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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 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.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Edward Woods III', written over a light gray dotted background.

Edward Woods III
Executive Director

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



FY 23 4th QUARTER EXPENDITURES

Expenses	Amount
Travel	\$579.20
Facilities, AV, Security	\$1,730.00
Telecommunications	\$2,378.30
Technology/Internal Purchases thru State	\$260.40
Staff Salaries	\$21,523.14
Advertising	-\$38.50
Consultants-Line Drawing	\$6,070.00
Consultants-Litigation Counsel	\$305,049.76
Consultants-Local Counsel	\$45,698.86
Consultant-Promotional	\$0.00
Consultants-Voting Rights Act Legal Counsel	\$8,370.03
Professional (Financial) Services	\$848.50
Commissioner Salaries	\$134,243.44
Office Supplies	\$37.45
TOTAL	\$526,750.58

FY 23 4th QUARTER ACTIVITIES

- Advocated and received funds for FY 24. Expressed appreciation to Senator Sarah Anthony, Representative Angela Witwer, Senator Jeremy Moss, State Budget Director Chris Harkins, and MDOS Chief Legal Director Mike Brady for their assistance.
- Engaged in litigation preparation for the Agee, et al v. MICRC, et al.
- Approved the revised budget for FY 23.
- Received a presentation from the MICRC Voting Rights Act Counsel regarding the media coverage of the Voting Rights Act.
- Approved the FY 24 budget.
- Extended the MICRC Executive Director contract through FY 24.
- Reviewed the Code of Conduct and Conflict of Interest Policy.
- Extended the Abacus Services Corporation Contract.
- Increased the cap for Litigation Counsel.
- Elected a new Chairperson (Commissioner Cynthia Orton) and Vice Chairperson (Janice Vallette).

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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 Archives \(michigan.gov\)](#), or you can watch their meetings on [MICRC - YouTube](#).