

**COLES COUNTY BOARD
Re-Organizational Meeting
December 5, 2022**

SWEARING IN CEREMONY

Honorable Brian Bower, presiding Judge administered the Oath of Office to the following County Officers and County Board members.

COUNTY OFFICIALS

County Clerk - Julie Coe
Treasurer - George Edwards

COUNTY BOARD MEMBERS

Bob Bennett, Mike Clayton, Denise Corray, Darrell Cox, John Doty, Jeremy Doughty, Tad Freezeland, Lisa Jaco, Gail Mason, Nancy Purdy, Rick Shook and Michael Watts

RE-ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

County Clerk Julie Coe then called the Re-organizational Meeting of the Coles County Board to order at 11:10am with the following members present Bob Bennett, Mike Clayton, Denise Corray, Darrell Cox, John Doty, Jeremy Doughty, Tad Freezeland, Lisa Jaco, Gail Mason, Nancy Purdy, Rick Shook and Michael Watts with County Clerk Julie Coe presiding.

After the Pledge to the Flag, an Invocation was given by Jeremy Doughty followed by a moment of silent reflection.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY CHAIRMAN

Coles County Clerk Julie Coe moved to appoint Purdy to serve as temporary Chairman, Motion made by Cox and seconded by Shook. **AMENDED 01/10/23**

AYES: Bennett, Clayton, Corray, Cox, Doty, Doughty,
Freezeland, Jaco, Mason, Purdy, Shook, Watts (12)

NAYS: None (0)

ABSTAIN: None (0)

APPOINTMENT OF CHAIRMAN

Purdy accepted chairman nominations.

Clayton made the nomination to appoint Cox to Chairman, seconded by Shook
Mason made the nomination to appoint Watts to Chairman, no one seconded

Purdy made the motion to close nominations

AYES: Bennett, Clayton, Corray, Doty, Doughty,
Freezeland, Jaco, Purdy, Shook, Watts (10)

NAYS: None (0)

ABSTAIN: Cox, Mason (2)

APPOINTMENT OF VICE CHAIRMAN

Cox accepted vice chairman nominations

Bennett made the nomination to appoint Purdy as Vice Chairman, seconded by Watts

AYES: Bennett, Clayton, Corray, Doty, Doughty,
Freezeland, Jaco, Mason, Shook, Watts, Cox (11)

NAYS: None (0)

ABSTAIN: Purdy (1)

PRESENTATION AND APPROVAL OF COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

(For a copy of the Committee Assignments see page 5818)

Discussion about appointments of County Board members to committees was raised by
Mason without further discussion.

Motion by Doughty, seconded by Clayton to approve the committee assignments with the
approval of the County Board.

AYES: Bennett, Clayton, Corray, Doty, Doughty,
Freezeland, Jaco, Purdy, Shook, Watts, Cox (11)

NAYS: Mason (1)

ABSTAIN: None (0)

COMMENTS

Kirk Allen

Jim Dinaso

John Craft

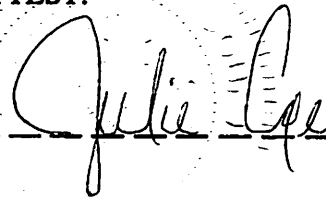
Upon motion by Corray, seconded by Freezeland the Coles County Board was adjourned at 11:26 a.m. with the consent of the County Board.

**AYES: Bennett, Clayton, Corray, Doty, Doughty,
Freezeland, Jaco, Mason, Purdy, Shook, Watts,
Cox (12)**

NAYS: None (0)

ABSTAIN: None (0)

ATTEST:


----- County Clerk

CHAIRMAN Darrell Col (R)

CHAIRMAN PRO TEM Ysaac Jaco (R)

BUILDING & GROUNDS

- Bob Bennett (R), Chairman
- Jack Freezeland (R)
- Nancy Purdy (R)
- Chuck Shoop (R)
- Paul Mason (R) D

COOPERATIVE EXT. BOARD

- Denise Corray (R), Chairman
- Paul Mason (R) D

COUNTY OFFICES/RULES

- Jeremy Daughy (R), Chairman
- Mike Clayton (R)
- Nancy Purdy (R)
- Ysaac Jaco (R)
- Denise Corray (R)

EDUCATIONAL SERVICE REG.

- Ysaac Jaco (R)

EMERGENCY FOOD & SHELTER BD.

- Jeremy Daughy (R)

FINANCE

- Ysaac Jaco (R), Chairman
- Darrell Col (R)
- Mike Watts (R) D
- Mike Clayton (R)
- Nancy Purdy (R)

HEALTH & SAFETY

- Darrell Col (R), Chairman
- Jeremy Daughy (R)
- Jack Freezeland (R)
- Ysaac Jaco (R)
- Denise Corray (R)

INSURANCE

- Nancy Purdy (R), Chairman
- Denise Corray (R)
- Mike Watts (R) D
- Paul Mason (R) D
- John Doty (R)

LIQUOR COMMISSION

- Darrell Col (R), Chairman
- John Doty (R)
- Paul Mason (R) D

MENTAL HEALTH BOARD

- Jack Freezeland (R)

911 BOARD

- Chuck Shoop (R)

PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT

- Jeremy Daughy (R), Chairman
- Mike Watts (R) D
- John Doty (R)
- Mike Clayton (R)
- Darrell Col (R)

PUBLIC HEALTH BOARD

- Jeremy Daughy (R)

ROAD & BRIDGE

- John Doty (R), Chairman
- Chuck Shoop (R)
- Jeremy Daughy (R)
- Ysaac Jaco (R)
- Bob Bennett (R)

SENIOR CITIZENS BOARD

- Nancy Purdy (R), Chairman
- Mike Watts (D)

SHERIFF & LAW ENFORCEMENT

- Denise Corray (R), Chairman
- Paul Mason (R) D
- Chuck Shoop (R)
- Mike Clayton (R)
- Bob Bennett (R)

SUPPLIES & CLAIMS

- Bob Bennett (R), Chairman
- Jack Freezeland (R)
- Mike Clayton (R)
- Darrell Col (R)
- Paul Mason (R) D

WIB

- Nancy Purdy (R)