



BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

1200 N. Telegraph Road, Bldg. 12 East, Pontiac, MI 48341

Human Trafficking Prevention Task Force

William Miller, Chair

August 26, 2026 at 9:00 AM

MINUTES

1. Call Meeting to Order

Chair William Miller called the meeting of the Human Trafficking Prevention Task Force to order at 09:07 AM in Committee Room A 1200 N. Telegraph Road, 12E, Pontiac, MI 48341.

2. Roll Call

MEMBERS PRESENT: William Miller III, Michael Spisz, Linnie Taylor (3)

MEMBERS ABSENT WITH NOTICE: Karen Joliat, David Woodward (2)

3. Approval of Minutes

a. Board of Commissioners - dated July 29, 2026

Linnie Taylor moved **approval of the Minutes dated July 29, 2026, as presented.** Seconded by Michael Spisz.

Motion Passed.

Vote Summary (3-0-0)

Yes: William Miller III, Michael Spisz, Linnie Taylor

No: None

Abstain: None

4. Approval of Agenda

Michael Spisz moved **approval of the agenda, as presented.** Seconded by Linnie Taylor.

Motion Passed.

Vote Summary (3-0-0)

Yes: William Miller III, Michael Spisz, Linnie Taylor

No: None

Abstain: None

5. Public Comment

None.

6. Regular Agenda

a. Prosecuting Attorney's Office - Update on Caseload and Recent Arrests

Cindy Brown, Chief Prosecuting Attorney; Mike Miles, Sergeant; and Timothy Willis, Undersheriff, provided an update on current caseloads. The Prosecutor's Office is working on multiple preliminary examinations. It was reported that the team is still receiving complaints about illicit massage businesses and are continuing to explore emerging issues with labor trafficking. On August 15, 2026, Undersheriff Willis and Chief Prosecutor Brown attended an event hosted by Bianca's Haven as guest speakers. Bianca's Haven is a Michigan 501(c)(3) working to eradicate exploitation and Human Trafficking.

Human Trafficking Tip Line: (248) 858-0411

Human Trafficking Email Tips: HumanTraffickingPreventionTIPS@oakgov.com

b. Board of Commissioners - Update on Community Forum Regarding Illicit Massage Businesses

Sergeant Miles reported that on August 14, 2026, the Prosecutor's and Sheriff's Offices hosted a meeting with local leaders to discuss their findings in the community.

c. Board of Commissioners - Community Education and Awareness Event Discussion

Chair Miller led the group in a discussion about hosting a community education and awareness event in early 2027.

d. Board of Commissioners - Future Meeting Schedule

The next meeting of the Human Trafficking Prevention Task Force was tentatively scheduled for Wednesday, September 16, 2026, at 10:00 a.m.

7. Other Business/Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 09:57 AM.

NOTE: The foregoing minutes are subject to Committee approval.