENANCE UPGRADE RENEWAL		\$ 8,776.00		\$ 8,776.00
CYBERNETICS Total		\$ 8,776.00		\$ 8,776.00
DERGA ANDREW				
SSAS-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$ 40.20		\$ 40.20
SSAS-TRAVEL REIMBURSEMENT		\$ 261.30		\$ 261.30
DERGA ANDREW Total		\$ 301.50		\$ 301.50
DRESDEN JASON		,		
CE-TRAVEL REIMBURSEMENT		\$ 170.18		\$ 170.18
DRESDEN JASON Total		\$ 170.18		\$ 170.18
E.S. BEVERIDGE & ASS		¥ 270.20		V 27 57 20
HR-COBRA ADMIN SERVICES-NOV 24		\$ 102.00		\$ 102.00
E.S. BEVERIDGE & ASS Total		\$ 102.00		\$ 102.00
EASTERSEALS CENTRAL		7 102.00		7 102.00
CRC-ADS-10/02/24-10/31/24 (LW)		\$ 1,071.00	1	\$ 1,071.00
CRC-NMT-10/02/24-10/31/24 (LW)		\$ 1,071.00 \$ 933.57	1	1
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EASTERSEALS CENTRAL Total		\$ 2,004.57	1	\$ 2,004.57
ENCOMPASS SUPPLY CHA		ć 04.35		ć 04.35
SSAS-SUPPLIES FNCOMBASS SUPPLY CHA T-4-1		\$ 81.35		\$ 81.35
ENCOMPASS SUPPLY CHA Total		\$ 81.35		\$ 81.35
FAIRLAWNGIG		±		
M-BUSINESS STATIC 13/BUSINESS BASIC-11/16-12/15/24		\$ 600.00	ļ	\$ 600.00
FAIRLAWNGIG Total		\$ 600.00		\$ 600.00

Sum of AMOUNT	Fund					
Vendor	2855		3300	3315	Gr	and Total
FILTRA SYSTEMS COMPA						
M-SUPPLIES		\$	255.00		\$	255.00
FILTRA SYSTEMS COMPA Total		\$	255.00		\$	255.00
FIRST COMMUNICATIONS						
M-TELEPHONE-NOV 24		\$	2,756.72		\$	2,756.72
FIRST COMMUNICATIONS Total		\$	2,756.72		\$	2,756.72
GOLD CARE SERVICES						
CRC-RESPITE SERVICES-OCT 24 (KB)		\$	960.00		\$	960.00
GOLD CARE SERVICES Total		\$	960.00		\$	960.00
GORDON FOOD SERVICE						
A-CATERING SUPPLIES		\$	58.90		\$	58.90
CR-SUPPLIES (REPLAY FOR KIDS EVENT-10/27/24)		\$	263.21		\$	263.21
DS-FSLP-CAFETERIA GROCERIES		\$	151.25		\$	151.25
DS-FSLP-CAFETERIA GROCERIES/DS-CATERING/SUPPLIES		\$	152.51		\$	152.51
HR-SUPPLIES (EMPLOYEE BENEFITS FAIR-11/04/24)		\$	79.91		\$	79.91
GORDON FOOD SERVICE Total		\$	705.78		\$	705.78
GRAINGER						
M-MATERIALS		\$	124.84		\$	124.84
GRAINGER Total		\$	124.84		\$	124.84
GRAPHIC ENTERPRISES		T				
COPIER MAINTENANCE-09/28/24-10/27/24		\$	1,357.63		\$	1,357.63
PRINTER MAINTENANCE-11/01/24-11/30/24		\$	551.25		\$	551.25
SSA-SUPPLIES		\$	79.99		\$	79.99
GRAPHIC ENTERPRISES Total		\$	1,988.87		\$	1,988.87
GREEN CATHERINE						
SSA-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$	200.43		\$	200.43
GREEN CATHERINE Total		\$	200.43		\$	200.43
GREENLEAF FAMILY CEN						
CRC-INTERPRETER SVCS-10/21/24-10/31/24 (RS)		\$	960.00		\$	960.00
CRC-INTERPRETER SVCS-11/01/24-11/07/24 (RS)		\$	600.00		\$	600.00
CRC-INTERPRETER SVCS-OCT-10/11/24-10/18/24 (RS)		\$	720.00		\$	720.00
GREENLEAF FAMILY CEN Total		\$	2,280.00		\$	2,280.00
HINCKLEY CHAMBER OF						
CE-ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP		\$	50.00		\$	50.00
HINCKLEY CHAMBER OF Total		\$	50.00		\$	50.00
HOME DEPOT CREDIT SE						
DF-MG-SUPPLIES				\$ 103.38	\$	103.38
M-MATERIALS		\$	98.66		\$	98.66
M-SUPPLIES		\$	90.08		\$	90.08
HOME DEPOT CREDIT SE Total		\$	188.74	\$ 103.38	\$	292.12
HUMPHREY DEBBIE						
EI-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$	247.23		\$	247.23
HUMPHREY DEBBIE Total		\$	247.23		\$	247.23
HUNTINGTON NATIONAL						
A-CONFERENCE LODGING-11/01/24 (SM)		\$	219.00		\$	219.00
ES-CONFERENCE LODGING-10/07/24 (CK)		\$	184.21		\$	184.21
HR-SUPPLIES (CATERING FOR INSERVICE DAY-10/11/24)		\$	1,117.25		\$	1,117.25
SSA-CONFERENCE LODGING-10/24/24 (JD)		\$	180.53		\$	180.53
SSAS-CONFERENCE LODGING-10/07/24 (BS)		\$	184.21		\$	184.21
HUNTINGTON NATIONAL Total		\$	1,885.20		\$	1,885.20
I AM BOUNDLESS INC						
CRC-ADS-08/01/24-08/30/24 (MW/BB/DH)		\$	1,585.08		\$	1,585.08
CRC-ADS-09/10/24-09/27/24 (MW/BB/DH)		\$	1,140.02		\$	1,140.02
CRC-NMT-08/01/24-08/30/24 (BB/DH)		\$	1,414.50		\$	1,414.50
CRC-NMT-09/03/24-09/30/24 (BB/DH)		\$	1,046.73		\$	1,046.73
I AM BOUNDLESS INC Total		\$	5,186.33		\$	5,186.33
IMPACT GROUP PUBLIC						
A-SENIOR LEADERSHIP TRAINING SESSION-10/25/24		\$	4,000.00		\$	4,000.00
IMPACT GROUP PUBLIC Total		\$	4,000.00		\$	4,000.00

