

BERKS COUNTY PRISON BOARD MINUTES
BERKS COUNTY JAIL
SPECIAL OPERATIONS CENTER
JUNE 11, 2014

CALL TO ORDER: Mr. Barnhardt called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

The following members were in attendance:

Commissioner Kevin Barnhardt

The following members were absent:

Commissioner Christian Leinbach
Commissioner Mark Scott
Controller Sandy Graffius
District Attorney John Adams
Sheriff Eric Weaknecht
Judge Scott Lash

The following County staff also attended:

Peggy Kershner-Berks Pre-Trial Services

PUBLIC COMMENT: None.

JAIL SENIOR STAFF REPORTS:

Warden Quigley reviewed pending staff changes and reassignments.

Deputy Warden Smith said the Teamsters Union Representative was changed from Paul Concordia to Mike Rys.

Deputy Warden Kane said the hail storm caused minor damage to the air handler in B-Unit and needed to be replaced. As a result, inmates were reassigned to other units. A rental air handler is in place and as temperatures return to normal inmates are being moved back into the unit.

Community Service: Assisted in clean-up on WWII Weekend. There was a misunderstanding with Birdsboro regarding brush cleanup.

Commissioner Barnhardt commended Peggy Kershner and Jail staff on the Crime Outreach Breakfast. Warden Quigley reported employers were looking to hire inmates.

Following today's meeting; Commissioner Barnhardt and Ryan Hunter would check the mansion for damage for future use.

SOLICITOR'S REPORT: Nothing to report.

GOOD & WELFARE: Nothing to report.

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting adjourned at 9:11 a.m.

The next Prison Board meeting will be July 9, 2014 in the Commissioners' Board Room, Berks County Services Center.

Sandy Graffius, Secretary Prison Board