

## **JUDICIAL & LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE**

**DATE: Friday, March 6, 2020**

**TIME: 9:30 a.m.**

**LOCATION: Room 115, Wood County Courthouse**

1. Call meeting to order.
2. Public comments. Now or at the time the item is taken up. Rules may apply.
3. Review minutes of previous meeting.
4. Review any claims and notices of injury against the County, as necessary.
5. Review any Dog License Fee Fund claims.
6. Review for approval the vouchers and monthly reports of departments the committee oversees.
7. Budget amendment resolution for Clerk of Courts.
8. Consideration of wages for constitutional officers.
9. Presentation of correspondence and legislative issues or referrals and recognition of Legislators who may be present.
  - a. Report of Citizens Groundwater Group.
  - b. Resolution from Outagamie County supporting legislation correcting discrepancies in statutes related to detention hearing timelines for juveniles.
  - c. Resolution from Outagamie County supporting the Commitment to Veteran Support and Outreach Act
10. Review of County Board Rules.
  - a. Department alignment in committee structure, excluding Dispatch.
  - b. County Board organizational meeting.
11. Criminal Justice Coordinator Committee update.
12. Courthouse security committee update.
13. Attendance at meetings.
14. Consideration of agenda items for next meeting.
15. Set date and time of next meeting.
16. Pursuant to Wis. Stat. s. 19.85(1)(g) go into closed session to discuss Reichert litigation.
17. Return to open session.
18. Adjourn.

## MINUTES OF THE JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

DATE: February 6, 2020  
 TIME: 10:30 a.m.  
 PLACE: Room 114, Wood County Courthouse  
 TIME ADJOURNED: 12:17 p.m.  
 MEMBERS PRESENT: Chairman William Clendenning, Bill Leichtnam,  
 Brad Hamilton, Jake Hahn, Kenneth Curry (excused  
 for first part of meeting)  
 OTHERS PRESENT: Peter Kastenholz. See attached list.

1. At 10:30 a.m., Chairman Clendenning called the meeting to order.
2. Public comments. None at this time.
3. The minutes for the January 3, 2020, meeting were reviewed. There being no objections, the minutes were deemed approved by the Chair.
4. The Committee reviewed the claims of Annette Conery, Carla Panosh, and Shelby Weister. These claims will be provided to the county board.
5. There was one new animal claim from South Wood County Humane Society for quarantine costs. Moved by Hamilton, seconded by Leichtnam, to approve payment of \$300 to the South Wood County Humane Society to cover quarantine costs of a dog on 7/8/2019. All ayes.  
 The Corporation Counsel will attempt recovery from the owner of the dog for the funds being taken from the dog license fund to pay the claim.
6. Committee reviewed monthly voucher and department reports of the departments it oversees. Moved by Hamilton, seconded by Leichtnam, to approve the reports and payment of department vouchers. All ayes.
7. The Committee reviewed correspondence and legislative issues. Amy Sue Vruwink reported on what is going on at the federal level.
  - a. Report of Citizens Groundwater Group. Supervisor Leichtnam gave an update.
8. Register of Deeds compensation for next term. Register of Deeds Tiffany Ringer spoke about the proposed increase in compensation. Moved by Hahn, seconded by Hamilton, to support the \$41.23/hr. wage with COLA proposed by the Executive Committee for the Register of Deeds and to submit a resolution to this effect to the county board. 3 ayes, 2 nays. Leichtnam voted no, as he does not see the need to hurry this. Curry voted no, but had no comment.

9. County Board rules.
  - a. Department alignment in committee structure. The Committee Chair presented three options for realigning the departments and which committee they report to. Moved by Leichtnam, seconded by Hahn, to consider those options at a separate meeting. All ayes.  
The meeting will be on February 12, 2020, at 10 a.m.
  - b. County Board organizational meeting. Chairman Clendenning encouraged having a second vice chair of the county board. Moved by Clendenning, seconded by Hamilton, to create a second vice chair position. 4 ayes. Supervisor Hahn voted no, as he sees no purpose for the position.
10. Criminal Justice Coordinator Committee update. The minutes are attached. The subcommittee met with Dunn County and will be going to Marathon County next to check out its operations.
11. Courthouse security committee update. The minutes will be placed in the county board packet. The next meeting will be over the summer.
12. Attendance at meetings. Chairman Clendenning gave an update on the recent WCA legislative update meeting. Supervisor Leichtnam and the Child Support Director shared their thoughts as well.  
Moved by Hamilton, seconded by Hahn, to authorize committee members to attend jail study meetings. All ayes.  
Moved by Hamilton, seconded by Hahn, to authorize committee members to attend the Centergy Central Wisconsin Days. All ayes.
13. Agenda items for the March 2020, meeting: Nothing specific identified. The Chair encouraged committee members to contact him with topics.
14. The next regular committee meeting will be March 6, 2020, at 9:30 a.m.
15. Meeting adjourned without objection by the Chairperson at 12:17 p.m.

Minutes taken by Peter Kastenholz.

## Judicial & Legislative Committee Meeting

Wc Court House Date: Feb 6, 2020 Room 114

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## MINUTES OF THE JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

DATE: February 12, 2020  
TIME: 10:00 A.M.  
PLACE: Room 115, Wood County Courthouse  
TIME ADJOURNED: 11:02 A.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Chairman William Clendenning, Bill Leichtnam, Brad Hamilton, Jake Hahn, and Kenneth Curry

OTHERS PRESENT: See attached list

1. The meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m. by Chairman Clendenning
2. There were no public comments
3. The committee discussed Department alignment in committee structure and the four options that were presented at the meeting. The committee listened to feedback from department heads that were present. **A motion was made by Hahn and seconded by Leichtnam to exclude the Communications Department from any further organizational restructure discussions. All voted aye, motion carried.**

Discussion ensued and Wood County Board Restructure Option # 1 was refined to rename the proposed 7<sup>th</sup> committee as the Property and Technology Committee and to remove the communications department from the realignment structure. **A motion was made by Hamilton and seconded by Leichtnam to approve the Wood County Board Restructure Option # 1 with the proposed changes. Curry made an amendment to the motion, seconded by Hamilton, to move the Parks and Forestry Department to the Property and Technology Committee. Voting aye were Curry, Hamilton and Clendenning. Voting nay were Hahn and Leichtnam. Motion carried. Committee members then voted on original motion to approve the Wood County Board Restructure Option # 1 with the proposed changes. Curry, Hamilton, Leichtnam and Clendenning voted aye. Voting nay was Hahn. (Believes the Park and Forestry Department should remain under the Highway Committee and the committee structure should remain as 6 committees) Motion carried.**

4. The next meeting will be scheduled at 9:15 a.m. on 02/18/2020 prior to the monthly County Board meeting.
5. The meeting was adjourned at 11:02 a.m. by Chairman Clendenning

Minutes taken by Shannon Lobner, Wood County Child Support Agency, and are in draft format until approved by the committee at the next meeting.

# J+L Meeting 2/12/00 - Attendees

DENNIS POLACH

WCB-14

Jon Heideman

we dispatch

REUBEN VANTASSEL

MAINT.

Eel Newton

Finance

AMY KAMP

IT

Peter Kastenholz

Corp Counsel @ 10:30 A.M.

Shannon Lobner

Child Support

## MINUTES OF THE JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

DATE: February 18, 2020  
TIME: 9:15 a.m.  
PLACE: Room 317A, Wood County Courthouse  
TIME ADJOURNED: 9:18 a.m.  
MEMBERS PRESENT: Chairman William Clendenning, Bill Leichtnam,  
Kenneth Curry, Brad Hamilton, Jake Hahn  
OTHERS PRESENT: See attached list.

1. At 9:15 a.m., Chairman Clendenning called the meeting to order.
2. Public comments. None.
3. Resolution to realign committee structure was reviewed. Moved by Hamilton, seconded by Curry, to approve the resolution to realign committee structure with attachment Option 1. 4 ayes, Supervisor Hahn voted no.
4. Meeting adjourned without objection by the Chairperson at 9:18 a.m.

Minutes taken by Peter Kastenholz.

2-18-20 Judicial : Legislative Comm. Mtg.

Peter Raskenholz

Corp. Counsel

Jason Demerco

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Amy Kauf

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Eric Kueferman

Health

Ed Newton

Finance

REUBEN VANTASEL

MAINT.



IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

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GABRIEL JOHNSRUD, a minor  
ESTATE OF LOGAN JOHNSRUD,  
ERIK JOHNSRUD

Plaintiffs,

v.

Civil Action No.: 20-cv-108

[Trial by Jury Demanded]

NORTH CENTRAL STATES REGIONAL  
COUNCIL OF CARPENTERS HEALTH FUND

Involuntary Plaintiff,

v.

WOOD COUNTY,  
DEPUTY NATHAN DEAN,  
Defendants.