Sum of AMOUNT	Fund					
Vendor	2855		3300	3315	G	rand Total
INDEPENDENT EMPLOYME						
CRC-NMT-10/06/24-10/19/24		\$	2,772.42		\$	2,772.42
CRC-NMT-10/20/24-11/02/24		\$	2,432.94		\$	2,432.94
INDEPENDENT EMPLOYME Total		Ś	5,205.36		\$	5,205.36
INTERVENTION FOR PEA		7	0,200.00		T	-,
CRC-ADS-06/05/24-10/09/24 (ZP)		\$	1,058.00		\$	1,058.00
CRC-ADS-09/04/24-09/30/24 (LC)		\$	476.00		\$	476.00
CRC-ADS-10/02/24-10/30/24 (LC)		\$	535.50		\$	535.50
CRC-ADS-10/14/24-10/21/24 (MW)		\$	149.94		\$	149.94
CRC-ADS-10/28/24 (JV)		\$	59.50		\$	59.50
CRC-NMT-06/05/24-10/09/24 (ZP)		\$	1,006.52		\$	1,006.52
CRC-NMT-09/04/24-09/30/24 (LC)		\$	452.64		\$	452.64
CRC-NMT-10/02/24-10/30/24 (LC)		\$	509.22		\$	509.22
CRC-NMT-10/02/24-10/30/24 (EC)		\$	141.45		\$	141.45
CRC-NMT-10/14/24-10/21/24 (MW) CRC-NMT-10/28/24 (JV)		\$	56.58		\$	56.58
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INTERVENTION FOR PEA Total		ş	4,445.35		ş	4,445.35
INVO HEALTHCARE ASSO		_	5.056.00		<u>,</u>	F 0FC 00
OT-COTA SERVICES-10/01/24-10/31/24		\$	5,856.00		\$	5,856.00
INVO HEALTHCARE ASSO Total		\$	5,856.00		\$	5,856.00
IRON MOUNTAIN INC		_			_	
A-STORAGE/SERVICE PERIOD-09/25/24-11/30/24		\$	375.25		\$	375.25
IRON MOUNTAIN INC Total		\$	375.25		\$	375.25
JAEGER AMBER						
EI-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$	285.42		\$	285.42
JAEGER AMBER Total		\$	285.42		\$	285.42
JOHN S GRIMM INC						
M-MATERIALS(CALCIUM CHLORIDE PELLETS-SNOW REMOVAL)		\$	1,122.00		\$	1,122.00
JOHN S GRIMM INC Total		\$	1,122.00		\$	1,122.00
JOHNSON CONTROLS SEC						
M-FIRE ALARM SERVICE CONTRACT-12/01/24-02/28/25		\$	336.51		\$	336.51
JOHNSON CONTROLS SEC Total		\$	336.51		\$	336.51
JOY OF MEDINA COUNTY						
CR-ADVERTISING & PRINTING-JAN 25		\$	312.00		\$	312.00
JOY OF MEDINA COUNTY Total		\$	312.00		\$	312.00
JOYCE JOANNE						
PBS-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$	124.82		\$	124.82
JOYCE JOANNE Total		\$	124.82		\$	124.82
JTS LANDSCAPING CO I					Ė	
CI-STUMP REMOVAL-GRADE & SEEDING / DRAINAGE REPAIR	\$ 7,941.67				\$	7,941.67
JTS LANDSCAPING CO I Total	\$ 7,941.67				Ś	7,941.67
KAPTEIN MEGAN	ψ 1,0 (±10)				Ť	7,0 .2.07
PT-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$	133.67		\$	133.67
KAPTEIN MEGAN Total		\$	133.67		\$	133.67
KASCAK ZACHARY		7	133.07		7	133.07
IT-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$	11.52		\$	11.52
KASCAK ZACHARY Total		\$	11.52		\$	11.52
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KIMBLER CHRISTIE		_	272.26		۲.	272.26
ES-TRAVEL REIMBURSEMENT		\$	273.36		\$	273.36
KIMBLER CHRISTIE Total		\$	273.36		\$	273.36
LANGUAGE LEARNING AS		_	10 500 00		_	10 500 00
OT/PT-THERAPY SERVICES-10/08/24-11/01/24		-	10,508.00		\$	
SP-THERAPY SERVICES-10/07/24-11/01/24		\$	14,858.00		\$	14,858.00
SSA-HOME MODIFICATION ASSESSMENTS		\$	864.00		\$	864.00
LANGUAGE LEARNING AS Total		\$	26,230.00		\$	26,230.00
LARLHAM HATTIE		<u> </u>			ļ .	
CRC-ADS-09/30/24-10/30/24 (HW)		\$	559.30		\$	559.30
CRC-IES-10/08/24 (JB)		\$	33.00		\$	33.00
CRC-IES-10/23/24 (KJ)		\$	33.00		\$	33.00
CRC-IES-10/23/24 (MD)		\$	33.00		\$	33.00
CRC-IES-10/30/24 (KB)		\$	33.00		\$	33.00
LARLHAM HATTIE Total		\$	691.30		\$	691.30

Sum of AMOUNT	Fund				
Vendor	2855	3300	3315	Gr	and Total
LEE NASTACIA					
SSA-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$ 117.52		\$	117.52
LEE NASTACIA Total		\$ 117.52		\$	117.52
LENART LAURA					
CS-DODD ARPA GRANT EXPENSES-NMT		\$ 500.00		\$	500.00
LENART LAURA Total		\$ 500.00		\$	500.00
LENEGHAN ERIN					
SSA-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$ 86.03		\$	86.03
LENEGHAN ERIN Total		\$ 86.03		\$	86.03
MAJKRZAK ASHLEY					
EI-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$ 148.67		\$	148.67
MAJKRZAK ASHLEY Total		\$ 148.67		\$	148.67
MALECKAR STACEY					
A-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$ 281.07		\$	281.07
A-TRAVEL REIMBURSEMENT		\$ 191.08		\$	191.08
MALECKAR STACEY Total		\$ 472.15		\$	472.15
MAYES HANNAH					
SSA-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$ 98.29		\$	98.29
MAYES HANNAH Total		\$ 98.29		\$	98.29
MCGARVEY STACY					
CS-MED CERT TRAINING PRESENTATIONS-8/22 & 9/18/24		\$ 3,000.00		\$	3,000.00
MCGARVEY STACY Total		\$ 3,000.00		\$	3,000.00
MEDICALESHOP INC					
PT-SUPPLIES		\$ 175.19		\$	175.19
MEDICALESHOP INC Total		\$ 175.19		\$	175.19
MEDINA CHAMBER OF CO					
ASM-REGISTRATION FEE-09/10/24 (JK)		\$ 22.00		\$	22.00
CE-REGISTRATION FEE-12/10/24 (RZ)		\$ 27.00		\$	27.00
MEDINA CHAMBER OF CO Total		\$ 49.00		\$	49.00
MEDINA COUNTY HEALTH					
HR-STAFF HEPATITIS B VACCINATIONS-07/26/24 (GV)		\$ 115.00		\$	115.00
MEDINA COUNTY HEALTH Total		\$ 115.00		\$	115.00
MEDINA COUNTY SANITA					
M-WATER/SEWER-09/18/24-10/31/24		\$ 1,555.58		\$	1,555.58
MEDINA COUNTY SANITA Total		\$ 1,555.58		\$	1,555.58
MEDINA COUNTY TRANSI					
CRC-NMT-OCT 24		\$ 3,842.54		\$	3,842.54
MEDINA COUNTY TRANSI Total		\$ 3,842.54		\$	3,842.54
MEDINA CREATIVE ACCE					
CRC-ADS-09/03/24-09/13/24 (BR)		\$ 364.14		\$	364.14
CRC-ADS-09/04/24-09/30/24 (LJ)		\$ 1,116.22		\$	1,116.22
CRC-ADS-09/05/24-09/30/24 (TE)		\$ 476.00		\$	476.00
CRC-ADS-09/09/24-09/26/24 (BB)		\$ 357.00		\$	357.00
CRC-ADS-09/12/24-09/30/24 (MS)		\$ 340.34		\$	340.34
CRC-NMT-09/03/24-09/13/24 (BR)		\$ 56.58		\$	56.58
CRC-NMT-09/05/24-09/30/24 (TE)		\$ 452.64		\$	452.64
CRC-NMT-09/09/24-09/26/24 (BB)		\$ 84.87		\$	84.87
CS-DSP WORKFORCE SUPPORT/TRAINING REIMBURSEMENT		\$ 2,500.00		\$	2,500.00
CS-DSP-U PROVIDER INTERNSHIP GRANT		\$ 2,079.03		\$	2,079.03
CS-PROVIDER SUCCESS COACH PROGRAM		\$ 450.00		\$	450.00
MEDINA CREATIVE ACCE Total		\$ 8,276.82		\$	8,276.82
MEDINA CREATIVE HOUS					
CRC-HOUSING SUBSIDY-NOV 24		\$ 1,484.65		\$	1,484.65
MEDINA CREATIVE HOUS Total		\$ 1,484.65		\$	1,484.65
MEDINA DRYWALL SUPPL					
M-MATERIALS		\$ 48.45		\$	48.45
MEDINA DRYWALL SUPPL Total		\$ 48.45		\$	48.45

