



**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA**

**Citrus County Courthouse  
110 N. Apopka Avenue, Room 100  
Inverness, FL 34450**

**MINUTES**

**March 14, 2023 - 10:00 AM**

**Ruthie Davis Schlabach, Chair, District 3  
Holly L. Davis, 1st Vice Chair, District 5  
Rebecca Bays, 2nd Vice Chair, District 4  
Jeff Kinnard D.C., Commissioner District 1  
Diana Finegan, Commissioner, District 2**

**Steve Howard, County Administrator  
Denise A. Dymond Lyn, County Attorney  
Angela Vick, Clerk of the Circuit Court and  
Comptroller**

**A. CALL TO ORDER**

March 14, 2023 Citrus County Courthouse  
The meeting was called to order at 10:00 AM.

**A.1. Invocation**

*Chair Ruthie Schlabach led the invocation.*

**A.2. Pledge of Allegiance**

**A.3. Roll Call**

Present: Ruthie Davis Schlabach, Holly L. Davis, Rebecca Bays, Jeff Kinnard D.C., Diana Finegan, County Administrator Steve Howard, County Attorney Denise Lyn, Deputy Clerk Amy Novinger

Absent: Clerk of the Circuit Court and Comptroller Angela Vick

**B. PRESENTATIONS/PUBLIC HEARINGS**

**B.1. Presentation from Jon Cherry, LifeStream**

Presentation from LifeStream, Jon Cherry

*Chair Ruthie Schlabach introduced the following individuals from LifeStream Behavioral Center who provided the presentation and responded to questions from the Board and County Attorney Denise A. Dymond Lyn: Jonathan Cherry, President and CEO; and Rick Hankey, Executive Vice President.*

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**Clerk's Note: Second Vice Chair Holly Davis arrived during item B1 at 10:04 AM.**

[Item B1 Power Point](#)

[Additional Information for item B1](#)

**C. OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**

*The following individuals addressed the Board on various issues:*

*Cindi Fein, Executive Director for National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)*

*Gail Romiti*

*Nancy Profer*

*Jessica Ritoch*

*Citrus County Sheriff's Office Lieutenant Craig Callahan*

*Brad Benson*

*Diane Liptak*

*Sabrina Watson, speaking for Xceptional Life Project*

*Marilynn Grusz*

[Public Speaker Forms for item C](#)

**D. UPCOMING MEETINGS**

**D.1. Board of County Commissioners Meeting, Tuesday, March 14, 2023 at 1:00 P.M. Citrus County Courthouse, 110 N. Apopka Avenue, Room 100, Inverness, Florida 34450**

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**E. ADJOURN**

The meeting was adjourned at 12:56 PM.

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## Minutes

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