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COMPLAINT

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NOW COME THE PLAINTIFFS, Gabriel Johnsrud, and The Estate of Logan Johnsrud, and Erik Johnsrud, through their attorneys, Gingras, Thomsen, and Wachs LLP, by Mark L. Thomsen and Scott B. Thompson, and Robin Shellow of THE SHELLLOW GROUP, and offer the following as their complaint in this matter:

NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS

1. Plaintiffs bring this case via 42 U.S.C. § 1983, under the Fourth and Fourteenth Amendments of the United States Constitution, which Plaintiffs allege were violated by Defendant Deputy Nathan Dean when he shot both Logan Johnsrud and Erik Johnsrud, killing the former.

### JURISDICTION AND VENUE

2. The Court has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to 28 U.S.C. sec. 1331 and 28 U.S.C. § 1343(a)(3). because all claims arise under federal law.

3. Venue is proper under 28 U.S.C. sec. 1391 in that all of the acts alleged to have been committed by the Defendants occurred within the Western District of Wisconsin.

### PARTIES

4. Plaintiff Gabriel Johnsrud is the minor child of Logan Johnsrud.

5. Plaintiff Estate of Logan Johnsrud is a legal entity with the capacity to sue and be sued in this Court.

6. Plaintiff Erik Johnsrud is an adult resident of the State Wisconsin.

7. Involuntary Plaintiff North Central Sates Regional Council of Carpenters Health Fund ("NCSRCCHF") is a health and welfare entity made party to this suit by way of benefits allegedly made by it on behalf of Erik Johnsrud as a result of the incident which forms the subject matter of this complaint. Involuntary Plaintiff NCSRCCHF's allegedly had in full force and effect a potential subrogation interest for having paid bills Erik Johnsrud incurred due to Defendants' conduct which is the subject of this complaint.

8. Defendant Wood County, with offices of its executive at 400 Market Street, Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494, is and was at all times material hereto, a Municipal Corporation organized under the laws of the State of Wisconsin. Pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 895.46, Wood County is obligated to indemnify all Defendants in this action.

9. Defendant Deputy Nathan Dean ("Defendant Deputy Dean") is an adult resident of the State of Wisconsin. At all times relevant to this action, Defendant Deputy Dean was employed as a deputy officer by the Defendant Wood County Sheriff's department.

### FACTS

10. Defendant Deputy Dean shot and killed Logan Johnsrud ("Logan") on June 11, 2019 while Logan was suffering from a mental health episode.

11. Defendant Deputy Dean also shot and severely wounded Plaintiff Erik Johnsrud (Erik), Logan's brother, while Erik was trying to help his brother negotiate a mental health episode.

12. Before he was killed, Logan was a father, brother, and son, from Wood County Wisconsin.

13. Logan's son, Plaintiff Gabriel Johnsrud, was only nine months old on the day Logan was shot and killed.

14. Early in the day, on June 11, 2019, Logan was seen by Wood County authorities walking, shoeless, along the highway.

15. Logan was stopped, but never detained. He told authorities he was simply going on a walk.

16. Later that day, Logan arrived at his brother Erik's house.

17. Erik's interaction with Logan left Erik highly concerned about Logan's mental well-being.

18. During a conversation, Logan asked Erik for rope and asked Erik to give him a goodbye hug.

19. Logan had a known history with substance abuse and mental health challenges.

20. Combined with Logan's history, Logan's comments about a rope and a hug led Erik to believe that Logan was having a mental health crisis, and could be suicidal.

21. Helping his brother, Erik called 911.

22. Shortly after his call, Defendant Deputy Nathan Dean, of the Wood County Sheriff's department, arrived at Erik's house.

23. After parking his cruiser, Defendant Deputy Dean exited the vehicle and walked towards Logan and Erik, who were situated in Erik's backyard.

24. Defendant Deputy Dean's body camera was activated as he arrived.

25. Logan and Erik were calm, and situated around a table in Erik's backyard.

26. Logan and Erik were standing and sitting, respectively, as Defendant Deputy Nathan Dean first approached them:



27. After introducing himself, and asking how the Johnsrud brothers were doing, Defendant Deputy Dean indicated that he was responding because Logan made concerning, potentially suicidal, statements to Erik.

28. Less than two minutes after Defendant Deputy Dean first arrived, Wood County Deputy Cory Leigh arrived at the Johnsrud residence.

29. Both Deputies, Dean and Leigh, were familiar with Logan, having interacted with him in instances over the previous years.

30. On information and belief, both Deputies, Dean and Leigh, were wearing bullet proof vests at the time.

31. Deputy Leigh's body camera was activated when he arrived.

32. For around ten minutes, the four individuals—Defendant Deputy Dean, Deputy Leigh, Erik and Logan—spoke about Logan, and how he was doing.

33. Throughout the conversation, it was clear that Logan was in the middle of a mental health crisis.

34. Defendant Deputy Dean walked to his squad car and called the Wood County Human Services' Crisis Intervention line in Wisconsin Rapids.

35. Defendant Deputy Dean relayed to Crisis Intervention that Logan Johnsrud "showed up...at his brother's house... I think it was due to an incident we had with Logan earlier today. He was found walking along ... state highway 186 with just shorts on no shoes no socks no shirt, covered in mud, with a cut to his stomach. He wanted no help, and so that's where they left him, and then we got called here tonight by his brother...[who] stated that Logan is feeling suicidal."

36. During the call with Crisis Intervention, Defendant Deputy Dean indicated that he believed Erik was truthful when Erik told the Defendant Deputies that Logan had made suicidal comments.

37. During the call with Crisis Intervention, Defendant Deputy Dean stated that he agreed with Erik's conclusion that Logan "definitely needs some help."

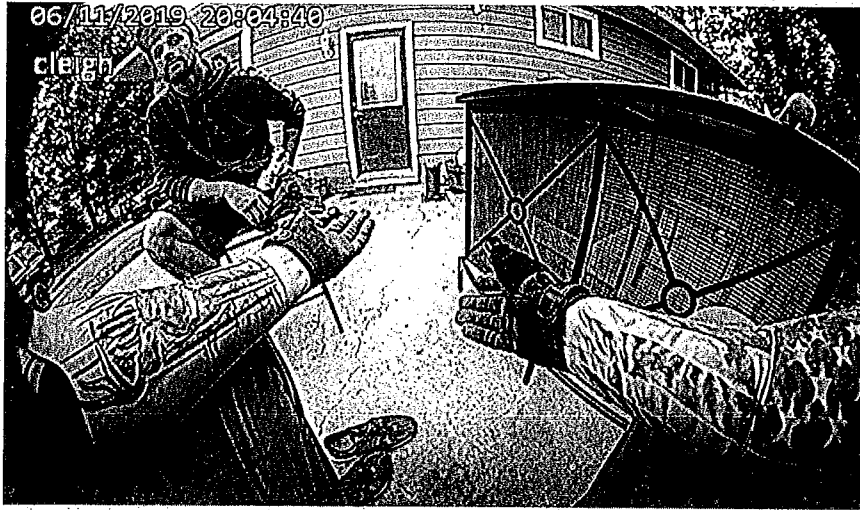
38. While Defendant Deputy Dean was on the phone with Crisis Intervention, Deputy Leigh spoke one-on-one with Logan, without aggravating Logan.

39. During their conversation, Deputy Leigh discussed various things, seemingly at random, including work, moving to Alaska, and the hourly rate of pay for workers at a cranberry company.

40. At no point did Logan ever even appear to be a threat to anyone's well-being, save for his own.

41. Eventually Deputy Leigh told Logan, "If there is anything we can do to help you, that's what we are here for."

42. Deputy Leigh continued, and said to Logan while gesturing towards him, "You're not in any trouble. For real."



43. Logan calmly offered Deputy Leigh a handshake and attempted to simply go on his way.

44. Deputy Leigh took Logan's hand, and shook it amicably.





45. Moments later Deputy Leigh told Logan, "You cant just walk off."

46. Logan responded, "Why can't I?"

47. Deputy Leigh responded, "We've gotta figure out what's going on, okay?

I don't want to be a dick or anything about it, but you can't leave. Alright?"

48. Logan listened to Deputy Leigh and stayed at the house.

49. Defendant Deputy Dean finished his conversation with Crisis Intervention and returned to the backyard by Deputy Leigh and Logan.

50. At this point, there was no indication from anyone that Erik was committing a crime or that he was a threat to others.

51. At this point, there was no indication from anyone that Logan was committing a crime or that he was a threat to others.

52. Up until that moment, the only issue was Logan's threat to himself.

53. Up until that moment Logan made no threatening movements, and was not angry, or aggressive.



54. As Defendant Deputy Dean walked toward Logan and Deputy Leigh, Logan went into his brother Erik's house through the backdoor.

55. Deputy Leigh attempted to follow Logan into Erik's house, but was unable to open the rear door.

56. Immediately, Defendant Deputy Dean began to go around the house toward the front door.

57. While Defendant Deputy Dean left the backyard, Deputy Leigh broke down the backdoor to gain entry into the house, ripping off part of the door frame as he did so.