Sum of AMOUNT	Fund				
Vendor	2855	3300	3315	G	rand Total
MIDWEST INNOVATIONS					
CRC-ADS-10/14/24-10/18/24 (JS/JH)		\$ 1,003.11		\$	1,003.11
CRC-ADS-10/21/24-10/25/24 (JS/JH)		\$ 1,015.07		\$	1,015.07
CRC-ADS-10/28/24-10/31/24 (JS/NH/JH)		\$ 876.90		\$	876.90
CRC-ADS-11/01/24 (JS/JH)		\$ 195.35		\$	195.35
CRC-ADS-11/04/24-11/08/24 (JS/NH/JH)		\$ 1,105.70		\$	1,105.70
CRC-NMT-10/14/24-10/18/24 (JS/JH)		\$ 480.93		\$	480.93
CRC-NMT-10/21/24-10/25/24 (JS/JH)		\$ 452.64		\$	452.64
CRC-NMT-10/28/24-10/31/24 (JS/NH/JH)		\$ 396.06		\$	396.06
CRC-NMT-11/01/24 (JS/JH)		\$ 113.16		\$	113.16
CRC-NMT-11/04/24-11/08/24 (JS/NH/JH)		\$ 452.64		\$	452.64
M-CUSTODIAL SERVICES-OCT 24		\$ 442.50		\$	442.50
MIDWEST INNOVATIONS Total		\$ 6,534.06		\$	6,534.06
MOMENTUM AGENCIES					
CS-REFRESH VEHICLE RENTAL-OCT 24		\$ 5,220.00		\$	5,220.00
CS-REFRESH VEHICLE RENTAL-SEP 24		\$ 5,220.00		\$	5,220.00
MOMENTUM AGENCIES Total		\$ 10,440.00		\$	10,440.00
MURAT TOBIE					
SSA-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$ 84.35		\$	84.35
MURAT TOBIE Total		\$ 84.35		\$	84.35
MUSIC IZZ GROOVY - M					
SA-MUSIC THERAPY SERVICES-OCT 24		\$ 825.00		\$	825.00
MUSIC IZZ GROOVY - M Total		\$ 825.00		\$	825.00
MYTURN.COM PBC					
AT-LENDING LIBRARY SOFTWARE ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION		\$ 1,080.00		\$	1,080.00
MYTURN.COM PBC Total		\$ 1,080.00		\$	1,080.00
NORTHERN MEDINA COUN					
ASM-REGISTRATION FEE-11/20/24 (JK)		\$ 25.00		\$	25.00
CE-REGISTRATION FEE-11/20/24 (SS)		\$ 25.00		\$	25.00
CE-REGISTRATION FEE-12/18/24 (RZ)		\$ 25.00		\$	25.00
NORTHERN MEDINA COUN Total		\$ 75.00		\$	75.00
NURTURING HANDS AND					
CRC-ADS-08/01/24-08/31/24 (SI)		\$ 1,391.00		\$	1,391.00
CRC-ADS-09/01/24-09/30/24 (SI)		\$ 1,498.00		\$	1,498.00
NURTURING HANDS AND Total		\$ 2,889.00		\$	2,889.00
OHIO ASSOCIATION OF					
EI-REGISTRATION FEES-09/04/24 (JH/AJ)		\$ 50.00		\$	50.00
SSA-REGISTRATION FEE-09/04/24 (CL)		\$ 25.00		\$	25.00
OHIO ASSOCIATION OF Total		\$ 75.00		\$	75.00
OHIO GFOA					
BO-2025 MEMBERSHIP DUES		\$ 65.00		\$	65.00
OHIO GFOA Total		\$ 65.00		\$	65.00
PALASIK MEGAN					
SP-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$ 197.65		\$	197.65
PALASIK MEGAN Total		\$ 197.65		\$	197.65
PAYSCHOOLS					
DS-POINT OF SALE ANNUAL AGREEMENT		\$ 2,250.00		\$	2,250.00
PAYSCHOOLS Total		\$ 2,250.00		\$	2,250.00
PEACEWORKS INC					
A-CATERING FOR BOARD MEETINGS-11/18/24		\$ 37.00		\$	37.00
A-CATERING FOR BOARD MEETINGS-12/16/24		\$ 40.00		\$	40.00
PEACEWORKS INC Total		\$ 77.00		\$	77.00
PITNEY BOWES RESERVE					
VARIOUS-POSTAGE RESERVE ACCOUNT		\$ 1,200.00		\$	1,200.00
PITNEY BOWES RESERVE Total		\$ 1,200.00		\$	1,200.00
RICCI CAITLYN					
SSA-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$ 41.21		\$	41.21
RICCI CAITLYN Total		\$ 41.21		\$	41.21
ROBESON RUSTY					
DS-LUNCH ACCOUNT REFUND (GR)		\$ 102.10		\$	102.10
ROBESON RUSTY Total		\$ 102.10		\$	102.10

