



Special Meeting of the Board of Columbia County Public
Transportation
Port of Columbia Conference Room

October 12, 2018

The meeting was called to order by Acting Chair Mike Talbot at 3:00 pm.
Present were: Mike Talbot, Richard Ells and by phone Merle Jackson, Norm Passmore,
and CCPT attorney Seann Munford.

Absent was Craig George.

Also present - Steve Mertens, Accountant, Dayton Chronicle Publisher, Loyal Baker, A
reporter for the Waitsburg Times, Scott Kirk, Citizen.

At 3:05 Talbot announced the board would go into executive session for 20 minutes. At
3:25 the board announced another 10 minutes would be needed. The executive
session ended at 3:32.

(CCPT employee Ray Johnson joined the meeting)

Mike Talbot announced that there was consideration for General Manager Dwight
Robanske to be placed on paid administrative leave and so moved, Ells seconded the
motion, all in favor.

The board agreed to have another Special Meeting on Monday October 15th at 4:00
P.M. Steve was directed to contact members of the area press and put notices on the
CCPT building door and website.

Talbot closed the meeting at 3:40 pm

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Craig George", is written over a horizontal line.

Craig George, Chairman

Attest: 
Steve Mertens, Accountant