

Community Action Announces New Board Officers

The Garrett County Community Action Committee (GCCAC) board of directors elected new executive officers during a meeting last month.

Those elected are as follows: Beverly Beard, chair; Rev. Matthew Paugh, vice chair; Scott Alexander, treasurer; and Wendy Sharpless, secretary.

Beard said she is proud of Community Action's accomplishments and is excited about the future of the organization and the role it plays in the community. She has served the organization for well over two decades, having held all other executive office positions on the board.

Former chair Lowell Bender announced at the August board meeting his intention to leave the board at the end of September, after 29 years of service and involvement with GCCAC. He was first appointed in 1987 as a representative of Garrett College.

GCCAC president Duane Yoder said he is thankful for the thousands of hours of service and dedication that both Bender and Beard have given.