

**Sandusky County Commissioners – 622 Croghan Street, Fremont, OH 43420**

**2023 MEETING**

Meeting: Board Of Commissioners

Location: Commissioners' Board Room

Date: 12/5/2023

Time: 8:00AM – 12:30PM

Present: Commissioners: Charles Schwochow – President; Russ Zimmerman– Vice President; Scott Miller

Present: Theresa Garcia – County Administrator

Others Present: Adam Greenslade,

(\*action items)

AGENDA ITEMS	BRIEF DESCRIPTIONS / ACTION STEPS:	PERSON RESPONSIBLE:	DOLLAR AMOUNT:	MOTION / VOTE
Call to Order Pledge of Allegiance (8:00am)		Charles Schwochow, President		
<b>*Review &amp; Approval of Commissioner Meeting Minutes, incoming Mail Review &amp; External Meeting Notices</b>	The 11/28/2023 minutes were reviewed/approved by the Board. The Board reviewed incoming mail and external meeting notices.	Charles Schwochow Russ Zimmerman Scott Miller		<b>*Motion: Move to Approve minutes Moved by: Russ Zimmerman 2nd: Scott Miller Yes – 3</b>
<b>Review of External board / Meetings Attended by Commissioners</b>	Commissioners Schwochow and Zimmerman participated in a call to discuss the future of Village House. It sounds like the Mental Health Board is going to take the lead to take the program over and work with other groups on what they can do with the program. They do plan on keeping the Village House name.	Charles Schwochow Russ Zimmerman		
	Commissioners all attended a Solid Waste Special meeting. Seneca County presented additional requests from the budget for Seneca County. They did have questions on the request such as if this would be continued funding or a one-time request. There were still questions they wanted to discuss about the budget and will approve it next week with the budget committee and then with the full board at the next meeting.	Charles Schwochow Russ Zimmerman Scott Miller		

<b>Commissioners and Administrator Discussion</b>	Commissioner Schwochow attended the Fremont Holiday parade. It was well attended. They also had an event at The Strand to raise funds for gifts for needy children.			
<b>* Then /Now Documents</b>	<p>One certificate was presented by the Sheriff's office. The new employee was not properly informed of process and failed to secure the purchase order prior to approved purchase of uniform pants. One invoice makes up this certificate. Jody Estep - \$119.98</p> <p>Two certificates were presented by the Commissioners' Office. First certificate, the PO associated with the project was closed and we were not informed when they would be invoicing us. Second certificate, PO's were not done prior to receiving the invoice due to an oversight. Three invoices make up these certificates. Motorola - \$100,781.50 GLCAP - \$6,461.00 &amp; \$2,500.00</p> <p>One certificate was presented by the Board of DD. The super blanket PO for this invoice has already been closed. One invoice makes up this certificate. Jason Levine - \$560.00</p>	<p>Sheriff</p> <p>Commissioners</p> <p>Board of DD</p>	<p>\$119.98</p> <p>\$100,781.50 \$100,781.50 \$2,500.00</p> <p>\$560.00</p>	<p>*Motion: Move to Approve certificates Moved by: Russ Zimmerman 2nd: Scott Miller Yes – 3</p>
<b>* Personnel</b>	Statement of expense for mileage for Coroner Investigators were signed	Coroner	\$59.94 \$161.15	
<b>* Travel Requests</b>	None			
<b>Facility Management</b>	<b>Ron Hiser – Facility Management.</b> Ron came in for his regular meeting with the Commissioners. See attachment for agenda items. Holiday light shows have gone really well. They continue to do the renovations in the Commissioner's office. Board of health air distribution handlers should be corrected. The monitoring and camera systems for the courthouse security project are almost completed. We are waiting for a contract to approve for the JJC HVAC project.	Ron Hiser - Director		
<b>IT</b>	<b>Atul Chopra – IT.</b> Atul came in for his regular meeting with the Commissioners. Conner Witt, IT Specialist, came in with him. See attachment for agenda items. They are working on additional servers for current projects. Conner is working with Motorola on connecting	Atul Chopra – Supervisor Conner Witt - Specialist		

	<p>the cruisers and squads to the Motorola program for dispatch. Atul discussed the new anti-virus programs they are using. Conner is working on new phone systems for the County and the City. They are doing some demos to test different phones. They are looking at a new remote management and monitoring system. There are several projects they are working on for the Sheriff's Office. They are working with Omni Fiber for the dark fiber project. Omni Fiber is waiting for permits from the City Engineer. Conner talked about the Akamai program. This allows outside access for our users to get to programs they use on their county computers. He is testing the security of the application. Conner is working with the Board of Elections on additional security items. They are looking at different cameras that will store the video and have facial recognition.</p>			
<b>DTF</b>	<p><b>Dean Bliss and Charlie Horne – DTF.</b> Dean and Charlie came in for their regular meeting with the Commissioners. Dean did want to mention how blessed we are to have the IT staff we have. They are a great help with what they need. Statistic reports were shared with the Commissioners. (see attachment) They have been very busy. They have a new agent from the Sheriff's Office. They are using federal agencies to assist them on a part time basis. They are working with several neighboring counties. The Prosecutors office has been very great to work with and are always there with advice and assistance. Charlie reviewed the arrest statistics and local distribution information.</p>	<p>Dean Bliss – Commander Charlie Horne - Agent</p>		
<b>* Resolutions</b>	<p>2023 - 337 APPROVING BLANKET RESOLUTION FOR ALL OUT OF COUNTY TRAVEL FOR SEVERAL POSITIONS FOR SANDUSKY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES (SCDJFS) FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2024.</p>	<p>DJFS</p>		<p>*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Scott Miller 2nd: Russ Zimmerman Yes – 3</p>
	<p>2023 – 338 ESTABLISHING POLICY FOR SANDUSKY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES (SCDJFS) FOR EMPLOYEE, VOLUNTEER, FOSTER PARENT, DAY CARE PROVIDERS, AND GENERAL MEETING AND PUBLIC RELATIONS EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR 2024</p>	<p>DJFS</p>		<p>*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Russ Zimmerman 2nd: Scott Miller Yes – 3</p>

