Marion County Commissioners

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Dan Russell 1/2/2009 - current term expires 1/1/2016
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Dan is a lifelong resident of Marion County. He and his wife Linda have 4 children and 4 grandchildren. Dan graduated from Harding High School and attended The Ohio State University. Dan retired from Laborers Local #574 after 32 years of service where he served as President and Field Representative for over 10 years. At one time he also served as the Executive Vice President of the Mid-Ohio AFL-CIO. Dan is currently Vice President of the Board of Commissioners and sits on the following boards:

DKMM Solid Waste District Board of DirectorsCANDO Board of TrusteesDKMM Solid Waste District Board of Directors
Regional Planning Commission
DKMM Solid Waste District Policy Committee
Local Emergency Planning Committee
Terrorism Advisory Team
Marion Area Convention and Visitors Bureau
Job & Family Services Community Planning Committee
District 5 Area Agency on Aging
CANDO Board of Trustees
CANDO Executive Board
Historical Society Board
Mid Ohio AFL-CIO Board of Trustees

Ken Stiverson 1/1/2011 - current term expires 12/31/2014
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Ken and his wife Janet have been married for 44 years. They are the parents of 2 daughters and have 5 grandchildren. Ken graduated from Ridgedale High School and attended The Ohio State University. He is a Viet Nam veteran and retired from Whirlpool after 40 years. He is a member of Emanuel Lutheran Church. Ken served of Marion County Fair Board for 17 years and continues to serve as chairman of the Marion County Jr. Fair Livestock Sale Committee. He formerly served as President of the River Valley School Board and a 3 term member of the board. Ken serves on the following board and committees:
· Marion County Farm Bureau
· Marion County Jr. Fair Board Advisor for 25 years
· DKMM Solid Waste District Board of Directors
· DKMM Solid Waste District Budget Audit Committee
· Insurance Committee
· Regional Planning Commission
· Issue I / District 16 Integrating Committee
· Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Board
· Board of Revision
· Ohio Heartland Community Action Committee

· Farmland Planning Committee
· United Way Board

Andy Appelfeller 1/3/2001 - current term expires 1/2/2016
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Andy is a lifelong resident of central Ohio and married to wife Sherril. They are the parents of 3 children and the proud grandparents of 4 lovely granddaughters. Andy is a graduate of Kenton Senior High School class of 1966 and is a Veteran of the Ohio National Guard (1967 - 1973). He graduated from the Highway Patrol Academy class of 1970. He was 3 time "Trooper of the Year", twice at the Marion Post and once at the Bellefontaine Post. Andy retired from the Ohio State Highway Patrol after 26 years of service and went on to be a bailiff in the court of Judge Alspach before running for Commissioner. Andy and his family are members of the Green Camp United Methodist Church. Andy is currently President of the Board of Marion County Commissioners and sits on the following boards:

DKMM Solid Waste District Board of Directors
Regional Planning Commission
DKMM Solid Waste District Executive Committee
Community Corrections Planning Committee
Council on Aging Board of Trustees
Emergency Management Agency Executive Board
Family & Children 1st Council
Heart of Ohio Resource Conservation & Development Board
Marion Hardin Jail Commission
Marion Public Health District Advisory Council
Regional Planning Executive Board
911 Committee