



MACOMB COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



Chair Joe Sabatini
District 4

Vice Chair Harold L. Haugh
District 10

Sergeant-at-Arms Sylvia Grot
District 3

Ken Goike - District 1
Phil Kraft - District 2
Don VanSyckel - District 5
Joseph V. Romano - District 6
James M. Perna - District 7

Antoinette Wallace - District 8
Barbara Zinner - District 9
Lisa Wojno - District 11
Michael J. Howard II - District 12
Sarah Lucido - District 13



2025 ANNUAL REPORT

BOARD LEADERSHIP



*Chair of Intermediate Retirees' Medical Benefits Trust Board
Retiree Healthcare Board Member*

Workgroups:

- Contracting Ordinance
- County Seal/Logo Ordinance
- Ethics Ordinance
- Financial Requirements Ordinance

Joe Sabatini
Chair
District 4



*Chair of Government Oversight
Chair of the Retiree Healthcare Board
Vice Chair of the Intermediate Retirees' Medical Benefits Trust Board
Retirement Board Member*

Workgroups:

- Contracting Ordinance

Harold L. Haugh
Vice Chair
District 10



*Chair of Macomb Orchard Trail Commission
Vice Chair of Internal Services
SEMCOG Delegate*

Workgroups:

- County Seal/Logo Ordinance

Sylvia Grot
Sergeant-at-Arms
District 3

COMMISSIONERS



Ken Goike
District 1

*Vice Chair of Public Services
Agricultural Purchase of Development Rights
Selection Committee Member
Brownfield Redevelopment Authority Member
Solid Waste Planning Committee Member*

Workgroups:
• Ethics Ordinance



Phil Kraft
District 2

*Chair of Finance/Audit/Budget
Chair of Community Mental Health Board*

Workgroups:
• Contracting Ordinance
• Financial Requirements Ordinance



Don VanSyckel
District 5

*Chair of Internal Services
AgeWays Representative
Aerospace & Defense Committee Member
SEMCOG Regional Review Committee*

Workgroups:
• Contracting Ordinance
• Ethics Ordinance



Joseph V. Romano
District 6

Chair of Records and Public Safety

Workgroups:
• Real estate-related issues



James M. Perna
District 7

*Chair of Public Services
Vice Chair of Older Adult Advisory Committee*

Workgroups:
• Financial Requirements Ordinance



Antoinette Wallace
District 8

*Vice Chair of Finance/Audit/Budget
Community Mental Health Board Member
Michigan Association of Counties President*

Workgroups:
• Contracting Ordinance
• County Seal/Logo Ordinance
• Financial Requirements Ordinance



Barbara Zinner
District 9

*Chair of Older Adult Advisory Committee
Vice Chair of Health and Human Services*

Workgroups:
• County Seal/Logo Ordinance
• Financial Requirements Ordinance



Lisa Wojno
District 11

Vice Chair of Government Oversight

Workgroups:
• Ethics Ordinance



Michael J. Howard II
District 12

*Vice Chair of Records & Public Safety
Community Corrections Advisory Board
Member*

Workgroups:
• County Seal/Logo Ordinance



Sarah Lucido
District 13

*Chair of Health & Human Services
Health Department Hearing Board Member
Michigan Association of Counties Board Member*

Workgroups:
• Financial Requirements Ordinance



BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

ORGANIZATIONAL CHART



Board of Commissioners



JOE SABATINI

Board Chair

CRYSTAL RICHARDSON

Director of Board Operations

Administration of office
Oversee staff and assignments
Representation at meetings
Liaison to County departments and counsel
Board and Commissions
Commissioner support



KYLE MCKEE

Director of Legislative Affairs
Committee Chair support
Committee process management
Agenda item support
Research
Ordinances, Resolutions, Policies



ADRIANA DEMAGGIO

Legislative Analyst
Meeting (agenda, minutes) management
Support with research, agenda items
Staff lead for OAAC
Support with budget process
Legislative follow-up



LUKE BISCIAIO

Technology Liaison
Civic Clerk Administrator
Technology assistance
Website management
AV management and video editing
IT projects