	2023 - 339 AUTHORIZING MELANIE ALLEN, THE DIRECTOR OF THE SANDUSKY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES, TO SIGN ANY AND ALL CONTRACTS ENTERED INTO BY THE SANDUSKY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES (SCDJFS) FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2024.	DJFS		*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Scott Miller 2nd: Russ Zimmerman Yes – 3
	2023 – 340 AUTHORIZING DIRECTOR OF DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES AUTHORITY TO NEGOTIATE AND SIGN INTER COUNTY ADJUSTMENT AGREEMENTS ON BEHALF OF SANDUSKY COUNTY UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 2024.	DJFS		*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Russ Zimmerman 2nd: Scott Miller Yes – 3
	2023 – 341 APPROVING AMENDED SANDUSKY COUNTY PREVENTION, RETENTION, CONTINGENCY (PRC) PLAN.	DJFS		*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Scott Miller 2nd: Russ Zimmerman Yes – 3
	2023 - 342 AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY ENGINEER TO PROCEED BY FORCE ACCOUNT IN THE MATTER OF ROUTINE MAINTENANCE OF ROADS AND BRIDGES AND HIGHWAY DRAINAGE; BRIDGE AND CULVERT REPAIR OR REPLACEMENT; THE UPKEEP AND MAINTENANCE OF EQUIPMENT AND YARD FACILITIES; NEEDED EMERGENCY WORK AND CLOSING OF ROADS; THE ADDRESSING OF MATTERS THAT INVOLVE THE DRIFTING OF SNOW; OTHER EMERGENCY WORK AS MAY BE NECESSARY DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 2024, ALL PURSUANT TO RELATED SECTIONS 5543 OF THE OHIO REVISED CODE (ORC)	Engineer	\$233,000.00	*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Scott Miller 2nd: Russ Zimmerman Yes – 3
	2023 - 343 APPROVING APPROPRIATION TRANSFER FOR SHERIFF FROM CONTRACT SERVICES TO CAPITAL OUTLAY (\$5,169.22) FOR VEHICLE DECALS	Sheriff	\$5,169.22	*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Russ Zimmerman 2nd: Scott Miller Yes – 3
	2023 - 344 APPROVING SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR COUNTY WIDE REIMBURSEMENT (\$17,000.00) AND PROBATE COURT CONTRACT SERVICES	Countywide Probate	\$17,000.00 \$25,000.00 \$5,000.00	*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Russ Zimmerman

	<p>(\$25,000.00) AND FUND TRANSFER FROM COUNTYWIDE CONTRACT SERVICE TO PUBLIC DEFENDER CONTRACT SERVICES (\$5,000.00) FOR YEAR END EXPENSES</p> <p>*** A request was made by Mary Ann Reser, Probate Court Administrator, to add an additional \$5,000.00 to their supplemental appropriation to cover additional expenses she needed to add in. This would move the request from \$20,000.00 to \$25,000.00</p>			2nd: Scott Miller Yes – 3
	<p>2023 - 345 APPROVING APPROPRIATION TRANSFER FOR JUVENILE/PROBATE FROM FEES AND REIMBURSEMENTS TO CONTRACT SERVICES FOR 2023 PROJECT EXPENSE</p>	Juvenil / Probate	\$3,500.00 \$748.33	*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Russ Zimmerman 2nd: Scott Miller Yes – 3
	<p>2023 - 346 APPROVING SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR DOG KENNEL WAGES (\$4,500.00), BENEFITS (\$200.00) AND SUPPLIES (\$200.00) FOR END OF YEAR EXPENSES FOR PAYROLL AND SUPPLIES</p>	Dog Kennel	\$4,500.00 \$200.00 \$200.00	*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Scott Miller 2nd: Russ Zimmerman Yes – 3
	<p>2023 - 347 APPROVING SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR BOARD OF DD WAGES (\$990.00) AND BENEFITS (\$215.00)</p>	Board of DD	\$990.00 \$215.00	*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Russ Zimmerman 2nd: Scott Miller Yes – 3
	<p>2023 - 348 APPROVING FUND TRANSFER FROM SALES TAX INCOME TO GENERAL FUND AND PI (\$600,000.00)</p>	Commissioners / PI	\$600,000.00	*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Scott Miller 2nd: Russ Zimmerman Yes – 3
	<p>2023 – 349 AUTHORIZING THE SANDUSKY COUNTY AUDITOR TO ALLOCATE FUNDS TO THE VILLAGE OF WOODVILLE FROM THE COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSE TAX FUND (\$34,875.72)</p>	Village of Woodville	\$34,875.72	*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Russ Zimmerman 2nd: Scott Miller Yes – 3
	<p>2023 – 350 INCREASING THE SEWER DISTRICT #1</p>	Sanitary Engineer		*Motion: Move to Approve resolution

	CONNECTION CHARGE EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2024 FOR THE SEWER DISTRICT #1 AREA.			Moved by: Scott Miller 2nd: Russ Zimmerman Yes – 3
	2023 – 351 INCREASING THE GENERAL SEWER DISTRICT CONNECTION CHARGE EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2024 FOR THE RICE LIFT STATION.	Sanitary Engineer		*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Russ Zimmerman 2nd: Scott Miller Yes – 3
	2023 – 352 INCREASING THE GENERAL SEWER DISTRICT CONNECTION CHARGE EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2024 FOR THE FLEMING LIFT STATION IN THE STATE ROUTE 6 SANITARY SEWER IMPROVEMENT AREA.	Sanitary Engineer		*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Russ Zimmerman 2nd: Scott Miller Yes – 3
	2023 - 353 APPROVING APPROPRIATIONS FOR EXPENDITURES FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2024	Commissioners		*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Scott Miller 2nd: Russ Zimmerman Yes – 3
	2023 – 354 APPROVING OUT OF STATE TRAVEL FOR STACEY GIBSON TO WASHINGTON, DC FROM JANUARY 29TH TO FEBRUARY 1ST, 2024 FOR COMMUNITY ANTI-DRUG COALITIONS OF AMERICA LEADERSHIP FORUM	FCFC		*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Russ Zimmerman 2nd: Scott Miller Yes – 3
	2023 - 355 AUTHORIZING CHANGE FUND ACCOUNT BE ESTABLISHED FOR THE SANDUSKY COUNTY RECORDER FOR 2024	Recorder		*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Scott Miller 2nd: Russ Zimmerman Yes – 3
	2023 - 356 AUTHORIZING A NEW FUND BE ESTABLISHED WITHIN THE BUDGETARY SYSTEM OF SANDUSKY COUNTY ENTITLED WOLF CREEK DITCH PROJECT #232 , FUND #40320, WITH A SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION	Wolf Creek #232		*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Russ Zimmerman 2nd: Scott Miller Yes – 3
	2023 – 357 APPROVING OUT OF STATE TRAVEL FOR SHERIFF	Sheriff		*Motion: Move to Approve resolution

