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Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government P.O. Box 30036 Lansing, MI 48909-7536

House Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government P.O. Box 30014 Lansing, MI 48909-7514

Dear Legislators:

Per PA 87 of 2021, section 617, we have attached the preliminary fourth quarter report of all expenditures related to the Michigan Independent Citizens Redistricting Commission. In addition, we provided a detailed description of quarterly activities to implement Section 6 of Article IV of the Michigan State Constitution. We'll update this quarterly report once the books are closed for FY 2022.

If you have any questions regarding this information, please get in touch with me at 517-331-6309.

Sincerely,

Edward Woods III Executive Director

Cc: Kathryn Summers, Senate Fiscal Agency Mary Ann Cleary, House Fiscal Agency Chris Harkins, State Budget Director



FY 22 4th QUARTER EXPENDITURES

Expenses	Amount
Travel	\$287.34
Facilities, AV, Security	\$630.00
Telecommunications	\$3,174.24
Technology/Internal Purchases thru State	\$346.35
Staff Salaries	\$44,666.10
Advertising	\$1099.00
Consultant—Line Drawing	\$110.64
Consultant—Litigation Counsel	\$86,445.35
Consultant—Local Counsel	\$40,528.93
ConsultantPromotional	\$15,125.00
General Legal Services	\$42,213.25
Commissioner Salaries	\$210,724.80
General Administrative	\$246.17
TOTAL	\$445,597.17

- Discussed the draft Commission report. Accepted the May financial report.
 Approved the FY 22 Revised Budget. Presented the FY 23 Draft Budget. Ratified the contract with Insights3 to provide accounting and financial reporting services.
 Approved Sept. 29 as the only meeting date in September.
- Approved the Commission Report. Discussed the Dormancy and Reactivation Plan. Adopted the MICRC FY 23 Budget that has 13 Commissioners' salaries at 25 percent of the Governor's salary but does not have the provision about attendance being required at meetings to be paid. Revised the meeting dates to Oct. 27 for October and Dec. 15 for December. Approved the Election Data Services addendum for Expert Witness Support for Pending Litigation. Accepted the June and July financial reports. Approved the minutes for June 9 and July 21.
- Approved the Lessons Learned Report and Recommendations. Approved the change order to increase the contract values for Baker Hostetler (\$2 million), Fink Bressack (\$500,000), Election Data Services (\$500,000), and the VRA Legal Counsel (\$150,000) until the next Commission is seated either on or before Oct. 15, 2030. Accepted the August financial report. Adopted the FY 22 Revised Budget. Adopted the FY 23 Budget. Approved an animus brief for the Arizona Redistricting Commission. Approved the contract for MICRC Part-time Executive Director. Elected Commissioner Dustin Witjes as chairperson and Commissioner Douglas J. Clark, Jr. as vice-chairperson.



For additional details regarding the Commission's work this quarter, please visit the MICRC website to view meeting notices and materials at Meeting Notices & Materials (michigan.gov). You can watch their meetings on MICRC - YouTube.