

Jackson County, Missouri

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Roger Davis
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Ethics, Human Relations, and Citizen Complaints Commission

<p>Meeting Minutes Thursday, August 17, 2023, 5:15 p.m. Eighth Regular Meeting</p>

1. Call to Order

Howard Lotven, Chairman, called the eighth regular meeting of the Ethics, Human Relations, and Citizen Complaints Commission to order.

2. Roll Call

Present 3 – Howard Lotven, Jacquelyn Eidson, Roger Davis

Absent 3 – Keith Curnutt, Mary Shannon, Davin Gordon

3. Introduction of OEHRCC Staff and Guests

Present – Director Chris Crawford, Complaint Officer Anita Mackerel, Administrative Assistant Alexandra Gold-Barnes

4. Approval of Minutes

A quorum was not present. The approval of the July meeting minutes will take place during the September meeting.

5. Director's Report

The budgeting process for the county has begun. The preliminary OEHRCC budget is due by August 31st. A meeting will be held to discuss changes and increases. The budget will then be presented to the legislature and passed before the new year. The budget will be handed out to commissioners early for review.

Jackson County received an estimated fifty thousand Board of Equalization appeals. This is the highest number on record. Appeals took place either in person or over the phone. The Board of Equalization is no longer taking appeals. The BOE hopes to be done reviewing appeals prior to the distribution of tax bills in October/November.

The state auditor has announced a preliminary review of the assessment process and the role of contractor Tyler Technologies. The legislature plans to formally request a formal investigation from the auditor.

The annual report was delivered to the county executive and legislature. Reviews were positive and the process will continue.

6. Approval of Case Summaries

Anita Mackerel presented case summaries #92-111 received in July 2023.

CASE #92

Reviewed, no questions

CASE #93

Reviewed, no questions

CASE #94

Reviewed, no questions

CASE #95

Reviewed, no questions

CASE #96

Reviewed, no questions

CASE #97

Reviewed, no questions

CASE #98

Reviewed, no questions

CASE #99

Reviewed, no questions

CASE #100

Reviewed, no questions

CASE #101

Reviewed, no questions

CASE #102

Reviewed, no questions

CASE #103

Reviewed, no questions

CASE #104

Reviewed, no questions

CASE #105

Reviewed, no questions

CASE #106

Reviewed, no questions

CASE #107

Reviewed, no questions

CASE #108

Reviewed, no questions

CASE #109

Reviewed, no questions

CASE #110

Reviewed, no questions

CASE #111

Reviewed, no questions

A quorum was not in place. The approval of the director's report and case summaries will take place during the September meeting.

7. New Business

NONE

8. Unfinished Business

NONE

9. Public Comments

NONE

10. Adjournment

A motion to adjourn was made by Roger Davis, seconded by Jacquelin Eidson. The motion passed by a voice vote.