SAVANNAH MARINELLO

Communications Specialist
Liaison to digital marketing firm
Outreach and event planning
Newsletters, press releases
Constituent issues
Backup AV support



BECKY PERRY

Administrative Assistant
Main office support / contact
Letters, Proclamations, Tributes, Certificates
Green Schools Coordinator
Office supplies
Backup to Legislative Analyst



VACANT

Office Assistant Senior

Part-Time Position
General office support
Backup to Administrative Assistant
Support with event planning and coverage

CONTRACTED WORK



HUNCH FREE
Digital Marketing Firm



PETE WEBSTER
Independent Counsel



JOHN WEISS
Independent Counsel

STAFF STATS

6.5

TOTAL STAFF

75

YEARS OF COMBINED
EXPERIENCE AT
MACOMB COUNTY

90

YEARS OF COMBINED
EXPERIENCE IN
GOVERNMENT

5

MINIMUM OF A
BACHELOR'S DEGREE

3

GRADUATE-LEVEL
STUDY OR
COMPLETION

6

COMPLETED
SPECIALIZED
TRAINING IN 2025

2025 ACHIEVEMENTS

- ✓ Established a productive, bipartisan working environment
- ✓ Collaborated with administration to improve budget process
- ✓ Unanimously adopted a strategic budget for 2026
- ✓ Led a countywide space needs assessment initiative
- ✓ Transparently and efficiently filled a Commissioner vacancy
- ✓ Aligned job descriptions with actual roles and duties
- ✓ Updated Contracting Ordinance to reflect current process
- ✓ Appointed workgroups for Ordinance review with timelines
- ✓ Improved social media outreach with new series highlights
- ✓ Enhanced efficiency through policies and procedures

OUTREACH

240

MEETINGS ATTENDED
BY CHAIR

38

NON-BOC EVENTS
ATTENDED

700

MEETING HOURS
WATCHED ON
YOUTUBE

15%

INCREASE IN
YOUTUBE VIEWS
OVER 2024

17

PRESS
RELEASES

100%

INCREASE IN
SOCIAL MEDIA POSTS

10%

INCREASE IN SOCIAL
MEDIA FOLLOWERS

23

NEWSLETTERS /
EMAIL BLASTS

2025 BUDGET

**\$1.1
billion**

BUDGET

**\$346
million**

GENERAL FUND

**\$122
million**

FUND BALANCE

PUBLIC INVESTMENTS

**\$200
million**

PUBLIC SAFETY

**\$47.8
million**

PUBLIC HEALTH

**\$10.6
million**

PUBLIC WORKS

**\$7.2
million**

SENIOR SERVICES

LEGISLATIVE STATS

56

MEETINGS

821

AGENDA ITEMS

296

CONTRACTS

90

BUDGET
AMENDMENTS

84

APPOINTMENTS

32

RESOLUTIONS

35

PROCLAMATIONS

4

ORDINANCES

PROGRAMS & EVENTS

9

OFFICE EVENTS

15k

GUIDE BOOKS
DISTRIBUTED

10

OAAC MEETINGS

77

SCHOOLS AT GREEN
SCHOOLS STATUS

460

ATTENDED GREEN
SCHOOLS AT ZOO

100

ATTENDED GREEN
SCHOOLS AT MISD

47

STUDENT ESSAY
SUBMISSIONS

25%

ATTENDED STUDENT
GOVERNMENT DAY

300

YOGA AT THE HILL
ATTENDEES

29

VOLUNTEERS
RECOGNIZED AT
DINNER RECEPTION

70%

LEGISLATIVE
TOWN HALL
ATTENDANCE

\$9k

CASUAL DAY
CONTRIBUTIONS











The 13-member Board of Commissioners serves as the legislative body for Macomb County. The powers, duties, and responsibilities of the Board are established by Michigan law and the County Charter. Commissioners are elected to four-year terms.

Each individual Commissioner represents one of the thirteen districts in Macomb County. Under the County Charter, some duties of the Board of Commissioners include adopting Ordinances and Resolutions, approving contracts of the County, submitting tax and ballot proposals to the electorate, appropriating funds, levying taxes and certain fees and authorizing borrowing.

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