	CHRIS HILTON, MAJOR HATFIELD AND CARLEE FAIRBANKS TO FLINT, MICHIGAN DECEMBER 8, 2023 TO ATTEND THE GENESEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE CHRISTMAS COMMUNITY SPECTACULAR			Moved by: Russ Zimmerman 2nd: Scott Miller Yes – 3
	2023 - 358 APPROVING APPROPRIATION TRANSFER FOR TASC LAB FROM BENEFITS TO SUPPLIES (\$2,400.00) FOR LAB TESTING SUPPLIES	TASC Lab	\$2,400.00	*Motion: Move to Approve resolution Moved by: Russ Zimmerman 2nd: Scott Miller Yes – 3
<b>Public Open Session</b>	Citizens Attendees – none Media Attendees – none Elected Officials – none			
	Adam Greenslade came in to talk to the Commissioners about the new capital funding for 2024. There are some entities that have already prepared requests to send to the Senate. He feels that the sooner requests are submitted for discussion in the House the better chances we have.			
	At 10:36am Commissioner Miller moved to enter executive session to discuss personnel issues to discuss union negotiations.  At 11:09am Commissioners exited executive session.  Commissioner Miller moved to accept the changes to the DJFS union contract as presented.  *** Commissioner Zimmerman had to excuse himself to attend an appointment at 11:00am			*Motion: Move to enter executive session Moved by: Scott Miller 2nd: Russ Zimmerman Yes – 3  *Motion: Move to exit executive session Moved by: Scott Miller 2nd: Charles Schwochow Yes – 3  *Motion: Move to accept DJFS Union contract Moved by: Scott Miller 2nd: Charles Schwochow Yes – 3

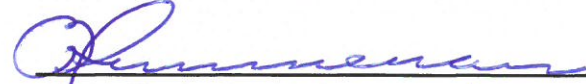
<p><b>Sheriff</b></p>	<p>The Sheriff came in with Justin LaBenne, City of Clyde City Manager, to talk about Clyde jumping on board with the County records system program. When the program was originally established with the County, Clyde was not interested, however, they have now requested to join the program. Clyde is asking the County to assist in the initial cost of jumping on the program. Justin explained their situation and their request. They feel it would be a benefit for the City as well as the County. Administrator Garcia is going to review budgets and Commissioners will make a decision when Commissioner Zimmerman is in session.</p> <p>The Sheriff also talked about his jail inspection. He was dinged on the lighting in the cells. The cells need to have some light at night, it cannot be pitch dark. Facility Management will work on quotes on how to fix that issue. They also were told they needed to have a key box that holds all manual keys that has a code to track who is in and out taking keys. They were also told that old cameras need to be removed.</p> <p>The sheriff also asked about additional funding for wages. The two neighboring counties have adjusted Sheriff pay scales through negotiations. This can affect retention and hiring for Sandusky County. Sheriff asked the Commissioners to consider re-opening the contract to make increases in the last year of his contract. He believes if he does not increase the wages, he could lose staff.</p>	<p>Chris Hilton – Sheriff Justin LaBenne – City Manager</p>		
	<p>Carlos Baez, Engineer, Rich Randolph, Design Engineer, Atul Chopra, IT and Lisa Kuelling EMA/911 Director came in to talk with the Commissioners on how to provide the mapping layers that have been provided in the past, where they will be located for the public and who would be responsible for updates on the layers. Commissioner Zimmerman talked about the vendor the Auditor is using for the tax map and what they can do to help. The group discussed some options. Carlos has staff that has worked with mapping but are not proficient. Carlos is going to gather more information and bring the information back to the Commissioners.</p>	<p>Carlos Baez – Engineer Rich Randolph – Design Engineer Atul Chopra – IT Lisa Kuelling - Director</p>		
<p><b>* Adjournment (12:30pm)</b></p>	<p>With business completed for the day the meeting was adjourned.</p>			<p>* Motion: Move to adjourn Moved by: Scott Miller 2nd: Russ Zimmerman</p>



Signature of:



Charles Schwochow, President



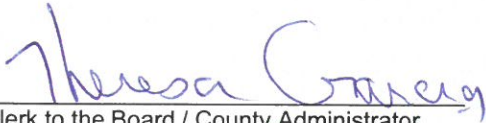
Russ Zimmerman, Vice President



Scott Miller

**Board of County Commissioners, Sandusky County Ohio**

Attest:



Clerk to the Board / County Administrator

I, the undersigned, Clerk of the Board of Commissioners,  
Sandusky County, Ohio, do hereby certify that the foregoing  
is a true and correct copy from the official record of said  
Board of County Commissioners as recorded in its Journal.