58. As Deputy Leigh went inside, he came upon Erik attempting to prevent Logan from engaging in self-harm.

59. Specifically, Erik was trying to take a knife out of Logan's hand.

60. Deputy Leigh grabbed onto both Logan and Erik.

61. Logan never made any verbal threats or pointed the knife at anyone.

62. Defendant Deputy Dean returned through the broken rear door, and then entered the house.

63. As Defendant Deputy Dean walked in, Erik was still attempting to wrestle the knife away from Logan, who was trying to harm himself.

64. When Defendant Deputy Dean's first saw Logan and Erik inside of the house, Logan was using his torso and left arm to prevent Erik from grabbing the knife out of his (Logan's) right arm.



65. Logan continued to use his body and arm to prevent Erik from commandeering the knife.

66. At no time did Logan attempt or appear to attempt, to use or attempt to use the knife against either Erik or any of the deputies.

67. Logan never pointed the knife at anyone, and never indicated any sort of intention to cause bodily harm to anyone other than himself.

68. Logan never created a threat of imminent harm to anyone other than himself.

69. Logan held the knife far to the right side of his body, far away from his brother and the officers.

70. While the knife was far from the Johnsrud brothers and from the deputies, Defendant Deputy Dean unholstered his firearm, pointed it at both Erik and Logan, and shouted "drop it dude, drop it!"



71. As he made this command, Defendant Deputy Dean was over ten feet away from Logan, who was being held by Erik, and well beyond Logan's reach.

72. Similarly, Deputy Leigh who was inside the house and out of arms reach from Logan, was separated from Logan by Erik's body.

73. At the moment when Defendant Deputy Dean shouted "drop it dude, drop it," Deputy Leigh was not even looking at Erik or Logan or Deputy Dean.

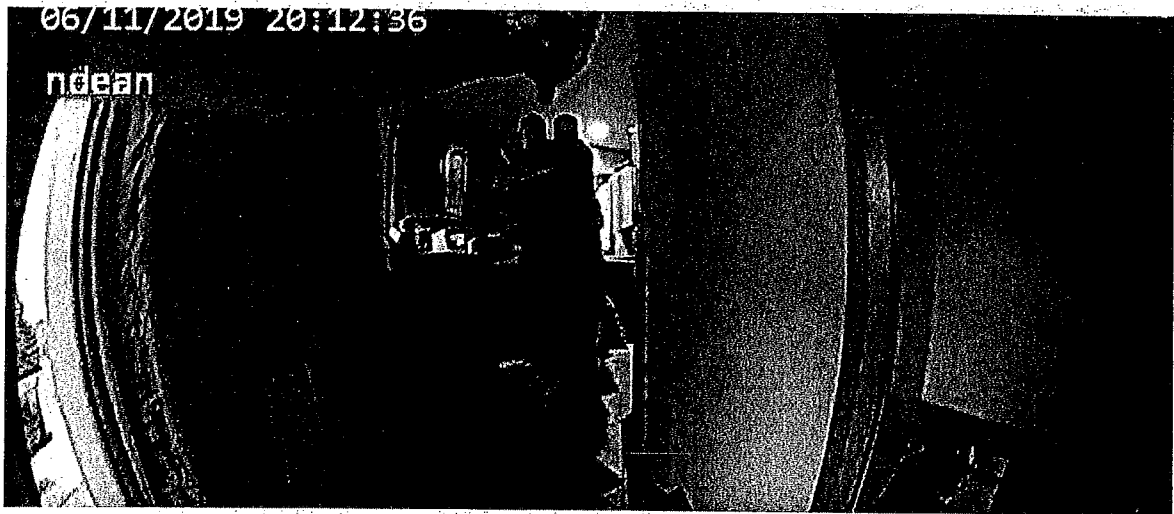
74. At the moment when Defendant Deputy Dean shouted "drop it dude, drop it," Logan had made no indication whatsoever that he would ever harm anyone besides himself, and was physically immobilized from causing harm to anyone because Erik was holding his arm securely.

75. At the moment when Defendant Deputy Dean shouted "drop it dude, drop it," Logan was not a threat to the physical well being of anyone other than himself.

76. After Defendant Deputy Dean made the command to "drop it," Logan's knife-wielding arm began to slack, and Erik managed to place both of his arms around his brother, in a bear hug.

77. Defendant Deputy Dean gave Logan no opportunity to *actually* drop the weapon while he was wrapped in his brother's arms.

78. At the moment Erik managed to secure both of his arms around his brother Logan, Defendant Deputy Dean unlawfully and indiscriminately discharged his firearm into the house.



79. Only approximately five seconds elapsed between the moment Defendant Deputy Dean entered the house and the moment he pulled the trigger.

80. Yet, in that moment, Defendant Deputy Dean shot Logan, Erik, *and* Deputy Leigh.

81. The shots killed Logan Johnsrud.

82. The shot struck Erik Johnsrud in his arm, severely wounding him, and causing substantial personal injuries.

**FIRST CLAIM FOR RELIEF AGAINST DEFENDANT DEPUTY DEAN ON BEHALF  
OF THE PLAINTIFF ESTATE OF LOGAN JOHNSRUD - EXCESSIVE FORCE**

83. Plaintiffs reallege and incorporate by reference, all preceding allegations.

84. At all relevant times, Defendant Deputy Dean was a "person" for purposes of 42 U.S.C. § 1983 and acted under color of state law to deprive Logan Johnsrud of his constitutional rights.

85. At all times material hereto, Defendant Deputy Dean used unnecessary, excessive and deadly force, including but not limited to, shooting Logan Johnsrud, who was only in need of psychological or medical care.

86. The described conduct of Defendant Deputy Dean, as set forth above, was a cause of the plaintiffs' severe injuries, death, losses and damages as set forth herein.

87. The Defendant, Wood County, is liable pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 895.46, for payment of any judgment entered against the individual employee defendant in this action because said defendant was acting within the scope of his employment when he committed the acts described above.

**SECOND CLAIM FOR RELIEF AGAINST DEFENDANT DEPUTY DEAN ON  
BEHALF OF PLAINTIFF ERIK JOHNSRUD - EXCESSIVE FORCE**

88. Plaintiffs reallege and incorporate by reference, all preceding allegations.

89. At all relevant times, Defendant Deputy Dean was a "person" for purposes of 42 U.S.C. § 1983 and acted under color of state law to deprive Erik Johnsrud of his constitutional rights.

90. At all times material hereto, Defendant Deputy Dean used unnecessary, excessive, including but not limited to, shooting Erik Johnsrud, who was only trying to help his brother.

91. The described conduct of Defendant Deputy Dean, as set forth above, was a cause of the plaintiffs' severe injuries, death, losses and damages as set forth herein.

92. The Defendant, Wood County, is liable pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 895.46, for payment of any judgment entered against the individual employee defendant in this action because said defendant was acting within the scope of his employment when the committed the acts described above.

**THIRD CLAIM FOR RELIEF AGAINST DEFENDANT DEPUTY DEAN ON  
BEHALF OF PLAINTIFF GABRIEL JOHNSRUD - LOSS OF SOCIETY**

93. Plaintiffs reallege and incorporate by reference, all preceding allegations.

94. At all relevant times, Defendant Deputy Dean was a "person" for purposes of 42 U.S.C. § 1983 and acted under color of state law to kill Logan Johnsrud, the father of Gabriel Johnsrud.

95. At all times material hereto, Defendant Deputy Dean used unnecessary, excessive and deadly force, including but not limited to, shooting Logan Johnsrud, who was only in need of psychological or medical care.

96. That such conduct was a cause of the complete loss of society that Gabriel had with his father, Logan.

97. The Defendant, Wood County, is liable pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 895.46, for payment of any judgment entered against the individual employee defendant in this action because said defendant was acting within the scope of his employment when he committed the acts described above.

**FOURTH CLAIM FOR RELIEF AGAINST DEFENDANT DEPUTY DEAN ON  
BEHALF OF ALL PLAINTIFFS**

98. Plaintiffs reallege and incorporate by reference, all preceding allegations.

99. The above-described conduct of all Defendant Deputy Dean was, malicious, and/or undertaken with reckless disregard for the rights of the Plaintiffs.

100. That such conduct was a cause of the severe personal injuries and death suffered by Plaintiffs.

101. At all times material hereto, Defendant Deputy Dean acted maliciously and/or with reckless disregard and/or with deliberate indifference towards Logan and/or Erik Johnsrud, or in an intentional disregard for their rights, so as to subject the individual Defendant to punitive damages.

102. The Defendant, Wood County, is liable pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 895.46, for payment of any judgment entered against the individual employee defendant in this action because said defendant was acting within the scope of his employment when he committed the acts described above.

WHEREFORE, the Plaintiffs demand judgment against the Defendants, jointly and severally, as follows:

- a. Against Defendant Deputy Dean, in his individual capacity, for compensatory damages, for the severe injuries and wrongful death of Logan Johnsrud, as set forth above, and for the violation of Erik Johnsrud's rights, and for Gabriel Johnsrud's loss of society to his father, as set for above, in an amount to be determined at trial of this matter;
- b. Against Defendant Deputy Dean for punitive damages for the severe injuries and wrongful death of Logan Johnsrud, as set forth above, and for the violation of Erik Johnsrud's rights, and for Gabriel Johnsrud's loss of society as set for above in an amount to be determined at trial of this matter.
- c. Against Defendant Wood County for its liability pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 895.46 to indemnify the Defendant Deputy Dean in an amount to be determined at a trial of this matter;
- d. Against Involuntary Plaintiff NCSRCCHF, finding it has no rights to the proceeds of any award or judgment in this matter.
- e. For all costs, disbursements and actual attorneys' fees pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1988, and for such other relief as the Court deems just and equitable.



