

# MINUTES

## LABOR RELATIONS COMMITTEE

111 S. Michigan Ave., Rm. 200, Saginaw, MI 48602

**Monday, May 12, 2025 at 4:00 p.m.**

Present: Gerald Little-Chair, Sheldon Matthews-Vice-Chair, Denny Harris, Mark Piotrowski, Jack Tany  
Others: Mary Catherine Hannah, Jennifer Broadfoot, Koren Thurston, Patricia Johnson, Dave Gilbert, Suzy Koepplinger, and Catherine Hicks

- I. Call to Order ---***Chair Little at 4:00 p.m.***
- II. Welcome – Roll Call
- III. Correction/Approval of Minutes (***April 7, 2025***)
  - ***Moved by Piotrowski, seconded by Tany, to approve. Motion carried.***
- IV. Public Comment - **None**
- V. Agenda

1. **Jennifer Broadfoot, Personnel Director, re:**

- **5-20-10** Employment Status Report, Exit Interviews, Employee Groups, and Retiree Employment Contracts covering the month of April 2025
- ***Moved by Piotrowski, seconded by Tany, to receive and file. Motion Carried. (Receive & File)***
- **5-20-11** Requesting approval to modify the defined contribution retirement plan employer/employee match for non-union employees and county-wide elected officials
- ***Moved by Matthews, seconded by Tany, to approve. Motion carried. (Board Report)***
- **5-20-12** Requesting approval of a Memorandum of Understanding between the County of Saginaw and UAW Local 455 Unit 48 (Managers) for two employees who were former members of the Teamsters Union to receive the discretionary bonus
- ***Moved by Matthews, seconded by Harris, to approve. Motion Carried. (Board Report)***

2. **Dave Gilbert, Civil/Labor Counsel, re:**

- **5-20-13** Requesting approval of a Memorandum of Understanding between the County of Saginaw and POAM Unit 312 representing deputies to amend Article 8, Sec. 1 of the Collective Bargaining Agreement
- ***Request 5-20-13 was pulled at committee.***

3. **Closed Session**

- Pursuant to MCL 15.268(c) of the Open Meetings Act, the committee will convene a Closed Session to discuss strategy connected with the negotiation of collective bargaining agreements (*Information to be distributed*)
- ***The Chair announced the need to meet in Closed Session as noted above. Moved by Harris, seconded by Piotrowski, to go into closed session at 4:12 p.m.***
- ***The committee entered open session at 4:32 p.m.***
- ***Moved by Matthews, seconded by Tany, to adopt the recommendation of Civil/Labor Counsel regarding proposed Teamsters – Nurses Unit and Teamsters - General Unit Collective Bargaining Agreements. Motion carried. (Board Reports)***

4. Any other matters to come before the committee - **None**

VI. Miscellaneous - **None**

VII. Adjournment - ***Moved by Matthews, seconded by Harris, to adjourn; time being 4:35 p.m.***

Respectfully Submitted,

Gerald Little, Committee Chair

Suzy Koeplinger, Committee Clerk