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Clerk, Board of County Commissioners, Sandusky County, Ohio

Current / Ongoing Projects:

- Additional servers for current projects (Sheriff, Clerk of Courts, Recorders) – had kick-off call with HPE, trying to implement new servers before end of year.
- Hosted email migration – complete, looking into new journaling vendor
- Dark fiber – OmniFiber waiting for permits from city engineers office
- Veeam (on-premise) and Cove (cloud) backups – looking into Rubrik, guaranteed ransomware protection backups
- Remote management & monitoring – in discussions with NinjaOne
- County network – new VLANs setup need to migrate access points
- Phone system – meeting with multiple providers for possible solutions
  - Having issues with older Aastra/Mitel phones.
  - BCS, Comm-Core and Sangoma
- Clerk of Courts – Benchmark project is delayed, don't have updated timeline yet
- Juvenile – Henschen updates completed
- BOE – implementing new security objectives outlined by State
- Department video monitoring – network equipment installed, 1<sup>st</sup> floor offices complete this week
- SC Engineer – looking into phone systems
- Cybersecurity – Proofpoint has best solution for email security, getting quotes
- Anti-phishing – renewed with KnowBe4, additional campaigns released
- EMA – need to install backup radio console and radio equipment
- SCSO
  - AVTEC radio console – some equipment end of life/sale, working on getting upgrade path
  - Radio systems – MARCS template approved, implementing paging for all departments
  - CAD/RMS/JMS (Motorola)
    - Pilot vehicle installation complete, everything working well. Received quote for remaining 29 vehicles.
    - GuardianRFID - jail inmate identification system to be implemented in 2024
    - Sapphire – electronic health records system, working on integration with Flex.
    - Runtime reports – found issue and have solution for missed reports.
    - Integrations – APCO and Eventide
  - IGNITE – temporary WIFI equipment setup, Chromebooks setup
- EMS – working on GPS location for squads
- IT – Countywide password policy, domain structure changes, WIFI changes.
  - Akamia – testing for secure access to all applications.
  - Server 2012 EOL this October, we are working on upgrading or migrating to newer server versions
- City of Fremont
  - Setting up two factor authentication and network security log and reporting
  - Police – new servers arrived, scheduling setup and onboarding
  - Dark fiber – Omnifiber permits discussion
  - Servers – started migration of old servers to Scale virtual machines.
    - Muni servers – 3 remaining to migrate
    - WRC & PD – migrating to complete by end of this year

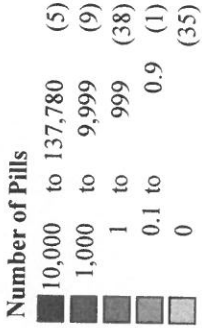
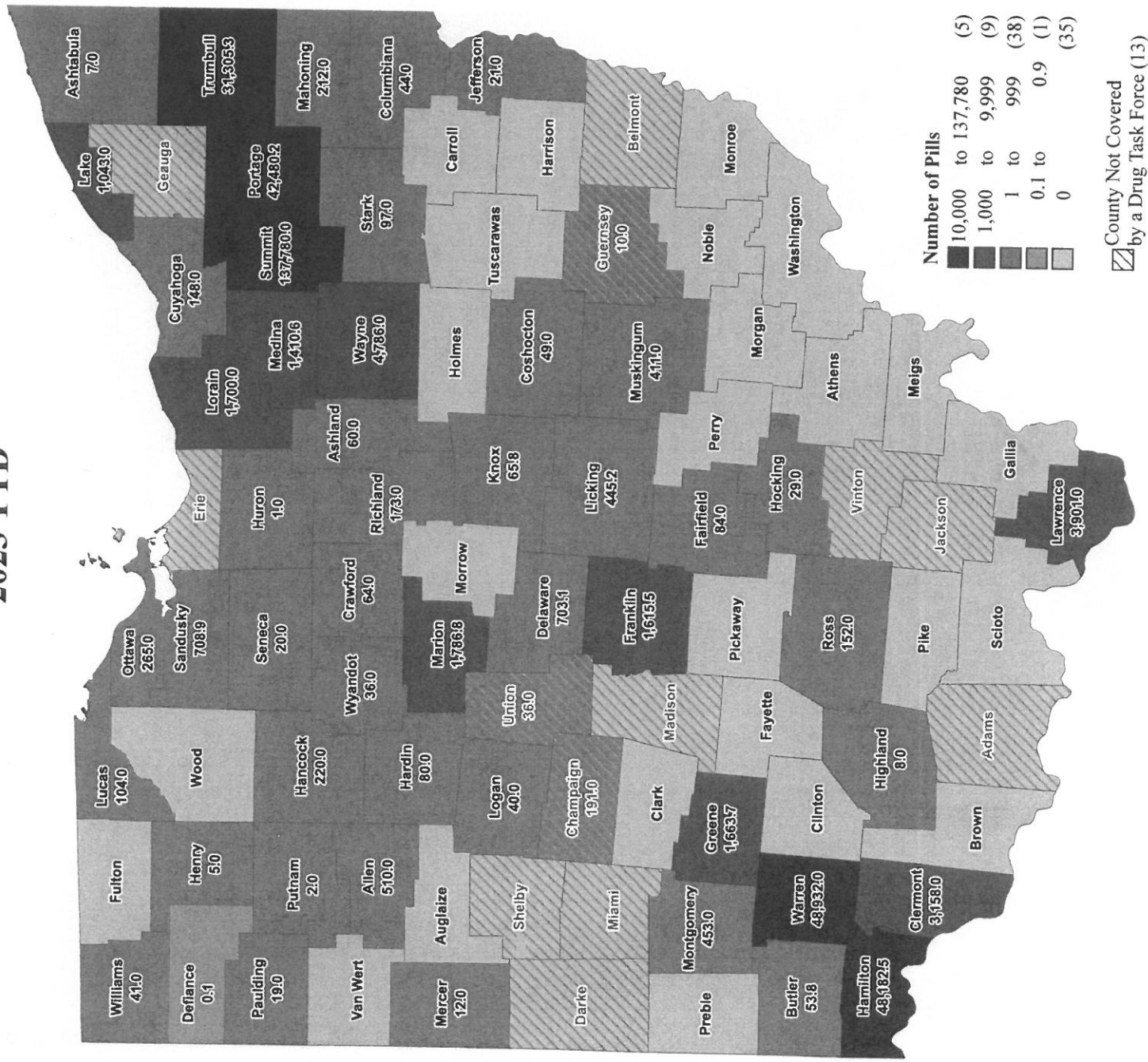
# Sandusky County Commissioners Agenda



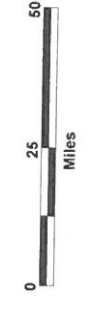
## Topics of Discussion for the meeting Dated December 5<sup>th</sup> , 2023.