Sum of AMOUNT	Fund					
Vendor	2855		3300	3315	Gr	and Total
ROTH ID TAG, LLC						
CR-CONTRACT PROJECTS (EMERGENCY ID TAG KITS)		\$	711.95		\$	711.95
ROTH ID TAG, LLC Total		\$	711.95		\$	711.95
SANDICARE LLC		Ť			Ė	
CRC-ADS-10/14/24 (MB)		\$	178.75		\$	178.75
CRC-ADS-10/24/24 (MB)		\$	128.70		\$	128.70
SANDICARE LLC Total		\$	307.45		\$	307.45
SASS NICOLE						
PT-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$	393.16		\$	393.16
SASS NICOLE Total		\$	393.16		\$	393.16
SCHELL TAYLOR						
SP-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$	112.09		\$	112.09
SCHELL TAYLOR Total		\$	112.09		\$	112.09
SCHINDLER NATASHA						
SSA-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$	131.05		\$	131.05
SCHINDLER NATASHA Total		\$	131.05		\$	131.05
SCOZZARO CHRISTINE		ļ.,			<u> </u>	
EI-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$	121.94		\$	121.94
SCOZZARO CHRISTINE Total		\$	121.94		\$	121.94
SILLIMAN MELINDA		<u> </u>			_	
SSA-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$	303.51		\$	303.51
SILLIMAN MELINDA Total		\$	303.51		\$	303.51
SMITH AMY L		١			١	
INT-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$	76.38		\$	76.38
SMITH AMY L Total		\$	76.38		\$	76.38
SNAP GOURMET FOODS		_			_	
DS-FSLP-CAFETERIA GROCERIES		\$	753.80		\$	753.80
SNAP GOURMET FOODS Total		\$	753.80		\$	753.80
SOCIETY FOR HANDICAP		_	0.45.00		_	0.45.00
CRC-ADS-09/04/24-09/30/24 (BW)		\$	945.88		\$	945.88
CRC-ADS-09/05/24-09/26/24 (JP)		\$	178.50		\$	178.50
CRC-NMT-09/04/24-09/30/24 (BW)		\$	622.38		\$	622.38
CRC-NMT-09/05/24-09/26/24 (JP)		\$	169.74		\$	169.74
CS-DSP REFERRAL CS DSD WORKFORCE SUPPORT/TRAINING REIMARURSEMENT		\$	1,250.00		\$	1,250.00
CS-DSP WORKFORCE SUPPORT/TRAINING REIMBURSEMENT		\$	1,000.00		\$	1,000.00 450.00
CS-PROVIDER SUCCESS COACH PROGRAM SOCIETY FOR HANDICAP Total		\$	450.00 4,616.50		\$ \$	4,616.50
SPECIAL OLYMPICS OF		ş	4,010.30		ş	4,010.50
SO-SPECIAL OLYMPICS BUDGET-OCT 24		\$	1,167.00		\$	1,167.00
SPECIAL OLYMPICS OF Total		\$	1,167.00		\$	1,167.00
SPORTSWORLD CIA		۶	1,107.00		٠	1,107.00
HR-SUPPLIES		\$	4,390.00		\$	4,390.00
SPORTSWORLD CIA Total		Ś	4,390.00		Ś	4,390.00
STAND UP FOR DOWNS		7	4,330.00		7	4,330.00
CR-THE IMPROVANEER METHOD COMEDY SHOW SPONSORSHIP		\$	2,500.00		\$	2,500.00
STAND UP FOR DOWNS Total		Ś	2,500.00		Ś	2,500.00
STATE INDUSTRIAL PRO		7	2,300.00		7	2,300.00
M-AIR CARE PROGRAM		\$	326.18		\$	326.18
M-WATER TREATMENT PROGRAM		\$	809.67		\$	809.67
STATE INDUSTRIAL PRO Total		Ś	1,135.85		Ś	1,135.85
SUMMA HEALTH CORP		1	,		<u> </u>	,
HR-STAFF PHYSICAL-10/02/24 (PU)		\$	80.00		\$	80.00
HR-STAFF PHYSICAL-10/11/24 (JP)		\$	80.00		\$	80.00
SUMMA HEALTH CORP Total		\$	160.00		\$	160.00
SUMMIT HOUSING DEVEL		Ť			Ĺ	
CRC-RENTAL SUBSIDY-DEC 24 (AH)		\$	225.00		\$	225.00
SUMMIT HOUSING DEVEL Total		\$	225.00		\$	225.00
SWAIN MELISSA		Ť				
DS-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$	19.49		\$	19.49
SWAIN MELISSA Total		\$	19.49		\$	19.49
TEAMVIEWER GMBH		1				
IT-ANNUAL RENEWAL-07/26/24-07/25/25		\$	2,230.90		\$	2,230.90
TEAMVIEWER GMBH Total		\$	2,230.90		\$	2,230.90
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Sum of AMOUNT	Fund				
Vendor	2855	3300	3315	Gr	rand Total
THE ARC OF OHIO INC					
A-ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP DUES		\$ 5,000.00		\$	5,000.00
THE ARC OF OHIO INC Total		\$ 5,000.00		\$	5,000.00
THE GAZETTE					
CR-ADVERTISING & PRINTING-10/12/24		\$ 600.00		\$	600.00
CR-ADVERTISING & PRINTING-10/16/24		\$ 230.00		\$	230.00
THE GAZETTE Total		\$ 830.00		\$	830.00
T-MOBILE					
TELEPHONE-09/29/24-10/28/24		\$ 1,760.66		\$	1,760.66
T-MOBILE Total		\$ 1,760.66		\$	1,760.66
TRANSITIONAL LIVING					
CS-DSP REFERRAL		\$ 1,000.00		\$	1,000.00
TRANSITIONAL LIVING Total		\$ 1,000.00		\$	1,000.00
TREASURER STATE OF O					
CRC-WAIVER LOCAL MATCH-10/01/24-10/31/24 (ES)		\$ 7,596.55		\$	7,596.55
CRC-WAIVER LOCAL MATCH-10/01/24-10/31/24 (JM)		\$ 7,596.55		\$	7,596.55
CRC-WAIVER LOCAL MATCH-10/01/24-10/31/24 (JW)		\$ 7,596.55		\$	7,596.55
CRC-WAIVER LOCAL MATCH-10/01/24-10/31/24 (MD)		\$ 7,596.55		\$	7,596.55
CRC-WAIVER LOCAL MATCH-10/01/24-10/31/24 (MR)		\$ 7,596.55	-	\$	7,596.55
CS-BCI/FBI CHECKS-OCT 24		\$ 512.25	-	\$	512.25
TREASURER STATE OF O Total		\$ 38,495.00		\$	38,495.00
UNITED BUSINESS SUPP					
A/ES/ASM/SSAS/M-CENTRAL SUPPLY INVENTORY		\$ 469.65		\$	469.65
M-SUPPLIES		\$ 3,653.43		\$	3,653.43
UNITED BUSINESS SUPP Total		\$ 4,123.08		\$	4,123.08
WACHSBERGER DIANA					
SP-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$ 355.77		\$	355.77
WACHSBERGER DIANA Total		\$ 355.77		\$	355.77
WADSWORTH COMMUNICAT					
CR-RADIO UNDERWRITING & ADVERTISING-NOV 24		\$ 125.00		\$	125.00
WADSWORTH COMMUNICAT Total		\$ 125.00		\$	125.00
WALMART COMMUNITY					
SA-SUPPLIES		\$ 61.35		\$	61.35
WALMART COMMUNITY Total		\$ 61.35		\$	61.35
WEAVER INDUSTRIES IN					
CRC-ADS-SEP 24 (BR)		\$ 731.50		\$	731.50
CRC-NMT-SEP 24 (BR)		\$ 763.83		\$	763.83
WEAVER INDUSTRIES IN Total		\$ 1,495.33		\$	1,495.33
WEX BANK					
M-GASOLINE-OCT 24		\$ 144.21		\$	144.21
T-GASOLINE-OCT 24		\$ 80.98		\$	80.98
WEX BANK Total		\$ 225.19		\$	225.19
WINDFALL INDUSTRIES					
A/M-VARIABLE AGREEMENT		\$ 2,080.12		\$	2,080.12
CRC-ADS-AUG 24		\$ 4,278.22		\$	4,278.22
CRC-NMT-AUG 24		\$ 12,199.63		\$	12,199.63
CRC-NMT-JUL 24		\$ 270.73		\$	270.73
CRC-NMT-SEP 24		\$ 12,589.05		\$	12,589.05
CS-DODD ARPA GRANT EXPENSES-NMT		\$ 9,000.00		\$	9,000.00
CS-PROVIDER SUCCESS COACH PROGRAM		\$ 975.00		\$	975.00
M-HORTICULTURE-SEP 24		\$ 5,116.38		\$	5,116.38
M-VARIABLE AGREEMENT		\$ 693.97		\$	693.97
WINDFALL INDUSTRIES Total		\$ 47,203.10		\$	47,203.10
WINKELECTRIC INC					
M-RELOCATE/INSTALL TOWMOTOR CHARGER-ELECTRICALWORK		\$ 3,978.00		\$	3,978.00
WINKELECTRIC INC Total		\$ 3,978.00		\$	3,978.00
WM CORPORATE SERVICE					
M-TRASH-11/01/24-11/30/24		_		4	407.00
101 1103011 11/01/27 11/30/27		\$ 497.08		\$	497.08
WM CORPORATE SERVICE Total		\$ 497.08 \$ 497.08		\$ \$	497.08 497.08
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WM CORPORATE SERVICE Total		+: +			

Sum of AMOUNT	Fund			
Vendor	2855	3300	3315	Grand Total
YAKO-SCHUESZLER MARY				
OT-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$ 214.40		\$ 214.40
YAKO-SCHUESZLER MARY Total		\$ 214.40		\$ 214.40
YOUR GUARDIAN ANGELS				
CRC-NMT-10/07/24-10/11/24 (JB/AB)		\$ 396.06		\$ 396.06
CRC-NMT-10/14/24-10/25/24 (JB/AB)		\$ 1,046.73		\$ 1,046.73
CRC-NMT-10/28/24-11/01/24 (JB/AB)		\$ 424.35		\$ 424.35
YOUR GUARDIAN ANGELS Total		\$ 1,867.14		\$ 1,867.14
ZINGALES SAMANTHA				
SSA-MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT		\$ 63.38		\$ 63.38
ZINGALES SAMANTHA Total		\$ 63.38		\$ 63.38
Grand Total	\$ 7,941.67	\$ 309,987.67	\$ 103.38	\$ 318,032.72

Financial Statements for the month of NOVEMBER 2024

The following financial reports are submitted for acceptance by the Board of the Medina County Board of Developmental Disabilities:

- 1. Statement of Revenue for the period ending NOVEMBER 30, 2024.
- 2. Statement of Expenses for the period ending NOVEMBER 30, 2024.
- 3. Statement of Cash Balance for the period ending NOVEMBER 30, 2024.
- 4. Statement of Monthly Cash Flow for the period ending NOVEMBER 30, 2024.
- 5. Voucher Reports for the month of NOVEMBER 2024.

By: Why Sonto	12/9/24
Carey A. Bates, Director of Business	Date
By: Hacey Malylen	12/10/24
Stacey Maleckar Superintendent	Date

Note: There should be a motion and a roll call vote to accept the statements as presented.



RESOLUTION #56-24

December 16, 2024

ACCEPTANCE OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 2024

A motion was made by	, and seconded by	, to authorize the Board
to accept the financial reports for the month	h of November, 2024.	
THE MOTION WAS CARRIED AND A	ASSIGNED RESOLUTION <u>#56-24</u> .	
Board Chair		
Medina County Board of Developmental D	Disabilities	

ENROLLEE STATS - BRITTCO 2024

	20	23						20	24					
	NOV GK	DEC GK	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC
UNDUPLICATED COUNT														
Total ELIGIBLE Children - Active/Age 0-22	800	795	*854	853	862	856	848	847	831	823	824	823	811	
Total ELIGIBLE Adults - Active/23+	693	695	*699	704	710	712	714	718	730	734	734	734	733	
Total ELIGIBLE Individuals	1493	1490	*1553	1557	1572	1568	1562	1564	1561	1557	1558	1557	1544	
EDUCATION														
Early Intervention	367	363	335	341	349	336	*242	242	233	219	221	223	221	
Windfall Preschool + Peers	14	14	13	13	13	12	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Windfall School School Age	32	32	41	41	41	41	41	43	39	38	38	37	37	
COMMUNITY EMPLOYMENT SERVICES														
OOD	8	8	8	8	5	5	5	1	1	1	1	1	0	
SERVICE&SUPPORT ADMIN														
# Individuals Found Eligible	10	4	10	20	11	10	36	24	21	25	21	25	14	
# Individuals Assigned to SSA/I & R	1238	1237	1198	1207	1210	1213	1223	1232	1236	1241	1244	1246	1253	
INDIVIDUALS SERVED BY														
FUNDING														
Waivers	621	619	628	627	632	633	639	641	645	654	656	662	671	
Supported Living	14	12	11	11	13	13	11	10	9	8	7	7	7	
Family Support Services	110	110	50	63	70	71	90	100	107	111	117	120	124	

^{*}Change in Eligible Children/Adult Count Due To Data Cleanup in Brittco.