**PLAINTIFFS HEREBY DEMAND A JURY TRIAL OF THIS MATTER ON ALL  
ISSUES SO TRIABLE.**

Respectfully Submitted:

February 6 , 2020

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NOTICE OF INJURY AND CLAIM

RECEIVED

To: Wood County Clerk  
400 Market Street  
Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494

FEB 24 2020

CC: Corp Counsel

Pursuant to sec. 893.80, Wis. Stats., you are hereby notified of this claim for damage against Wood County.

THE INCIDENT

Date: <sup>13-14</sup> February ~~11th~~, 2020

Time: Night or early morning

Place: 1092 Cty Rd DD Rudolph

RECEIVED

FEB 24 2020

WOOD CO. CORP. COUNSEL

The circumstances giving rise to my claim are as follows:

County snow plow damaged mailbox,  
broke off app. 1/4 - 1/3 of the box

The names of county personnel involved are: Don't know, Brandon

<sup>2-17-20</sup> followed up with inspection & approved repair

The names of other witnesses are:

?

THE CLAIM

I request the following monetary or other relief: Reimburse for cost of replacement mailbox

Receipt is enclosed! \$33.74

Date: 2-21-2020

Signature: Roman Mezyk

Print Name: Roman Mezyk

Address: 1092 County Road DD  
Rudolph 54475

Phone: 715 3409412

Roman Mezyk

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cc: Corp Counsel  
HR  
Hwy

NOTICE OF INJURY AND CLAIM

To: Wood County Clerk  
400 Market Street  
Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494

Pursuant to sec. 893.80, Wis. Stats., you are hereby notified of this claim for damage against Wood County.

THE INCIDENT

RECEIVED

FEB 14 2020

WOOD CO. CORP. COUNSEL

Date: Feb 9 2020

Time: Early afternoon / late evening

Place: At home

The circumstances giving rise to my claim are as follows:

Snow Plow Truck ~~that~~ went by our house  
threw out the day and took over mail box

The names of county personnel involved are: \_\_\_\_\_

The names of other witnesses are: \_\_\_\_\_

THE CLAIM

I request the following monetary or other relief: \_\_\_\_\_

2/16/20  
Date

Signature: David Obermeier  
Print Name: David Obermeier  
Address: 3214 Hwy 73 North  
Wisconsin Rapids WI  
54495  
Phone: 715-421-0412

NOTICE OF INJURY AND CLAIM

To: Wood County Clerk  
400 Market Street  
Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494

Pursuant to sec. 893.80, Wis. Stats., you are hereby notified of this claim for damage against Wood County.

RECEIVED

FEB 20 2020

CC: Corp Counsel

HR  
Hwy

THE INCIDENT

Date: 2-13-2020

Time: between 8 + 9 Am

Place: 10719 US Hwy 10 West  
Marshfield WI 54449

The circumstances giving rise to my claim are as follows:

snow plow hit the mailbox and  
knocked it off the post

The names of county personnel involved are: snow plow driver  
called + let Nancy know

The names of other witnesses are:

THE CLAIM

I request the following monetary or other relief: new mailbox + letters \$32.17  
+ installation \$25.00  
\$57.17

2-17-2020  
Date

Signature

Print Name:

Address:

Theresa Pantarek  
10719 US Hwy 10 West  
Marshfield, WI 54449

Phone:

715-676-3327 X2

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return is done after 05/17/20

If you have questions regarding the  
charges on your receipt, please  
email us at:  
MFLDfrontend@menards.com



Sale Transaction

POST MOUNT JUMBO STEEL	
2156936	25.99
3.5" BLK ON GOLD ALUM #9	
2155652 2 @0.45	0.90
3.5" BLK ON GOLD ALUM #1	
2155571 4 @0.45	1.80
3.5" BLK ON GOLD ALUM #7	
2155636 2 @0.45	0.90
3.5" BLK ON GOLD ALUM #0	
2155568 2 @0.45	0.90
SPLASH -35 ULTIMATE PURP*	NR
2612800 2 PKGs @10.02/PKG	20.04

TOTAL	50.53
TAX MARATHON-WI 5.5%	2.78
TOTAL SALE	53.31
Menard Card 8937	53.31
065854	
Swiped	

TOTAL SAVINGS 15.36

TOTAL NUMBER OF ITEMS = 13

GUEST COPY

The Cardholder acknowledges receipt of  
goods/services in the total amount shown  
hereon and agrees to pay the card issuer  
according to its current terms.

# INVOICE

## Pankratz Trucking, LLC

10719 Hwy 10 West

Marshfield, WI 54449

(715) 676-3327

Date:

2-17-2020

Sold To:

Wood Co Clerk

400 Market St

Wis Rapids WI 54499

Qty	Units	Description	Price / Unit	Total
		install new mail box		25-
			Subtotal	25.00
			Sales Tax	—
			Total Due	25.00

RECEIVED

FEB 10 2020 *TM*

cc: Corp Council

*HR*

*Hoy*

NOTICE OF INJURY AND CLAIM

To: Wood County Clerk  
400 Market Street  
Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494

Pursuant to sec. 893.80, Wis. Stats., you are hereby notified of this claim for damage against Wood County.

THE INCIDENT

Date: 1-14-2020

Time: 8:57 Am

Place: STH 34 / County Line Rd Rudolph

The circumstances giving rise to my claim are as follows:

Driving South on STH 34 snow plow pulled out in front  
of oncoming traffic and proceeded to stop in lane on STH 34.  
my vehicle stopped as did the vehicle behind. snow plow  
driver then put in reverse to backup. Blew my car ~~horn~~  
horn, snow plow stopped. Then proceeded to backup  
hitting my car.

The names of county personnel involved are: Dakota Lee Blakeslee - snow  
Plow driver

The names of other witnesses are: other vehicle left the scene

THE CLAIM

I request the following monetary or other relief: Costs of repair of my  
vehicle. Estimate \$1433.91 (copy enclosed)

2-5-2020  
Date

*Geri Pierson*  
Signature

Print Name: Geri Pierson

Address: 436 West ST  
Milladore WI 54454

Phone: 715-383-2274



WESTSIDE AUTO BODY  
10497 CO. HWY K  
AUBURNDALE, WI. 54412  
OFFICE PHONE: 715-652-3035 FAX: 715-652-3035  
PROFESSIONAL COLLISION REPAIRS

\*\*\* PRELIMINARY ESTIMATE \*\*\*

02/05/2020 10:16 AM

Owner

Owner: GERI PIERSON  
Address: 436 WEST STREET  
City State Zip: Milladore, WI 54454

Work/Day: (715)310-3071  
FAX:

Inspection

Inspection Date: 02/05/2020 10:18 AM  
Primary Impact: Front

Inspection Type:  
Secondary Impact:

Repairer

Repairer: WESTSIDE AUTO BODY  
Address: 10497 COUNTY HWY K  
City State Zip: AUBURNDALE, WI 54412  
Email: westsideautobody@tds.net  
License # :

Contact: THOMAS J SEIDL  
Work/Day: (715)652-3035  
Cell: (715)305-0264  
FAX: (715)652-3035

Regulation ID: 39-1796571

Target Complete Date/Time:

Days To Repair: 3

Vehicle

OEM Part Price Quote ID: \*\*\*\*

2011 Ford Fusion SE 4 DR Sedan  
4cyl Gasoline 2.5  
6-Speed Automatic

Lic Expire:  
Prod Date:  
Veh Insp# :  
Condition:  
Ext. Color: GRAY MET  
Ext. Refinish: Two-Stage  
Ext. Paint Code: UJ

VIN: 1FAHP0HA2BR310283  
Mileage: 96,619  
Mileage Type: Actual  
Code: P3453C  
Int. Color:  
Int. Refinish: Two-Stage  
Int. Trim Code:

Options

2nd Row Head Airbags  
Alarm System  
Auxiliary Audio Input  
Chrome Grille  
Driver Information Sys  
Fog Lights  
Illuminated Visor Mirror  
Lighted Entry System  
Power Brakes  
Power Mirrors

AM/FM CD Player  
Anti-Lock Brakes  
Bucket Seats  
Compact Spare Tire  
Dual Airbags  
Halogen Headlights  
Intermittent Wipers  
MP3 Decoder  
Power Door Locks  
Power Steering

Air Conditioning  
Auto Headlamp Control  
Center Console  
Cruise Control  
Floor Mats  
Head Airbags  
Keyless Entry System  
Overhead Console  
Power Drivers Seat  
Power Windows