1. Last Saturday night was the CCB Holiday light show night. It was well attended (aprox 200) and went well.
2. Kramer Interiors & KDH continues to work on wallpaper, wall repairs, replacing ceiling tiles, and painting. Traci's, Ian's, Theresa, and Dr. William's offices are complete. Currently working on Sandy's office (additional time will be needed for Sandy's office for leveling the floor) and then the board room.
3. The BOH air distribution system (diffusers and dampers) project is complete. V.M. has completed the air balancing and has compiled the report. We need the contractor and engineers to sign off on it. Relief fans noise issue still not resolved.
4. We are continuing to work on C.H. Security. Habitec to start their security upgrades (week of De. 4<sup>th</sup>). PO# has also been issued to install a camera in the elevator. We had a follow-up meeting yesterday (December 4<sup>th</sup>). Monitors are installed in the basement and first floor, second floor to be installed this week. Discussed the need for better exterior cameras.
5. The JDC HVAC contract is in the works. We are working with Scott from Kleinfelder to get it to the commissioners for signatures. Warner Mechanical was awarded the contract. Construction is scheduled to start 3-25-24 and substantial completion 6-24-24.
6. Working with Jeff's team and Thomas Porter on design for the new EMS buildings. We are having weekly meetings.
7. The boiler replacement project at the Sheriff Office is complete. An additional pump has been installed and controls up-grade were installed yesterday.
8. Justin Terry has started on the 108-demolition work. Terry Tracht is securing quotes for the demolition contractors to palletize the red sandstone and deliver it to F.M.
9. We are working with PDG on mechanical upgrades for the Woodville Court, Dog warden, Communication center, and the Commissioner Bld. locations.
10. Patching up the awning at the BOE.
11. We are currently working on filling 2 positions. One service tech and one housekeeper.
12. We received our new service truck (chassis – cab). We will have to outfit it with a service body bed and snowplow. We are currently working on getting prices.

# Ohio Drug Task Forces Seized Prescription Pills 2023 YTD



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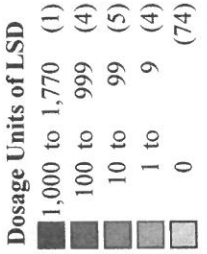


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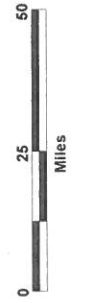




# Ohio Drug Task Forces Seized LSD 2023 YTD

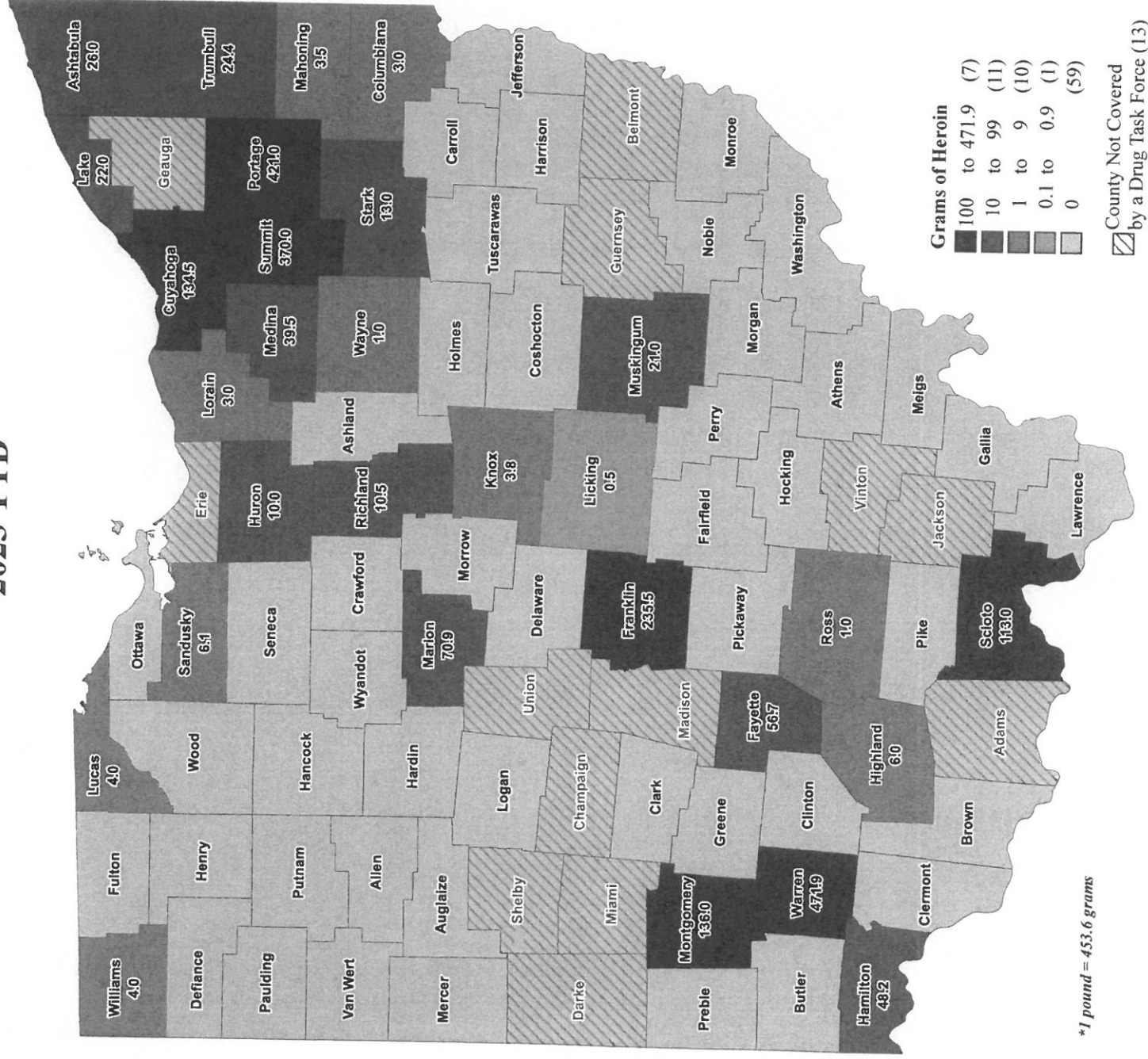


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# Ohio Drug Task Forces Seized Heroin 2023 YTD