^{*} Reconciliation done for EI data after transition from GK to Brittco.

Personnel Control Report As of 12-6-24

OEA Union
AFSCME Union (SSAs only)

Authorized Working Titles	Board Authorized Positions	Superintendent Authorized Positions	Number Positions Filled	Number of Openings	Comments Board Approved Resolutions
Administrative & Support Staff	Positions	Positions	Filled	Openings	Resolutions
Superintendent	1	1	1	0	
Assistant Superintendent	1	1	1	0	
Executive Administrator	1	1	1	0	
Director of Business	1	<u> </u> 1	1	0	
Director of Human Resources	1	<u> </u> 1	1	0	
Conf Financial Data Specialist	1	<u></u> 1	1	0	
Confidential Business Clerk	1	<u></u>	1	0	
Human Resources Clerk	1	<u></u>	1	0	
Admistrative Assistant	1	<u></u>	1	0	
Records Specialist	1	<u></u> 	1	0	
Medicaid Services Manager	1	<u></u>	1	0	
	1	<u> </u>	1	0	
Community Relations Manager		2	2	0	
Financial Waiver Data Specialist	2				
Community Relations Specialist	1	1	1	0	
Community Relations Associate	1	1	1	0	
Human Resources Specialist	1	1	1	0	
File Clerk	2	2	2	0	
SUB TOTAL	19	19	19	0	
Educational Staff					
Children's Services Director	1	1	1	0	
Assistant Children's Services Dir	1	1	1	0	
Early Intervention Coordinator	1	1	1	0	
Confidential Secretary	1	1	1	0	
Secretary	1	1	1	0	
Intervention Specialists	12	12	11	1	Interviews are in process
Instructor Assistants	11	11	11	0	
Language Dev. Specialists	3	3	2	1	Interviews are in process
Physical Therapists	2	2	2	0	
Positive Support Specialists	2	2	2	0	
School Nurse	1	1	1	0	
Occupational Therapists	2	2	2	0	
Licensed P.T. Assistant	1	1	1	0	
Developmental Specialists	5	5	5	0	
SUB TOTAL	44	44	42	2	
Transportation					
Equipment Manager	1	1	1	0	
SUB TOTAL	1	1	1	0	
Community Services & Development					
Director of Community Supports & Dev	1	1	1	0	
Confidential Secretary	1	1	1	0	
Community Projects Supervisor	1	1	1	0	
Community Supports Manager	1	<u>·</u> 1	1	0	

^{*}Temporary Contract (TC)

	Board	Superintendent	Number	Number	
	Authorized	Authorized	Positions	of	
Authorized Working Titles	Positions	Positions	Filled	Openings	
Community Services & Development					
Health Services Coordinator	1	1	1	0	
Secretaries	1	1	1	0	
Employment Navigator	1	1	1	0	
Economic Developer	1	1	1	0	
Community Resource Coordinator	3	3	3	0	
Individual Supports Coordinator	1	1	1	0	
Assistive Technology Assistant	1	1	1	0	
Training and Compliance Specialist	1	1	1	0	
Quality Support Specialist	1	1	1	0	
Provider Relations/Fam Sup Spec	1	1	1	0	
Assistive Technology Specialist	1	1	1	0	
SUB TOTAL	17	17	17	0	
Service & Support Admin					
Srv & Support Adm Director	1	1	1	0	
Srv & Support Adm Managers	4	4	4	0	
Secretary	1	1	1	0	
Eligibility Specialists	2	2	2	0	
Eligibility Assistant	1	1	1	0	
Investigative Agent	2	2	2	0	
Service and Support Administrators	31	31	29	2	Interviews are in process
SUB TOTAL	42	42	40	2	
Maintenance					
Director of Facilities and Information Tech	1	1	1	0	
Operations Floater	2	2	2	0	
Facility Activities Manager	1	1	1	0	
Special Olympics Coordinator	1	1	1	0	
Maintenance Supervisor	1	1	1	0	
Maintenance Repairmen	1	1	1	0	
Custodians	3	3	3	0	
Operations Floater 9 mos	1	1	1	0	
Network Administrator	1	1	1	0	
IT Help Desk	1	1	1	0	
SUB TOTAL	13	13	13	0	
AGENCY TOTALS	136	136	132	4	

Community Engagement

- Holiday Success with a Grandchild with Special Needs, Helping People Succeed in Our Community / Helping Hands / November-December 2024
- 2. Board of Developmental Disabilities Achieves Highest Accreditation from the State / The Gazette / November 27, 2024
- 3. Holiday Tips, Happy National Family Caregivers Month, Making Events More Accessible / Medina Weekly / November 21, 2024
- 4. MCBDD Prepares Leaders for Today, Tomorrow / Medina Weekly / November 14, 2024
- 5. Holiday Tips, Making Community Events More Accessible, Happy National Caregivers Month / The Gazette / November 9, 2024
- 6. Thank You Letter to MCBDD / Zane's Inc. / November 6, 2024 (2 pages)
- 7. Medina County Board of Developmental Disabilities Achieves Highest Accreditation from the State / Medina The Daily ePost / 2024
- 8. Holiday Tips, Happy National Family Caregivers Month, Making Events More Accessible / Medina The Daily ePost / 2024

Medina County's The Giving Place

From: PAIGE VERCUSKI, BEAT Reporter







Almost every citizen wants to do something good for their community, but it's hard and sometimes time and materials are difficult to come by. The Giving Place makes it easy for anyone to help make a difference in Medina County.

Although The Giving Place, located on 1095 North Court Street, Medina, has only been open for around 9 months, opening in June of 2023, it has been a smashing success. In their first six months, they raised a total of \$77,500 which they proceeded to donate to local charities such as Feeding Medina County, Cups Cafe, The Children's Center of Medina County, and many more. To run their shop, they take furniture and other items donated by people who no longer have a use for them and resell the items to customers. Angel Kiefer, one of the three founders of The Giving Place commented, "When customers purchase items from us they know that they're also helping to make a difference."

What also makes a difference in the community is The Giving Place's many volunteers. Since The Giving Place is completely non-profit, they rely on people in Medina County who can come in and help in their spare time. "We could not run the store without our very loyal and hard working volunteers," Kiefer stated. At The Giving Place, volunteers go through donations, price them, and set them out for people to buy.

Over the past year, The Giving Place has gotten loads of help from their surrounding community to help make their dreams possible. Anyone can help improve The Giving Place by donating things they no longer need to their store. As Kiefer remarked, "Our families, friends, volunteers, and the generous support from the Medina community have helped make our store a success. Others can help by spreading the word."

For more information on The Giving Place, or even to help out by donating, visit https://www.thegivingplacemedina.org.

Holiday Success with a Grandchild with Special Needs

From: The Medina County Board of Developmental Disabilities

Bright lights, parties, and visits with relatives are all the things that make great holiday memories for grandparents and their grandchildren. While most children find the fall and winter holiday seasons to be exciting and joyful, many children with special needs may struggle this time of year. The lights, the sounds, and the crowds can be overwhelming for children with autism spectrum disorders, ADHD, and other developmental delays. Grandparents of children with special needs can help control the chaos and support their grandchildren so they are able to enjoy family-favorite holiday traditions.

AVOID THE CROWDS WHILE ENJOYING THE FUN

Crowds are tough for many people, and for children with special needs, they can be overwhelming. Children who are overwhelmed are much more likely to melt down, misbehave, or simply freeze up. If you are taking your grand-child on a shopping trip, keep it short, don't rush and don't try to accomplish a long list of items, and, if possible, try to go at the least busy times. Grandparents can also help by offering to watch grandchildren while other family members try to accomplish holiday tasks.

MAKE ADJUSTMENTS

Most children with special needs enjoy holiday fun, they just may need experiences on a smaller scale. For example, rather than visiting a crowded Christmas event to see decorations, stop at a local nursery where pretty

holiday greens and lights create a miniature wonderland. Make family gatherings shorter in time, rather than all day affairs. If you generally attend a holiday performance as a family, consider sitting near the back of the theater so you have an easy exit if the performance becomes too much for your grandchild or look for sensory friendly performances to attend.