Pwr Accessory Outlet(s)	Rear Window Defroster	Rem Trunk-L/Gate Release
Side Airbags	Sirius Satellite Radio	Split Folding Rear Seat
Stability Cntrl Suspensn	Steel Wheels	Strg Wheel Radio Control
Tachometer	Theft Deterrent System	Tilt & Telescopic Steer
Tinted Glass	Tire Pressure Monitor	Traction Control System
Trip Computer	Velour/Cloth Seats	

### Damages

Line	Op	Guide	MC	Description	MFR.Part No.	Price	ADJ%	B%	Hours	R
<b>Front Bumper</b>										
1	EP	20		Cover,Front Bumper	Replace PXN	\$342.00			1.8	SM
2	L	20	13	Cover,Front Bumper	Refinish				3.8	RF
					2.7 Surface					
					0.6 Two-stage setup					
					0.5 Two-stage					
3	E	98		Reinf,Frt Bmpr Cover LT	AE5Z17C947D	\$10.68			0.2	SM
4	E	99		Reinf,Frt Bmpr Cover RT	AE5Z17C947C	\$10.73			0.2	SM
5	EP	120		Grille,Frt Bumper Lwr	Replace PXN	\$66.00			INC	SM
6	EP	121		Mldg,Frt Bmpr Cvr Lwr	Replace PXN	\$97.00			INC	SM
7	E	10		Panel,Frt Bmpr License	AE5Z17A385AA	\$24.59			0.2	SM
8	E	17		Absorber,Front Bumper	AE5Z17C882A	\$96.15			1.4	SM

### Front End Panel And Lamps

9	EP	64		Grille,Lower	Replace PXN	\$88.00			0.1	SM
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### Manual Entries

10	EC			FLEX ADDITIVE	Replace Economy	\$7.00*				RF
11	SB			HAZARDOUS WASTE DISPOSAL	Sublet Repair	\$3.00*				SM
11	Items									

### MC Message

13	INCLUDES 0.6 HOURS FIRST PANEL TWO-STAGE ALLOWANCE
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### Estimate Total & Entries

Gross Parts	\$142.15	
Other Parts	\$600.00	
Paint & Materials	3.8 Hours @ \$40.00	\$152.00
Parts & Material Total		\$894.15
Tax on Parts & Material	@ 5.500%	\$49.18

Labor	Rate	Replace Hrs	Repair Hrs	Total Hrs	
Sheet Metal (SM)	\$60.00	3.9		3.9	\$234.00
Mech/Elec (ME)	\$74.00				
Frame (FR)	\$64.00				
Refinish (RF)	\$60.00	3.8		3.8	\$228.00

Labor Total	7.7 Hours	\$462.00
Tax on Labor	@ 5.500%	\$25.41
Sublet Repairs		\$3.00
Tax on Sublet	@ 5.500%	\$0.17
Gross Total		\$1,433.91
Net Total		\$1,433.91

Alternate Parts Y/04/04/00/00/00 CUM 04/04/00/00/00 Zip Code: 54412 Default  
OEM Part Prices DT 02/05/2020 10:18 AM EstimateID 654356209310113792 QuoteID \*\*\*\*  
Rate Name Default

Audatex Estimating 8.0.643 Update 6 ES 02/05/2020 10:43 AM REL 8.0.643 Update 6 DT 01/01/2020  
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1.1 HRS WERE ADDED TO THIS ESTIMATE BASED ON AUDATEX'S TWO-STAGE REFINISH FORMULA.

THIS ESTIMATE HAS BEEN PREPARED BASED ON THE USE OF ONE OR MORE REPLACEMENT PARTS SUPPLIED BY A SOURCE OTHER THAN THE MANUFACTURER OF YOUR MOTOR VEHICLE. WARRANTIES APPLICABLE TO THESE REPLACEMENT PARTS ARE PROVIDED BY THE MANUFACTURER OR DISTRIBUTOR OF THE REPLACEMENT PARTS RATHER THAN BY THE MANUFACTURER OF YOUR MOTOR VEHICLE.

#### Op Codes

* = User-Entered Value	^ = Labor Matches System Assigned Rates	E = Replace OEM
NG = Replace NAGS	EC = Replace Economy	OE = Replace PXN OE Srpls
UE = Replace OE Surplus	ET = Partial Replace Labor	EP = Replace PXN
EU = Replace Recycled	TE = Partial Replace Price	PM = Replace PXN Reman/Rebld
UM = Replace Reman/Rebuilt	L = Refinish	PC = Replace PXN Reconditioned
UC = Replace Reconditioned	TT = Two-Tone	SB = Sublet Repair
N = Additional Labor	BR = Blend Refinish	I = Repair
IT = Partial Repair	CG = Chipguard	RI = R & I Assembly
P = Check	AA = Appearance Allowance	RP = Related Prior Damage



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## NOTICE OF INJURY

**TO:** County of Wood, Wisconsin  
c/o Trent Miner  
County Clerk  
Wood County Courthouse  
400 Market Street  
Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin 54494

Wood County Highway Department  
c/o Roland Hawk  
Highway Commissioner  
555 17th Avenue North  
Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin 54495

State of Wisconsin Department of Transportation  
c/o Craig Thompson  
Secretary-Designee  
4822 Madison Yards Way  
Madison, Wisconsin 53705

Matthew P. Bishop  
1021 Two Mile Avenue,  
Wisconsin Rapids, 54494

John Doe  
Address Unknown

**RE:** Edward Singstock  
7850 Pine Haven Court  
Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin 54494

Date of Accident: October 9, 2019  
Location: State Highway 173, at or near Kimball Avenue  
Port Edwards, Wisconsin 54469

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE**, pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 893.80, that on October 9, 2019, at or about 10:25 A.M., Edward Singstock, who resided at the above address, was the operator of a motor vehicle traveling westbound on State Highway 173, at or near the intersection with Kimball Avenue, in the Village of Port Edwards, County of Wood, Wisconsin; that at the same time and place, Matthew P. Bishop, a Wood County Highway Department employee, and/or John Doe,


while in the course and scope of their employment with the Wood County Highway Department, the County of Wood, Wisconsin, and/or the State of Wisconsin Transportation Department, were the operators of a street sweeping vehicle and/or shoulder repair operation, traveling eastbound on State Highway 173, when they negligently operated their street sweeping vehicle and/or negligently conducted shoulder repair operation, and caused a collision between Edward Singstock and Jason P. Dahms, causing Edward Singstock to sustain injuries and damages resulting in his death.

As a result of this accident, Edward Singstock sustained injuries, damages and death. A claim for damages under Wis. Stat. § 893.80(1d)(b) will be made at a later date.

Liability for Edward Singstock's injuries and damages is attributed to the County of Wood, Wisconsin, and the Wood County Highway Department, and/or the State of Wisconsin Department of Transportation, pursuant to the theory of *Respondeat Superior*, in that they are liable for the acts of their aforementioned employees, servants, agents, and/or volunteers acting within the course and scope of their duties, in this case, Matthew P. Bishop and/or John Doe, who operated the street sweeping vehicle and/or conducted shoulder repair operation, while in the course and scope of employment.

DATED at Wausau, Wisconsin, this 29 day of January, 2020.

HUPY AND ABRAHAM, S.C.  
Attorneys for the Plaintiff,

By:   
Douglas R. Ross  
State Bar Number: 1041072

Post Office Address:  
505 South 24th Avenue  
Suite 300  
Wausau, Wisconsin 54401  
(715) 298-4400

## Committee Report

County of Wood

Report of claims for: BRANCH 1 / PROBATE

For the period of: FEBRUARY 2020

For the range of vouchers: 03190070 - 03190070 03200017 - 03200017

Voucher	Vendor Name	Nature of Claim	Doc Date	Amount	Paid
03190070	STAPLES ADVANTAGE	OFFICE SUPPLIES	12/05/2019	\$14.52	P
03200017	SWITS LTD	INTERPRETER FEES	02/07/2020	\$76.00	
Grand Total:				\$90.52	

### Signatures

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## Committee Report

County of Wood

Report of claims for: BRANCH 2

For the period of: FEBRUARY 2020

For the range of vouchers: 04200002 - 04200003

Voucher	Vendor Name	Nature of Claim	Doc Date	Amount	Paid
04200002	SWITS LTD	INTERPRETER FEES 11CF432	02/07/2020	\$51.00	
04200003	PETERSON MICHELLE L	TRANSCRIPT FEE 19CF486	02/10/2020	\$52.00	
Grand Total:				\$103.00	

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## Committee Report

County of Wood

Report of claims for: BRANCH 3 / DRUG COURT

For the period of: FEBRUARY 2020

For the range of vouchers: 05200008 - 05200013

Voucher	Vendor Name	Nature of Claim	Doc Date	Amount	Paid
05200008	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	PAPER SHREDDER	02/05/2020	\$178.78	P
05200009	ATTIC CORRECTIONAL SERVICES INC	DRUG COURT STAFF & REVENUE	02/04/2020	\$6,884.20	P
05200010	ATTIC CORRECTIONAL SERVICES INC	DRUG COURT STAFF ENHANCED	02/04/2020	\$1,833.33	P
05200011	CORDANT HEALTH SOLUTIONS	DRUG TESTING	01/31/2020	\$2,504.15	P
05200012	SWITS LTD	INTERPRETER FEES 18GN109	02/07/2020	\$51.00	
05200013	WEBER LISA M	TRANSCRIPT FEES 17CF31,18CF146	02/17/2020	\$13.50	
Grand Total:				\$11,464.96	