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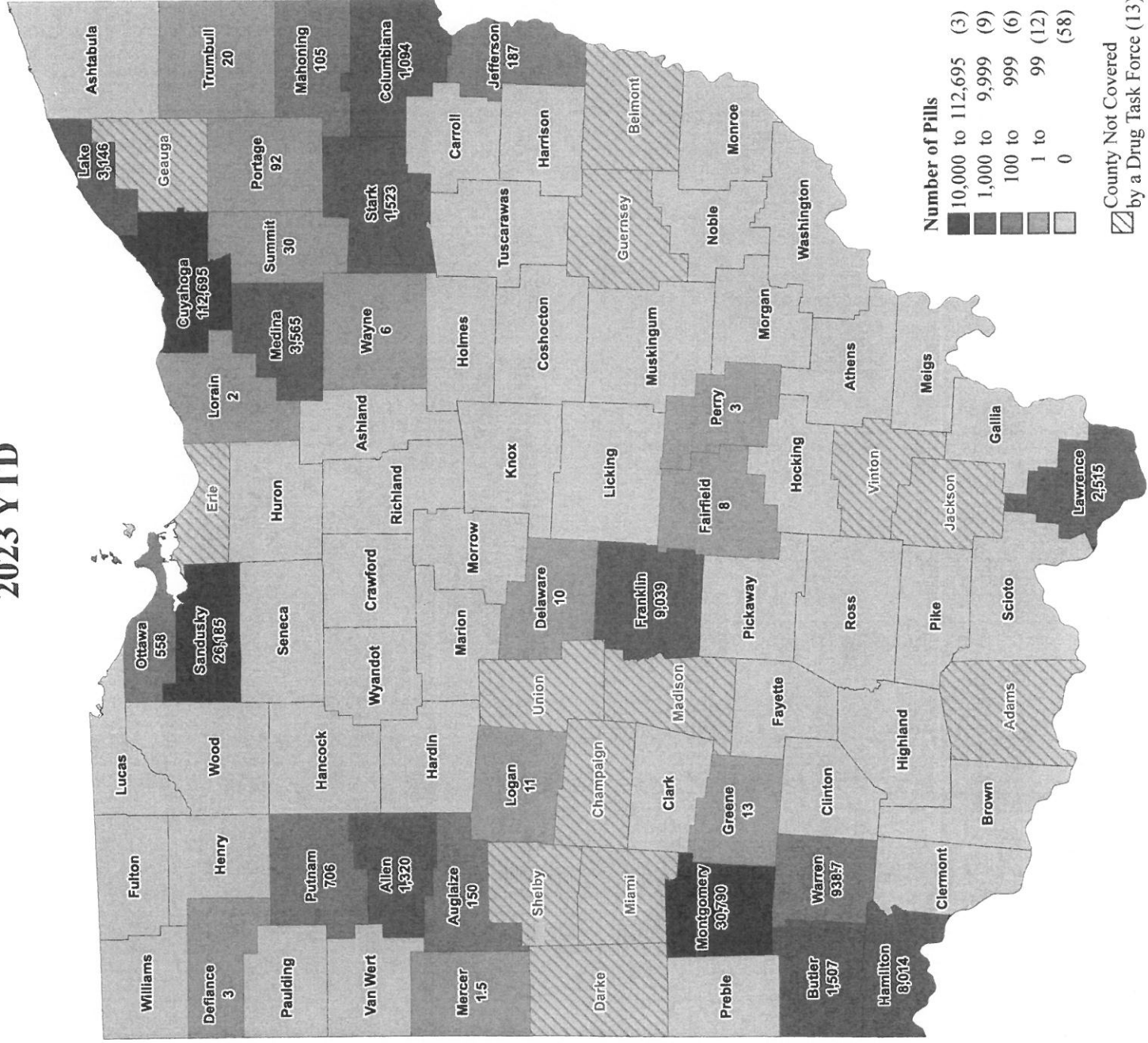
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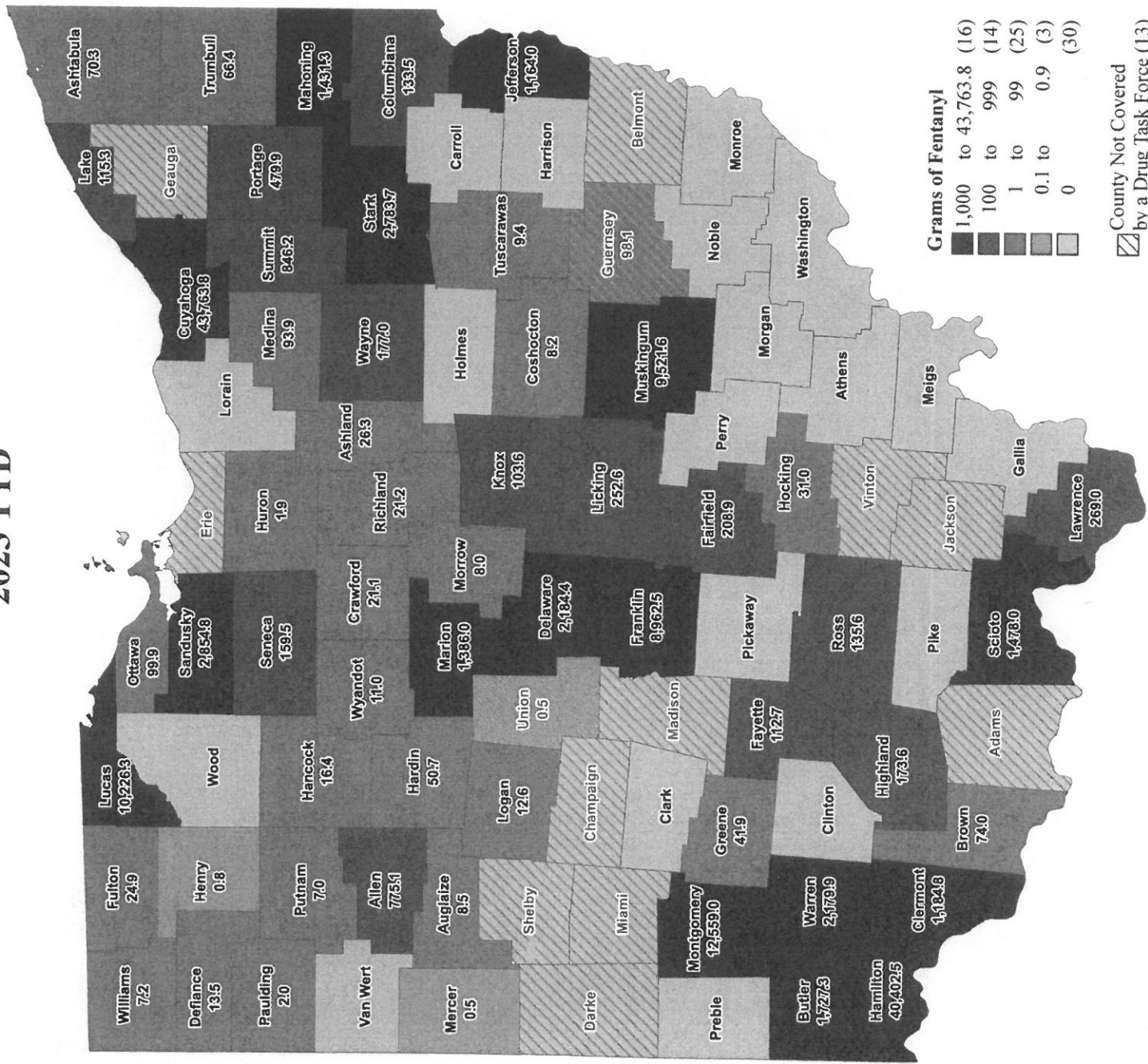