INVITE SANTA INTO YOUR HOME OR FIND A SENSORY SANTA

Instead of your grandchild going to the mall to visit Santa, invite "Santa" to visit your home for a personal chat. If you do go out, look for a Sensory Santa option that is tailored specially for children with special needs. Many communities create experiences specifically geared to the needs of kids and adults with disabilities who are easily overwhelmed.

WRAP GIFTS

Many children with disabilities have poor motor skills, so a gift with too much tape or extra ribbons can be extremely frustrating. Make it easier for your grandchild with a disability to open gifts by loosely wrapping with just a few pieces of tape, or better yet, put everything in fun gift bags.

For more information about ways to help people with developmental disabilities enjoy more community inclusion opportunities during the holidays, visit the Medina County Board of DD website at www.mcbdd.org or call 330-725-7751.



PUBLIC MEETINGS

Today

Hinckley Township Trustees, special meeting to interview full-time fire candidates with a possible decision, 4 p.m., administration building, 1410 Ridge Road, log onto www. hinckleytwp.org/zoom for the

Zoom option. Montville Township Zoning Commission, regular meeting 7 p.m., administration and safety services building, 6665 Wadsworth Road.

York Township Trustees. regular meeting, 7 p.m., York Township Fire Complex, 6609 Norwalk Road.

Medina Township Trustees, special meeting for the approval and acceptance of the OTARMA MORE grant check and staff discussion, 3 p.m., town hall, 3799 Huffman Road.

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Today is Wednesday, Nov. 27, the 332nd day of 2024. There are 34 days left in the

Today's history

- In 1924, Macy's first Thanksgiving Day parade – billed as a "Christmas Parade" took place in New York.
- In 1934, bank robber and "Public Enemy No. 1" Lester Joseph Gillis, better known as George "Baby Face" Nelson, was killed in a gun battle with FBI agents in Barrington, Illinois.
- In 1970, Pope Paul VI, visiting the Philippines, was slightly wounded at the Manila airport by a dagger-wielding Bolivian painter disguised as a priest.
- In 2003, President George W. Bush flew to Iraq under extraordinary secrecy and security to spend Thanksgiving with U.S. troops and

thank them for "defending the American people from danger."

■ In 2015, a gunman attacked a Planned Parenthood clinic in Colorado Springs, Colorado, killing three people and injuring nine. (The prosecution of suspect Robert Dear stalled in state court, and then federal court, after he was repeatedly found mentally incompetent to stand trial.)

Today's birthdays

Fashion designer Manolo Blahnik is 82. Film director Kathryn Bigelow is 73. Political strategist Steve Bannon is 71. Science educator and TV host Bill Nye is 69. Author and diplomat Caroline Kennedy is 67. Actor Robin Givens is 60. Actor Michael Vartan is 56. Baseball Hall of Famer Iván Rodríguez is 53. Rapper Twista is 51. Actor Jaleel White is 48.

WEATHER

TODAY: Cloudy	45/33
THURSDAY: Morning rain	42/28
FRIDAY: Cloudy	32/15
SATURDAY: Partly cloudy	26/17

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LOTTERY

Ohio (Tuesday)

Midday Pick 3: 3-1-3, Pick 3: 0-0-2, Midday Pick 4: 2-8-2-1, Pick 4: 8-8-1-3 Midday Pick 5: 3-9-2-6-2, Pick 5: 4-2-7-0-9, Rolling Cash 5: 4-16-20-26-36 Rolling Cash 5 jackpot is \$140,000. Classic Lotto jackpot is \$19.4 million.

Lucky for Life

MONDAY: 7-10-14-33-36, Lucky Ball: 1. TUESDAY: The numbers were not available at press time.

Mega Millions

TUESDAY: The numbers were not available at press time. Next Mega Millions jackpot is an estimated \$489 million.

Powerball

MONDAY: 5-35-45-60-63, Powerball: 12, Power Play: 2. Next Powerball jackpot is an estimated \$196 million.

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ROUNDUP

FROM PAGE ONE

Eberl's academics include college **Medina County Career Center** credit plus classes like college composition, American history and American government. She has also taken AP classes like calculus and physics.

She was awarded summa cum laude for her freshman, sophomore and junior year. She has been on the honor roll throughout high school. She was chosen nologies and design program. She served

as a star student her junior year as well. Eberl was inducted into both the National Honor Society and the National

Technical Honor Society as a junior. She is the daughter of Michael Eberl. She plans to attend college to earn a master's degree in mechanical engineer-

NOACA community engagement meeting

The Northeast Ohio Areawide Coordinating Agency is updating its current long-range plan, "eNEO2050+: An Equitable Future for Northeast Ohio." The plan is updated every four years, and it offers a vision for the future and guides infrastructure investments over the next 20 years.

As part of the process, a series of community engagement meetings will be held in the five counties that the agency

serves. The meetings aim to gain input and feedback from residents on how to make land use, transportation, workforce access and infrastructure investments more equitable and inclusive for every-

Medina County's meeting will be from 5:30-7 p.m. Monday at the University of Akron Medina Westfield Room at 6300 Technology Lane in Medina.

Residents can also provide input virtually at tinyurl.com/3f9ddjcs.

Board of Developmental Disabilities achieves highest accreditation from the state

The Medina County Board of Developmental Disabilities was accredited by the Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities for a period of three years. It is the highest accreditation period an organization can receive.

"Receiving this level of accreditation shows the dedication of our staff to improving the lives of people with developmental disabilities," Superintendent Stacey Maleckar said. "Our staff is highly committed to the work they do and continues to strive to provide the best service possible."

— from staff reports

Medina Township police

Sunday, Nov. 10 1:01 p.m. — 4100 block of Pearl Road; an officer was dispatched to Walmart for a late theft report.

student of the month

for November named

panel of her peers.

Eberl

orchestra.

Beatrice Eberl is the November

student of the month for the Medina

as vice president of the local chapter

service.

center student leadership council during

her junior and senior year. She also was a

She volunteered for the Big Brothers

and St. Ambrose FIAT. She also has been

a cellist for the Philharmonia Orchestra.

the freshman orchestra and her church

Big Sisters program, Camp Invention

career center student ambassador.

Brunswick Schools and was selected by a

She is a senior in the engineering tech-

of the Engineering

Technology and Design

is currently the presi-

dent of the chapter. At

the SkillsUSA Regional

second for customer

Competition, she placed

Eberl also served as

treasurer of the career

SkillsUSA as a junior and

County Career Center. She is from

Monday, Nov. 11 10:31 a.m. — 4800 block of Fenn Road; a neighbor removed and placed political signs on the homeowner's porch. 1:02 p.m. — 3600 block of

Nichols Road; a complaint about a dog bite was made. 4:55 p.m. - Remsen Road/ Frantz Road; a Subaru failed to yield from a stop sign on Frantz

Road and hit a Chevy on Remsen

Road Tuesday, Nov. 12

3:01 p.m. — 3700 block of Medina Road; there was a twovehicle crash with no reported

Wednesday, Nov. 13
1:33 a.m. — Fenn Road/
Weymouth Road; an officer conducted a traffic stop as the vehicle's registered owner had a suspended license. The driver was cited with the suspension and having no operator's license

12:50 p.m. - 2700 block of Medina Road; there was a reported theft of a \$250 glass pheasant statue from the antique store. A suspect was identified and a warrant was entered for theft

Thursday, Nov. 14

11:58 a.m. - 4100 block of Pearl Road; a man driving a Dodge SUV struck down a barrier post in front of the store. He then left after picking up his wife in the fire lane. The man later came into the police station and shared his insurance information, stating he was unaware he took down the

4:30 p.m. - Medina Road/ Interstate 71; there was a two-vehicle crash with injuries

reported. Friday, Nov. 15

10:45 a.m. - 4100 block of Pearl Road; a person pushed out \$723.96 worth of unpaid merchandise from Kohl's. The suspect then left the cart and ran to the passenger side of a vehicle where someone then drove off. A theft warrant was later entered after the suspect was identified

BLOTTER Saturday, Nov. 16

7:57 a.m. - 3400 block of Weymouth Road; there was a motor vehicle crash with no reported injuries involving a deer

7:47 p.m. - 5200 block of Yellowstone Drive; a report was taken for telecommunications fraud stemming from a Facebook Marketplace sale

10:19 p.m. - 3900 block ofDogleg Trail; a fraud report was

Montville Township police Sunday, Nov. 10

2:01 a.m. - Nettleton Road/ Medina Road; an officer conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle that failed to obey a traffic control device and failed to use a turn signal. The driver, Gary Rolf Schween, exhibited signs of impairment and submitted to sobriety tests. He was arrested for driving a vehicle impaired and provided a breath sample of 0.079 BAC. Schween was cited with the traffic offenses and released to a sober driver.