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## Committee Report

County of Wood

Report of claims for: CHILD SUPPORT

For the period of: 02/2020

For the range of vouchers: 02200006 - 02200018

Voucher	Vendor Name	Nature of Claim	Doc Date	Amount	Paid
02200006	ADAMS COUNTY SHERIFF WISCONSIN	1-PROCESS OF SERVICE FEE	02/11/2020	\$65.00	P
02200007	AEGIS CORPORATION	NOTARY BOND RENEWAL-WILLFAHRT	02/25/2020	\$30.00	
02200008	CW SOLUTIONS LLC	CONTRACTED PROGRAM COSTS	02/25/2020	\$16,115.29	
02200009	DNA DIAGNOSTICS CENTER	36-IND. GENETIC TESTS	02/25/2020	\$863.00	
02200010	WI DEPT OF ADMINISTRATION	SHARED ROUTER COST-CSA/DHSS	02/25/2020	\$75.00	
02200011	WI DEPT OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS	NOTARY RENEWAL-WILLFAHRT	02/25/2020	\$20.00	
02200012	LEGAL LOGISTICS LLC	15-PROCESS OF SERVICE FEES	02/25/2020	\$800.00	
02200013	OFFICE DEPOT	OFFICE SUPPLIES	02/25/2020	\$83.81	
02200014	RIVER CITY PROCESS SERVERS	22-PROCESS OF SERVICE FEES	02/25/2020	\$860.00	
02200015	SWITS LTD	INTERPRETING FEES-7277074	02/25/2020	\$80.00	
02200016	WEILAND LEGAL SERVICES	SUB. CORP. COUNSEL FEE-2/20/20	02/25/2020	\$120.00	
02200017	WOODTRUST BANK	2-BOXES OF AGENCY CHECKS	02/25/2020	\$34.50	
02200018	US BANK	PAYOFF AGENCY CREDIT CARDS	02/25/2020	\$239.00	
<b>Grand Total:</b>				<b>\$19,385.60</b>	

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## Committee Report

County of Wood

Report of claims for: CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT

For the period of: FEBRUARY 2020

For the range of vouchers: 07191629 - 07191647 07200041 - 07200114

Voucher	Vendor Name	Nature of Claim	Doc Date	Amount	Paid
07191629	GORSKI & WITTMAN SC	Atty Fee - 84GN203 (19)	01/26/2020	\$119.00	P
07191630	GORSKI & WITTMAN SC	Atty Fee - 17GN90 (19)	01/22/2020	\$119.00	P
07191631	GORSKI & WITTMAN SC	Atty Fee - 93GN267 (19)	01/23/2020	\$119.00	P
07191632	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 19TP25 & 26 (19)	01/29/2020	\$455.00	P
07191633	ACCENT INVESTIGATIONS	Investigation Services-18CF680	01/29/2020	\$678.00	P
07191634	BEHAVIORAL CONSULTANTS	Med Exam - 19CF211	01/29/2020	\$540.00	P
07191635	LA CHAPELLE KRYSHAK & NETTESHEIM LLP	Atty Fee - 19TP14	01/28/2020	\$385.00	P
07191636	GORSKI & WITTMAN SC	Atty Fee - 12GN30 (19)	02/07/2020	\$147.00	P
07191637	GORSKI & WITTMAN SC	Atty Fee - 15GN77 (19)	02/06/2020	\$119.00	P
07191638	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 19GN109 (19)	01/29/2020	\$399.00	P
07191639	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 18JG05 (19)	01/29/2020	\$539.00	P
07191640	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 19JG29 & 30(19)	01/29/2020	\$245.00	P
07191641	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 19GN96 (19)	01/29/2020	\$1,071.00	P
07191642	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 19JC75 (19)	02/05/2020	\$231.00	P
07191643	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 19JC100-103 (19)	02/05/2020	\$280.00	P
07191644	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 19JC31 (19)	02/11/2020	\$157.50	P
07191645	THE LLOYD LAW FIRM LLC	Atty Fee - 19CM95 & 96 (19)	01/28/2020	\$518.00	P
07191646	NASH LAW GROUP	Atty Fee - 19CM603 (19)	01/28/2020	\$228.14	P
07191647	NASH LAW GROUP	Atty Fee - 19CM342 (19)	01/28/2020	\$70.00	P
07200041	ANCHOR POINT THERAPY AND EVALUATION SERVICES LLC	Med Exam - 20GN01	01/23/2020	\$500.00	P
07200042	ANCHOR POINT THERAPY AND EVALUATION SERVICES LLC	Med Exam - 19ME218	01/23/2020	\$690.00	P
07200043	ANCHOR POINT THERAPY AND EVALUATION SERVICES LLC	Med Exam - 17ME47	01/22/2020	\$390.00	P
07200044	PHYSICIAN BEHAVIORAL HEALTH EVALUATIONS LLC	Med Exam - 19ME218	01/22/2020	\$995.00	P
07200045	GORSKI & WITTMAN SC	Atty fee - 84GN203 (20)	01/26/2020	\$10.00	P
07200046	GORSKI & WITTMAN SC	Atty Fee - 17GN90 (20)	01/22/2020	\$10.00	P
07200047	GORSKI & WITTMAN SC	Atty Fee - 93GN267 (20)	01/23/2020	\$10.00	P
07200048	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 16GN05	01/24/2020	\$425.00	P
07200049	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 19TP25 & 26 (20)	01/29/2020	\$100.00	P
07200050	NASH LAW GROUP	Atty Fee - 18JC35 & 19TP14	01/24/2020	\$341.61	P
07200051	NASH LAW GROUP	Atty fee - 19CT180	01/27/2020	\$160.00	P
07200052	NASH LAW GROUP	Atty Fee - 19JC93	01/27/2020	\$320.00	P
07200053	WEYMOUTH RICHARD D	Services as FCC - Jan 2020	01/27/2020	\$4,166.66	P

## Committee Report - County of Wood

CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT - FEBRUARY  
2020

07200041 - 07200114 07191629 - 07191647

Voucher	Vendor Name	Nature of Claim	Doc Date	Amount	Paid
07200054	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	Humidifer Supplies	02/04/2020	\$50.98	P
07200055	ANCHOR POINT THERAPY AND EVALUATION SERVICES LLC	Med Exam - 20ME11	01/29/2020	\$690.00	P
07200056	ANCHOR POINT THERAPY AND EVALUATION SERVICES LLC	Med Exam - 20ME12	02/05/2020	\$540.00	P
07200057	BEHAVIORAL CONSULTANTS	Med Exam - 19JV31	01/29/2020	\$315.06	P
07200058	LA CHAPELLE KRYSHAK & NETTESHEIM LLP	Atty Fee - 19TP14 2020	01/28/2020	\$120.00	P
07200059	PHYSICIAN BEHAVIORAL HEALTH EVALUATIONS LLC	Med Exam - 19ME100	01/29/2020	\$845.00	P
07200060	PHYSICIAN BEHAVIORAL HEALTH EVALUATIONS LLC	Med Exam - 20ME12	02/05/2020	\$845.00	P
07200061	PHYSICIAN BEHAVIORAL HEALTH EVALUATIONS LLC	Med Exam - 19JM217	02/06/2020	\$1,045.00	P
07200062	CZARNECKI KIM M	Witness Fee - 19CM349	01/30/2020	\$16.64	P
07200063	FLEXSTAFF	Contracted Clerical Services	01/29/2020	\$353.17	P
07200064	FLEXSTAFF	Contracted Clerical Services	02/05/2020	\$132.91	P
07200065	GEBERT LAW OFFICE	Mediation Services - Jan 2020	02/01/2020	\$1,825.00	P
07200066	GEBERT LAW OFFICE	Atty Fee - 86GN2020	02/07/2020	\$98.00	P
07200067	GEBERT LAW OFFICE	Atty Fee - 18JC71	02/10/2020	\$200.00	P
07200068	GEBERT LAW OFFICE	Atty Fee - 07GN45	02/07/2020	\$98.00	P
07200069	GORSKI & WITTMAN SC	Atty Fee - 93GN259	02/10/2020	\$180.00	P
07200070	GORSKI & WITTMAN SC	Atty Fee - 03GN05	02/10/2020	\$249.15	P
07200071	GORSKI & WITTMAN SC	Atty Fee - 83GN211	02/08/2020	\$180.00	P
07200072	GORSKI & WITTMAN SC	Atty Fee - 12GN30 (20)	02/07/2020	\$10.00	P
07200073	GORSKI & WITTMAN SC	Atty Fee - 15GN77 (20)	02/06/2020	\$10.00	P
07200074	GORSKI & WITTMAN SC	Atty Fee - 11GN54	02/07/2020	\$220.00	P
07200075	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Mediation Services - Jan 2020	02/01/2020	\$350.00	P
07200076	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 19GN109 (20)	01/29/2020	\$190.00	P
07200077	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 19JC29&30 (20)	01/29/2020	\$210.00	P
07200078	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 19JC09 (20)	02/11/2020	\$520.00	P
07200079	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 19JC75 (20)	02/05/2020	\$350.00	P
07200080	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 19JC100-103 (29)	02/05/2020	\$720.00	P
07200081	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 19JC31 (20)	02/11/2020	\$350.00	P
07200082	HOEL KARI S ATTY	Atty Fee - 11GN51	02/10/2020	\$300.00	P
07200083	KORTH MARTINA L	Witness Fee - 19CF333	01/22/2020	\$26.80	P
07200084	THE LLOYD LAW FIRM LLC	Atty Fee - 19CM95 & 96 (20)	01/28/2020	\$56.00	P
07200085	THE LLOYD LAW FIRM LLC	Atty Fee - 19CT238	01/23/2020	\$140.00	P
07200086	NASH LAW GROUP	Atty Fee - 19CM603 (20)	01/28/2020	\$120.00	P
07200087	NASH LAW GROUP	Atty Fee - 19CM342 (20)	01/28/2020	\$80.00	P
07200088	NASH LAW GROUP	Atty Fee - 19CF435	01/28/2020	\$110.00	P
07200089	NASH LAW GROUP	Atty Fee - 20JC05 - 08	02/11/2020	\$300.00	P
07200090	NASH LAW GROUP	Atty Fee - 19JC21 & 22	02/11/2020	\$170.00	P
07200091	MAILFINANCE	Lease Payment	02/03/2020	\$372.87	P
07200092	OFFICE DEPOT	Office Supplies	01/30/2020	\$29.44	P
07200093	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 19JC104-106 (20)	02/11/2020	\$430.00	P
07200094	GORSKI KENNETH	Crt Commssnr Services-Jan 2020	02/12/2020	\$1,250.00	P