# Ohio Drug Task Forces Seized Fentanyl Pills 2023 YTD



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# Ohio Drug Task Forces Seized Fentanyl 2023 YTD



**Grams of Fentanyl**

- 1,000 to 43,763.8 (16)
- 100 to 999 (14)
- 1 to 99 (25)
- 0.1 to 0.9 (3)
- 0 (30)

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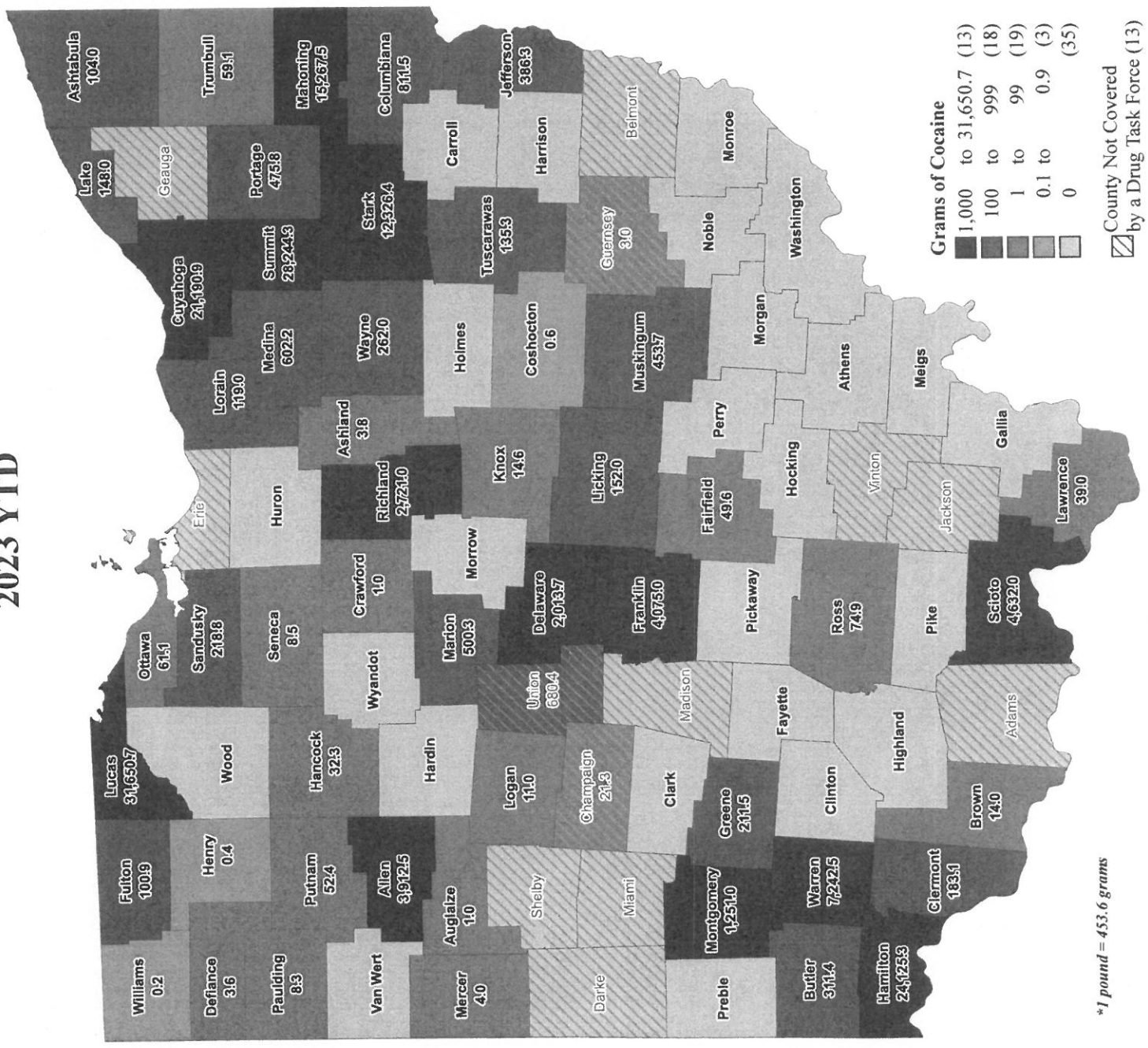