4:13 p.m. - Sharon Copley

Road: there was a single-vehicle crash with reported injuries, involving a guardrail. The driver, Andrew James Turchyn, was cited with failure to stay in marked

Monday, Nov. 11 12:02 p.m. - Medina Road/

Normandy Park Drive; a hit-andskip crash was reported. 1:37 p.m. — Bear Swamp Road;

an old horse slipped in mud. The owners were trying to get up as a veterinarian was en route. Tuesday, Nov. 12 1:02 p.m. - Poe Road/River

Styx Road; a driver stopped to get a mouse out of the car. 9:28 p.m. - Medina Road; a

man was arrested for operating a vehicle while driving. He submitted a breath sample of 0.112 percent blooc-alcohol content. Saturday, Nov. 16

7:59 a.m. — Interstate 271/ Interstate 71; there was a motor vehicle crash with injuries involving a semitractor-trailer rolling over 1:53 p.m. - Deer Run Drive: a caller reported a large open burn. Upon officers' arrival, the yard waste fire was being put out.



PHOTO PROVIDED

Early Thanksgiving morning around 110 members of Wadsworth High School marching band will march in Philadelphia's historic Thanksgiving Day parade.

PERFORM

From A1

Following the parade, the band will travel to New York City for a Thanksgiving meal and more sightseeing.

"Later that evening we are going to Radio City Music Hall to see the Rockettes Christmas Spectacular," Hire said. "We are really excited about that. Friday, we will be doing a backstage tour of Radio City Music Hall. The night before

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they got to see the show, the next day we are going to go backstage to see how it is all put together."

Hire said several aspects of the trip will be educational through the performances and history the band members will experience through their sightseeing. Hire is very excited about

the parade appearance and what it means for the band members and the school. "We do lots of parades,

that's what the band does," she said. "When they said you can stream it on Hulu and Disney+, that's when it's like 'OK kids, people all over the world are going to be able to tune in and watch us go down

the street.' Whether they've heard of Wadsworth or not, it is definitely going to be floating across their minds as they are watching the parade."

She said the significance and impact of this is huge not only for the city, or the high school but for Ohio. Wadsworth is one of two bands from Ohio performing, the other being from Anthony Wayne High School.

"For our kids that have never left Wadsworth before, they are going to have the opportunity to be a part of something that is really great, and something that they will remember for their entire life," Hire said. "This is huge, the kids knew that they were

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going to be part of something special, but I think now it is starting to sink in, 'oh this is really big, this is a once-in-alifetime opportunity, and this is something that I am going to be very proud of."

Hire said the band is very excited and proud to be representing Wadsworth High School, the city and Ohio.

"It truly is an honor to be able to go do this," she said.

The parade can be streamed live on 6abc.com, any of 6abc's streaming apps, Hulu, ABCNewsLive, and Disney+. Coverage starts at 8:30 a.m. with a preshow, and the parade will start at 9 a.m.

Contact reporter Patrick Rhonemus at (330) 721–4050 or prhonemus@ medina-gazette.com





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Magical Memories



Medina High School's Encore Entertainment Company will host a Princess Pirate Party for kids on Saturday, Nov. 23, featuring

Saturday's 'Princess Pirate Party' promises adventure, activities

Get ready for a morning of fun at the Princess Pirate Party, hosted by the Encore Entertainment Company show choir at Medina High School, on Saturday, Nov. 23 from 10 a.m. to noon.

This exciting event is perfect for kids who love princesses, pirates and adventure. Children will enjoy a variety of activities, including a boutique where they can get their hair and makeup done, a dance floor, Smee's Tattoo Parlor for temporary tattoos, and cookie decorating at Belle's Bakery.

Plus, there will be live

sing-alongs with beloved characters, and each child will receive a special gift bag.

Tickets (\$10) are required for children, but parents can attend for free. Guests are encouraged to come dressed as their favorite princess or pirate and join in the festivities.

"Don't miss this chance to create magical memories with your little ones," Encore Entertainment said. "Get your tickets today and come ready to party.

Visit medinachoir.com for more details and the ticket ordering link.



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Committed to Inclusion

MCBDD prepares leaders for today, tomorrow

Last month, the Medina County Board of Developmental Disabilities officially recognized the newest graduates of its 2024 Leadership Academy program.

Across the nation, people with developmental disabilities want opportunities to be leaders and contribute their talents, ideas, thoughts, opinions and unique points of view to important decisions making bodies and processes within their communities.

'Last year we started our Leadership Academy program to help individuals with developmental disabilities who had the drive and passion to get more involved in their community. says Nicole Richter, MCBDD training and compliance specialist. "The goal was for it to be a competitive program and only those with the commitment to learn leadership skills and to take on leadership roles in the community would be selected."

Since, Richter, with the

help of Molly Usner, MCBDD Community Resource and Advocacy Coordinator, have been instrumental in growing and supporting the success of the MCBDD's Leadership Academy and its participants. Recently, both Richter and Usner were asked by the Ohio Association of County Boards of DD to present a training for other County Boards of DD across the state to learn how to create and develop their own versions of the MCBDD's Leadership Academy.

The Leadership Academy is a six-month program to help participants ages 18-and-over develop skills needed to seek out meaningful leadership roles in community organizations in which they are passionate about, covering topics like understanding leadership, becoming a leader, developing a personal profile, communication, listening, problem-solving, time management, interview skills,

non-profit organization's boards of directors, and outlining personalized plans for leadership

Additionally, participants are required to attend a Medina County Commissioners meeting, help in a civic endeavor, and attend presentations from people in leadership roles in several local community organizations.

In March, the program selected four new participants for the 2024 Leadership Academy; Katie Blessing, Josh Seeley, Trish Walker and Pamela Wilson. Each being chosen based on the strength of their application and current levels of advocacy involvement.

We have watched this class learn new skills and grow as future leaders," Richter said. Each of them came into this class with the drive and passion for giving back to their communities, and what they learned in the past six months



MCBDD

Graduates Pamela Wilson and Josh Seeley (center) are pictured with MCBDD's Nicole Richter (left) and Molly Usner.

has only elevated the skills and knowledge they have all brought to the group.

We are confident that each of these individuals will contribute

to bettering their communities. We are so proud of the work they have done and we look forward to seeing the impacts they will make on our community."



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Beyonce's 11 nods give her a total of 99, the most in history

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NEW YORK — Welcome to Beyoncé country. When it comes to the 2025 Grammy Award nominations, "Cowboy Carter" rules the nation. She leads the nods with 11, bringing her career total to 99 nominations. That makes her the most nominated artist in Grammy history.

"Cowboy Carter" is up for album and country album of the year, and "Texas Hold 'Em" is nominated for record, song and country song of the year.

She also received nominations in a wide swath of genres, including pop, country, Americana and melodic rap performance categories.

This is her first time receiving nominations in the country and Americana categories. Previously, she and her husband Jay-Z were tied for most career nominations, at 88.

If Beyoncé wins the album of the year, she'll become the first Black woman to do so in the 21st century. Lauryn Hill last won in 1999 for "The Miseducation of Lauryn Hill," joining Natalie Cole and Whitney Houston as the only Black women to take home the Grammys' top prize.

Post Malone also received his first ever nominations in the country categories this year, having released his debut country album "F-1 Trillion" in August. That one is up for country album and "I Had Some Help," his collaboration with Morgan Wallen, is

nominated for country song and country duo/group performance. They are Wallen's first ever Grammy nominations.

Malone is just behind Beyoncé, with seven nominations, tied with Billie Eilish, Kendrick Lamar and Charli XCX, who earned her first nominations as a solo artist.

Lamar's ubiquitous diss track released during his feud with Drake, "Not Like Us," is nominated for record and song of the year, rap song, music video as well as best rap performance. He has two simultaneous entries in the latter category, a career first: Future & Metro Boomin featuring Lamar, "Like That" is up for best rap performance and best rap song.

This is his third time receiving two simultaneous nominations for best rap song.

Taylor Swift and first-time nominees Sabrina Carpenter and Chappell Roan boast of six nominations each.

