



BLAIR COUNTY SALARY BOARD

c/o Blair County Controller, 423 Allegheny St., Ste 141, Hollidaysburg, PA 16648

Blair County Salary Board Meeting of January 7, 2026 at 10:00 a.m. in the Commissioner's Public Meeting Room.

Board Members in Attendance: Commissioner David Kessler, Commissioner Laura Burke, Controller A.C. Stickel

Non-Board Members in Attendance: Kyle Brashear, Angela Wagner

Media in Attendance:

Board Members not in Attendance: Commissioner Amy Webster

Quorum: Present

Call to Order: Commissioner Kessler called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

Moment of Silent Refection: Led by Commissioner Kessler.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag: Led by Commissioner Kessler.

Call for Public Comment: There was none.

Approval of Minutes: A motion was made by Commissioner Kessler and seconded by Controller Stickel that the minutes from the December 18, 2025, meeting be approved. The motion was unanimously carried.

Positions:

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Department	District Attorney			Presented By:	Commissioner Kessler		
Type	Set Rate				# of Positions	1	
Position	Paralegal				Position #	121701	
Pay Grade	H12	Step	Step 1				
Union	Non-Union			Exempt Status			
PT/FT Status	Full Time			Schedule	35 hours per week		
Wage	\$18.00	Per hr.	\$1,260.00	expected bi-weekly	\$32,760.00	expected annually	
Funding Source	General Fund				Budget	Included	
Effective Date	1/20/2026						
Reason/Justification	To set a provisional rate for Shannon Yarnish upon promotion to Paralegal, to continue from the date of promotion until her receipt of a Paralegal Certificate.						

A motion was made by Commissioner Kessler and seconded by Controller Stickel to change the status for the position as stated. The motion was unanimously carried.

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Department	Treasurer			Presented By:	Board of Commissioners		
Type	Complement Reduction				# of Positions	1	
Position	Department Support – Treasurer				Position #	332408	
Union	UMWA – Residual			Exempt Status			
PT/FT Status	Part Time			Schedule	999 Maximum hours per year		
Wage	\$13.09	Per hr.	\$502.92	expected bi-weekly	\$13,075.86	expected annually	
Funding Source	General Fund				Budget	Included	
Effective Date	1/1/2026						
Request	Reduce Department Support - Treasurer complement by one.						

This item was tabled again for further discussion.

Meeting of January 7, 2026 continued. . .

Additional and Overtime Report: was presented by Controller Stickel. The whole year will be ready for review soon.

Vacancy Report: Vacancy increased to 20.3% with end of the year retirements. Vacancy for non-union is sitting at 17.4%.

Adjournment. The meeting was called to adjourn at 10:10 a.m. by Commissioner Kessler and seconded by Controller Stickel. The motion was unanimously carried.

The next regular Salary Board Meeting will be on, February 4, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. in the
Commissioner's Public Meeting Room.

Respectfully Submitted,



August C. Stickel IV
Secretary