## Committee Report - County of Wood

CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT - FEBRUARY  
2020

07200041 - 07200114 07191629 - 07191647

Voucher	Vendor Name	Nature of Claim	Doc Date	Amount	Paid
07200095	REICHWALD BRIAN	Witness Fee- 19CF333	01/22/2020	\$54.92	P
07200096	ROMAN JAMIE A	Witness Fee - 11CF432	01/21/2020	\$44.40	P
07200097	STAPLES ADVANTAGE	Office Supplies	02/11/2020	\$29.20	P
07200098	TRANSUNION RISK & ALTERNATIVE DATA SOLUTIONS	Person Search for SDC	02/01/2020	\$50.00	P
07200099	TRISTAN BROOKE C	Witness Fee - 19CM349	01/30/2020	\$16.44	P
07200100	WEILAND LEGAL SERVICES	Atty Fee - 18GN12	01/25/2020	\$100.00	P
07200101	WEILAND LEGAL SERVICES	Atty Fee - 15GN06	02/07/2020	\$130.00	P
07200102	ANCHOR POINT THERAPY AND EVALUATION SERVICES LLC	Med Exam - 20GN04	02/08/2020	\$500.00	P
07200103	ANCHOR POINT THERAPY AND EVALUATION SERVICES LLC	Med Exam - 20ME05	02/11/2020	\$390.00	P
07200104	PHYSICIAN BEHAVIORAL HEALTH EVALUATIONS LLC	Med Exam - 20ME05	02/11/2020	\$845.00	P
07200105	DOMINO'S PIZZA	Jury Meal - 19CM349	02/11/2020	\$39.00	P
07200106	GORSKI & WITTMAN SC	Atty Fee - 05GN37	02/12/2020	\$233.40	P
07200107	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 19JV20	02/05/2020	\$710.00	P
07200108	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 19TP29	02/05/2020	\$200.00	P
07200109	HILL & WALCZAK ATTYS	Atty Fee - 18JC80	02/05/2020	\$40.00	P
07200110	WEILAND LEGAL SERVICES	Atty Fee - 18GN13	02/11/2020	\$100.00	P
07200111	WEILAND LEGAL SERVICES	Atty Fee - 15GN34	02/12/2020	\$161.50	P
07200112	WEILAND LEGAL SERVICES	Atty Fee - 17GN79	02/06/2020	\$130.00	P
07200113	WEILAND LEGAL SERVICES	Atty Fee - 19GN95	02/15/2020	\$190.00	P
07200114	WEST PAYMENT CENTER	LL Internet Access - Jan 2020	02/01/2020	\$1,430.55	P

**Grand Total:****\$34,031.34**Signatures

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## Committee Report

County of Wood

Report of claims for: Corporation Counsel

For the period of: February 2020

For the range of vouchers: 09200003 - 09200005

Voucher	Vendor Name	Nature of Claim	Doc Date	Amount	Paid
09200003	STAPLES ADVANTAGE	office supplies	02/26/2020	\$10.59	
09200004	STATE BAR OF WISCONSIN	Real Estate Transaction	02/04/2020	\$214.94	
09200005	WACCC	2020 WACCC dues	02/26/2020	\$35.00	
<b>Grand Total:</b>				<b>\$260.53</b>	

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## Committee Report

County of Wood

Report of claims for: DISTRICT ATTORNEY

For the period of: FEBRUARY 2020

For the range of vouchers: 11200001 - 11200004

Voucher	Vendor Name	Nature of Claim	Doc Date	Amount	Paid
11200001	PARAGON DEVELOPMENT SYSTEMS INC	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	01/13/2020	\$1,308.00	P
11200002	STAPLES ADVANTAGE	OFFICE SUPPLIES	01/28/2020	\$26.68	P
11200003	STAPLES ADVANTAGE	MONITORS	01/30/2020	\$152.58	P
11200004	OFFICE ENTERPRISES INC	2 CHAIRS	02/10/2020	\$610.00	P
Grand Total:				\$2,097.26	

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## Committee Report

County of Wood

Report of claims for: REGISTER OF DEEDS

For the period of: FEBRUARY 2020

For the range of vouchers: 24200007 - 24200014

Voucher	Vendor Name	Nature of Claim	Doc Date	Amount	Paid
24200007	FIDLAR TECHNOLOGIES INC	5 PRINTERS/POWER SUPP/USB HUBS	01/31/2020	\$4,266.50	P
24200008	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	OFFICE SUPPLIES	01/30/2020	\$57.43	P
24200009	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	OFFICE SUPPLIES	02/10/2020	\$20.59	P
24200010	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	OFFICE SUPPLIES	02/11/2020	\$17.19	P
24200011	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	CREDIT MEMO	02/16/2020	(\$10.03)	P
24200012	FIDLAR TECHNOLOGIES INC	JANUARY 2020 LAREDO USAGE	02/14/2020	\$1,272.94	
24200013	WI DEPT OF HEALTH SERVICES	SECURITY PAPER	02/14/2020	\$1,406.00	
24200014	US BANK	DEPT P-CARD CHARGES	02/18/2020	\$129.00	
<b>Grand Total:</b>				<b>\$7,159.62</b>	

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# Wood County WISCONSIN

CHILD SUPPORT  
AGENCY

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MARCH 2020

## MONTHLY REPORT TO THE JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

Prepared by Child Support Director Brent Vruwink

- All agency JDQ's have been submitted to Human Resources.
- The Elevate Program continues to develop and evolve as we enroll participants. We have 11 individuals enrolled in the program at this point.
- Vicki Stoflet and I attended WCSEA meetings on February 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup>.
- Vicki Stoflet was appointed to a statewide workgroup to help implement the new Administrative Paternity Process.
- Shannon Lobner attended the department head meeting on February 26<sup>th</sup>.
- I will be attending the WCA Health and Human Services Steering Committee meeting on March 6<sup>th</sup> in Stevens Point. I will be presenting WCSEA's legislative priorities to the committee. We will be looking for WCA to support our requests as we move through the state budget process.
- I will be attending the Joint Legislative Committee meeting in Mosinee on March 9<sup>th</sup>.
- The January performance numbers have been released. We are again on target to meet all four Federal Performance Measures.
- The current IV-D case count is 3,841.