Last year, women artists dominated the major categories. This year, that continues somewhat, but the main trend seems to be a variance of genre. In the album of the year category, alongside "Cowboy Carter" is André 3000's new age, alt-jazz "New Blue Sun" and multi-instrumentalist Jacob Collier's "Djesse Vol. 4." Rising pop stars Carpenter and Roan round it out, with "Short n' Sweet" and "The Rise and Fall of a Midwest Princess'

respectively, as well as Swift's "The Tortured Poets Department," Eilish's "Hit Me Hard and Soft," and Charli XCX's rave-ready "BRAT."

Eilish is the only artist to have her first three albums become nominated for album of the year.

Last year, Swift won album of the year for "Midnights," breaking the record for most wins in the category with four. This year, she becomes the first ever woman to seven career nominations in the category.

Only recordings commercially released in the U.S. between Sept. 16, 2023 through Aug. 30, 2024 were eligible for nominations. The final round of Grammy voting, which determines its winners, will take place Dec. 12 through Jan. 3.

In the best new artist category, Carpenter and Roan will go head-to-head, alongside Benson Boone, Doechii, Khruangbin, RAYE, Shaboozey and Teddy Swims.

In the song of the year category, Beyoncé is joined by Eilish with "Birds of a Feather," Swift and Post Malone with "Fortnight," Roan's "Good Luck, Babe!", Carpenter's "Please Please Please," Lamar's "Not Like Us," Lady Gaga and Bruno Mars' "Die With A Smile," and Shaboozey's "A Bar Song (Tipsy)."

Shaboozey is also a firsttime nominee. His "A Bar Song (Tipsy)" is the biggest song of the year, having spent



AD DUOTOS

This combination of photos shows top Grammy Awards nominees, top row from left, Beyoncé, Charli XCX, Billie Eilish, Kendrick Lamar, bottom row from left, Post Malone, Sabrina Carpenter, Chappell Roan and Taylor Swift.

more weeks at No. 1 on the Billboard Hot 100 than any other — it is so popular, a remix of the track is also up for remixed recording.

Elsewhere, Shaboozey is nominated in the melodic rap performance category for his feature on Beyoncé's "SPA-GHETTII." Linda Martell, the first commercially-successful Black woman musician in country, is also featured on the song, delivering the

83-year-old artist her first Grammy nomination.

For record of the year,
"Texas Hold 'Em" will compete against Swift and Post
Malone's "Fortnight," Eilish's
"Birds of a Father," Lamar's
"Not Like Us," Roan's "Good
Luck, Babe!", Carpenter's
"Espresso," Charli XCX's
"360," and the Beatles last
new song, the AI-assisted
"Now and Then."

So, what's missing?

Like last year, there's a huge dearth of Latin music — the fastest growing streaming genre in the United States — across the board, and no representation in the major categories.

There are also only four entries in the best Música Mexicana album category, despite it also being one of the fastest growing genres.

And K-pop, too, seems to be absent.





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Dear Sponsor and Friend of Zane's Inc.,

THANK YOU so much for your charitable donation and support for our 14th annual fundraisers this year. What an amazing year this was! We had an attendance of about one hundred thirty (130) at our Fall Casino fundraiser and an attendance of over 270 attendees at our Family Fun Fair & Exceptionalities Expo (Trunk & Treat). The only unwelcome guests at the Trunk and Treat were the bees! We are ecstatic to report to you that \$32,564 (free and clear) was raised for Zane's programs and expenses for 2025!

In 2024, \$25,795.80 was awarded to 29 individuals for services such as summer camps, adult living essentials, various therapies (behavioral, speech, recreational, social, adaptive swim, and music), adaptive/assistive equipment, and communicative devices. All of these services and items were necessary to help meet daily challenges and assist with helping with the ultimate goal of becoming more a part of the community. Funding assistance for adults is on the rise! Over the years your partnership has helped to put \$347,704.56 back into this incredibly special community. *Thank you so much!*

On behalf of all of the families that we serve, we **THANK YOU** for your continued support and partnership!!! We cannot continue our mission to provide resources and services for individuals with special needs without your generosity and kindness! It is because of this commitment that we continue to have this amazing opportunity to serve these children and adults for over sixteen years! **Thank you for this honor and the trust to do so!**

Warm regards,

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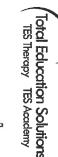
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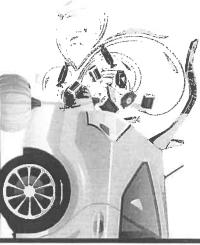




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Medina County Board of Developmental Disabilities achieves highest accreditation from the state



The Medina County Board of DD is the community resource responsible for connecting, coordinating and funding services for individuals of all ages with developmental disabilities.

MEDINA – The Medina County Board of Developmental Disabilities is pleased to announce that it has been accredited by the Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities for a period of three years, the highest accreditation period an organization may receive.

"Receiving this level of accreditation shows the dedication of our staff to improving the lives of people with developmental disabilities," said Superintendent Stacey Maleckar. "Our staff is highly committed to the work they do and continues to strive to provide the best service possible."

As the community resource responsible for connecting, coordinating and funding services for individuals of all ages with developmental disabilities, the Medina County Board of DD works with over 1500 Medina County individuals and their families. The MCBDD helps with everything from early intervention and education opportunities for children to employment and community inclusive living for adults. When an agency such as MCBDD is DODD-accredited, it means it has passed an intensive on-site review and has met numerous standards and guidelines for operations, service and quality.

On Nov. 13 and 14, the Ohio DODD's eight-member State Review Team was on site at MCBDD to take a look at the agency's daily operations and processes, while also evaluating the agency's ability to help people with developmental disabilities become engaged and connected within the community.

Accreditation reviews are conducted by the Ohio DODD Office of Provider Standards and Review to ensure that agencies are meeting standards as outlined in about 370 areas of the Ohio Administrative Code. Upon completing the on-site review, DODD delivered a summary presentation which highlighted the strengths of the MCBDD and also provided recommendations for areas to look at for improvements. DODD reviewers specifically complemented the MCBDD on its agency wide commitment to creating important relationships with the people and families it serves.

In response to the reviewer's observations, Maleckar said, "While our agency accomplishes important things each day, I am most proud of the fact that our staff was praised for building strong relationships with the people we serve. Throughout their time with us, the reviewers consistently saw how well our staff know the individuals and families they help and how important that is to our agency."

MCBDD Assistant Superintendent Annie Finnerty, the MCBDD coordinator for the review, said, "This achievement shows that the MCBDD continues to be true to its mission of empowering people with developmental disabilities. I am very grateful to work with a professional staff that know how to put the needs of the people and families we serve first and work each day to improve the services and support available in our county."



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In Focus:

Trump is already testing Congress and daring Republicans to oppose him

"This is going to be a red alert moment for American democracy," Sen. Chris Murphy, D-Conn., said on CNN after Trump tapped Gaetz for attorney general.



WASHINGTON (AP) — After a resounding election victory, delivering what President-elect Donald Trump and Republicans said is a mandate to govern, an uneasy political question is emerging: Will there be any room for dissent in the U.S. Congress? Read More

Trump Pentagon pick had been flagged by fellow service member as possible 'Insider Threat'

A fellow Guard member shared an email he sent to their unit's leadership flagging a different tattoo reading "Deus Vult" that's been used by white supremacists, concerned it was an indication of an "Insider Threat."



WASHINGTON (AP) — Pete Hegseth, the Army National Guard veteran and Fox News host nominated by Donald Trump to lead the Department of Defense, was flagged as a possible "Insider Threat" by a fellow service member due to a tattoo on his bicep that's associated with white supremacist groups. Read More



Daily Reader Poll:

Donald Trump is laying down a gauntlet even before taking office challenging the Senate, in particular, to dare defy him over the nominations of Pete Hegseth, Tulsi Gabbard, Matt Gaetz, Robert F. Kennedy Jr. and other controversial choices for his Cabinet and administration positions.

How concerned are you that Trump's executive nominees will damage America's interests?

- Very
- Somewhat
- Not at all

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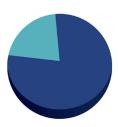


Reader Poll Results:

Do you want to see Robert F. Kennedy, Jr. be the new Secretary of Health?

78.35% – No

21.65% – Yes



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"The position should be held by a qualified doctor and nutritionist, not a person who has no knowledge of the human body or medicines. This is starting to look like a clown show. Trump needs to be serious about his picks, quit with the jokers."



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