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# Ohio Drug Task Forces Seized Cocaine 2023 YTD



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**Grams of Cocaine**

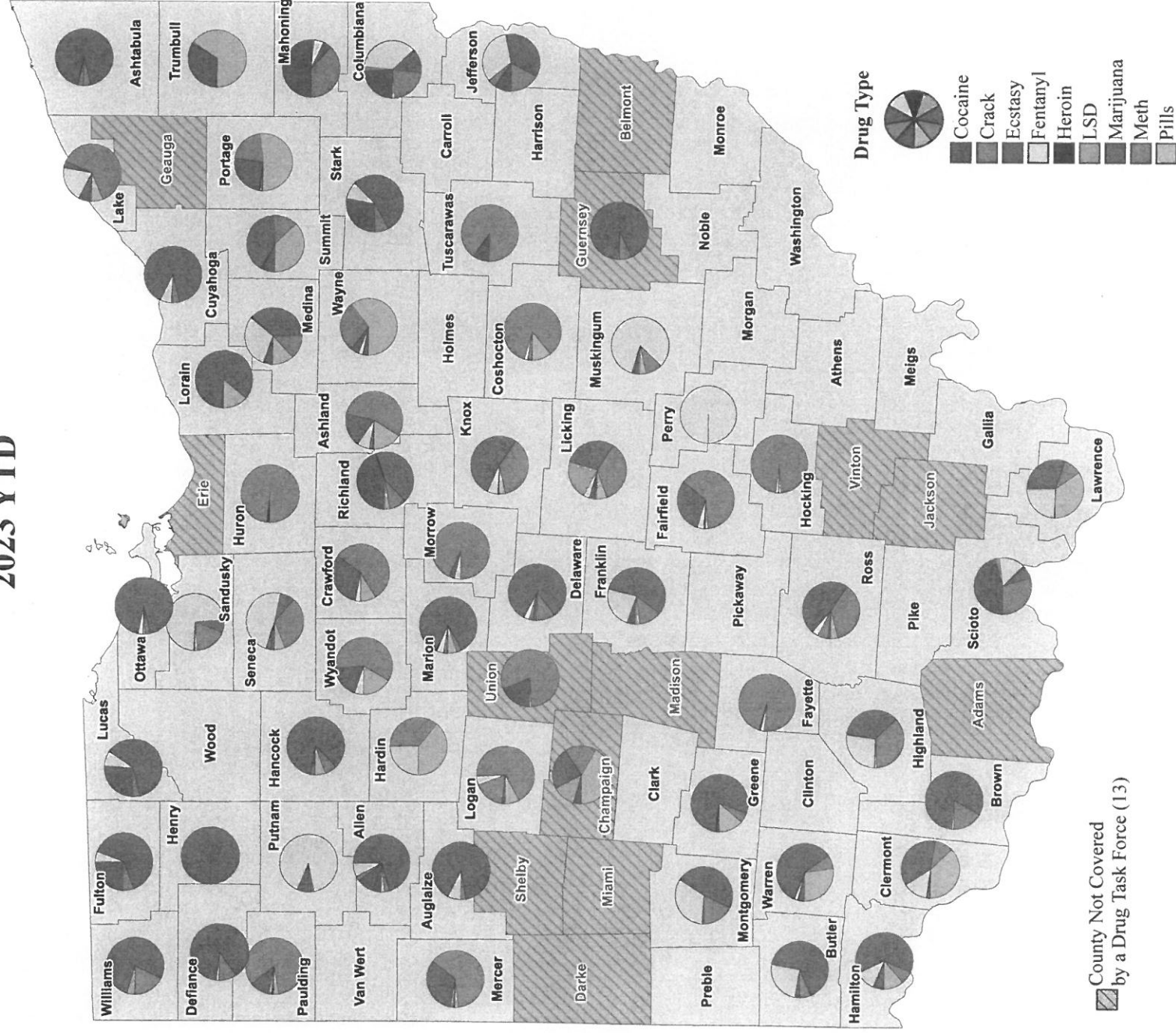
- 1,000 to 31,650.7 (13)
- 100 to 999 (18)
- 1 to 99 (19)
- 0.1 to 0.9 (3)
- 0 (35)

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# Ohio Drug Task Forces Distribution of Drugs Seized by County 2023 YTD





# Sandusky County Drug Task Force

Fremont, Ohio

Commander Dean Bliss

Prosecutor Beth A. Tischler, Administrator

## BOARD MEMBERS

Chief Derek Wensinger, Fremont PD  
Lt. Angel Burgos, OSP Post 72  
Sheriff Chris Hilton, Sandusky County  
Chief Marc Linder, Bellevue PD



Chief Roy Whitehead, Woodville PD  
Chief Monti Campbell, Clyde PD  
Chief Dan Collins, Gibsonburg PD  
Chief Amy Dickman, Green Springs PD

## 2023 Jan- Nov Year Stats

**180 Cases opened.**

**78 Searches conducted.**

**66 people indicated.**

**Indictments by level**

Federal F-1	12
F-1	42
F-2	19
F-3	44
F-4	18
F-5	51

**Drug Confiscations**

Crack Cocaine	50.3 Grams	\$5000.00
Powder Fentanyl	2,876.4 Grams	\$345,168.00
Fentanyl Pills	28,122 pills	\$562,440.00
Powder Cocaine	224 Grams	\$2,240.00
Methamphetamine	7075.98 Grams	\$353,799.50
Bath Salts	31 Grams	\$620.00
Prescription Pills	520 pills	\$11,000.00
Hash Oil	2 grams	\$60.00
Ketamine	9.2 grams	\$230.00
LSD	50 Doses	\$1,000.00
Ecstasy	13.5 grams	\$7750.00
Mushrooms	67.2 grams	\$3,360.00
Suboxone	18 doses	\$270.00
Marijuana	12 Cartridges, 2360 grams	\$120,100.00
	108 Plants – 5 packs edibles	
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,431,907.50</b>

**Other Items Confiscated.**

Firearms	21
US Currency	\$40,319

**Trainings**

18 presentations	378 people
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