**CLERK OF COURT COLLECTED  
COUNTY REVENUES  
FOR THE MONTH ENDING JANUARY 31, 2020**

<b>Which Dept. Receives Revenue</b>	<b>Account Title</b>	<b>Current Month Totals</b>	<b>Previous Month Totals</b>	<b>Difference</b>
Clerk of Courts	County Forfeitures	\$ 8,185.06	\$ 8,206.12	\$ (21.06)
Clerk of Courts	Occupational Lic Fee Due Co	\$ -	\$ 40.00	\$ (40.00)
Clerk of Courts	County Share State Fines	\$ 9,349.60	\$ 7,894.01	\$ 1,455.59
Clerk of Courts	Attorney Fees	\$ 3,012.79	\$ 2,119.20	\$ 893.59
Clerk of Courts	Interest (from A/C # 2299-851)	\$ 26.22	\$ 26.53	\$ (0.31)
<b>Clerk's Fees</b>				
Clerk of Courts	Clerk of Courts Fees	\$ 14,158.51	\$ 8,733.17	\$ 5,425.34
Clerk of Courts	Bond Forfeitures	\$ 12,000.00	\$ 5,250.00	\$ 6,750.00
Clerk of Courts	Payment Plan Fees	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,215.00	\$ (215.00)
Clerk of Courts	Muni Disposal Fees	\$ 80.00	\$ 40.00	\$ 40.00
COC Div. Mediation	Family Counseling Service Fees	\$ 620.00	\$ 335.00	\$ 285.00
COC Div. Mediation	Family Counseling Reimbursement	\$ 755.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 655.00
<b>Subtotal of Clerk of Courts Revenue</b>		<b>\$ 49,187.18</b>	<b>\$ 33,959.03</b>	<b>\$ 15,228.15</b>
Branch I	Juvenile Legal Fees	\$ 116.25	\$ 121.50	\$ (5.25)
District Attorney	District Attorney Witness Fees	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
District Attorney	District Attorney Service	\$ 31.61	\$ 16.30	\$ 15.31
District Attorney	District Attorney 10%	\$ 986.23	\$ 342.08	\$ 644.15
Victim Witness	Victim Witness 10%	\$ 986.22	\$ 342.08	\$ 644.14
Human Services	Custody Study Fees	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Human Services	Driver Improvement Surcharge	\$ 4,764.33	\$ 4,162.49	\$ 601.84
Sheriff's Dept.	Warrant Fees	\$ 2,410.84	\$ 2,324.10	\$ 86.74
Sheriff's Dept.	Jail Surcharge	\$ 2,666.90	\$ 2,130.39	\$ 536.51
Sheriff's Dept.	Blood Tests	\$ 168.90	\$ 128.85	\$ 40.05
Sheriff's Dept.	Extradition Costs	\$ 878.80	\$ 374.76	\$ 504.04
Finance Dept	Sales Tax	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>COUNTY REVENUE</b>		<b>\$ 62,197.26</b>	<b>\$ 43,901.58</b>	<b>\$ 18,295.68</b>
<b>0700-24241 STATE REVENUES</b>		<b>\$ 159,573.89</b>	<b>\$ 126,066.21</b>	<b>\$ 33,507.68</b>
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>		<b>\$ 221,771.15</b>	<b>\$ 169,967.79</b>	<b>\$ 51,803.36</b>
<b>Municipal Pass Through Revenues</b>		<b>\$ 1,233.01</b>	<b>\$ 1,516.47</b>	<b>\$ (283.46)</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$ 223,004.16</b>	<b>\$ 171,484.26</b>	<b>\$ 51,519.90</b>

For the Judicial & Legislative Committee Meeting dated: March 6, 2020  
Prepared by Cindy Joosten Clerk of Circuit Court

## ANNUAL REVENUE COMPARISON

2019					2020				
	Total	State	County	Muni		Total	State	County	Muni
Jan	179,852	136,758	42,461	633	Jan	223,004	159,574	62,197	1,233
Feb	212,467	158,150	52,379	1,939	Feb	-			
Mar	194,299	142,536	49,778	1,984	Mar	-			
Apr	189,013	139,172	48,347	1,493	Apr	-			
May	185,776	140,207	44,153	1,417	May	-			
Jun	210,035	156,223	51,320	2,492	Jun	-			
Jul	193,788	143,500	48,455	1,833	Jul	-			
Aug	187,702	139,549	47,035	1,118	Aug	-			
Sep	194,335	147,992	44,695	1,648	Sep	-			
Oct	207,441	155,176	49,993	2,272	Oct	-			
Nov	171,413	126,828	43,058	1,527	Nov	-			
Dec	171,484	126,066	43,902	1,516	Dec	-			
	2,297,606	1,712,157	565,576	19,872		223,004	159,574	62,197	1,233
2019 YEAR TO DATE REVENUE:						179,852	136,758	42,461	633
INCREASE (Decrease)						43,152	22,816	19,736	600

## COLLECTION ACTIVITY SUMMARY FOR 2020

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	Total Ytd
Warrants Issued	40												40
Suspensions Issued	18												18
Payment Plans Created	75												75
Receivables in Payment Plans	8367												
Payment Plans Due	\$66,772	\$67,716											
# of Payment Plans PIF	89												89
Fines worked off through Community Service	9												9
\$ Worked off through Community Service	\$2,269												\$0
State Debt Collection Agency Payments	\$2,054												\$2,054
Electronic Payments	\$89,613												\$89,613

Wood County Circuit Court  
Active Non-Escrow Receivables Audit Summary (DOC/Other Collects Included)  
For Month Ending 01-31-2020  
Preliminary

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Account	0-1 Month	1-2 Months	2-3 Months	3-6 Months	6-12 Months	1-2 Years	2-3 Years	3-4 Years	4-5 Years	Over 5 Years	Total
Fees	35726.75	26720.26	34777.45	78214.40	114705.43	175955.97	116019.96	85855.66	53682.11	201717.75	923375.74
Traffic	27592.00	21798.32	14617.27	39076.73	81673.33	81147.17	52200.59	53037.57	32394.45	198753.08	602290.51
Criminal	67130.01	56411.00	59134.15	138549.57	246643.82	397425.60	316865.97	234738.34	174270.58	568530.97	2259700.01
Restitution	3398.77	9824.29	11976.59	38297.49	54355.25	63537.31	27014.87	43954.66	43473.25	298307.65	594140.13
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 133,847.53</b>	<b>\$ 114,753.87</b>	<b>\$ 120,505.46</b>	<b>\$ 294,138.19</b>	<b>\$ 497,377.83</b>	<b>\$ 718,066.05</b>	<b>\$ 512,101.39</b>	<b>\$ 417,586.23</b>	<b>\$ 303,820.39</b>	<b>\$ 1,267,309.45</b>	<b>\$ 4,379,506.39</b>

Wood County Circuit Court  
Active Non-Escrow Receivables Audit Summary (DOC/Other Collects Omitted)  
For Month Ending 01-31-2020  
Preliminary

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Account	0-1 Month	1-2 Months	2-3 Months	3-6 Months	6-12 Months	1-2 Years	2-3 Years	3-4 Years	4-5 Years	Over 5 Years	Total
Fees	35648.75	26720.26	34426.35	73152.48	111384.25	167726.55	110850.79	82039.80	50969.35	152207.48	845126.06
Traffic	27592.00	21798.32	14617.27	39076.73	81673.33	81032.67	52200.59	53037.57	32394.45	198615.58	602038.51
Criminal	63295.01	47918.00	54790.15	126177.73	212070.72	322202.12	233123.99	185637.94	131105.41	405927.27	1782248.34
Restitution	3378.77	496.45	9661.40	17978.58	23527.03	29001.44	9255.24	4708.72	15569.73	58856.44	172433.80
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 129,914.53</b>	<b>\$ 96,933.03</b>	<b>\$ 113,495.17</b>	<b>\$ 256,385.52</b>	<b>\$ 428,655.33</b>	<b>\$ 599,962.78</b>	<b>\$ 405,430.61</b>	<b>\$ 325,424.03</b>	<b>\$ 230,038.94</b>	<b>\$ 815,606.77</b>	<b>\$ 3,401,846.71</b>



# Wood County

## WISCONSIN

CORPORATION  
COUNSEL OFFICE

*Peter A. Kastenholtz*  
CORPORATION COUNSEL

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### MONTHLY REPORT TO THE JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

February 2020

Residential Options Committee. Our attempts at finding a property a vendor can purchase, so as to lease to the state, for housing a sex offender to be released from state custody, to be placed on supervised living in the community, has been problematic, at best. It's kind of like a game of Whack a Mole. Every time some property is identified that might be appropriate, we find out there is some child living next door, the property is taken off the market, there is an accepted offer, or the place is too big of a dump for the vendor to be interested in. Because the committee only had until February 25 to arrange for a placement, the committee has sent a letter to the court explaining our problems and identifying our efforts to accomplish our mission. The court has the ability to fine the county for the delay but I am not expecting that outcome in light of our diligent efforts to date. If you have questions about this process or have a property for sale in your neighborhood that you want to share information on, please let me know.

Reichert v. Wood County. This case is headed for a two-day trial in late May. Depositions of Tom Reichert and Edward Reed were recently taken. I will be preparing a case summary that will be handed out and then collected up at the committee meeting. I will also be communicating with a number of current and former county board supervisors separately about the case. Any county board supervisor who is expecting at any time to get involved in the case by testifying on Reichert's behalf, if I haven't contacted you, please contact me. It would be most discomfoting to see you sitting on the witness stand without my foreknowledge.

Suing the Public Defender's Office. Beginning over a year ago the circuit court judges found themselves in the position of having the State Public Defender's Office (SPD) unable to locate counsel to represent a few of the indigent defendants in criminal matters. My understanding is that the SPD was conflicted out of some cases (due to representing co-defendants or the like) and the SPD needed to appoint outside counsel. Said outside counsel would get paid \$40/hr. for court related activities and \$25/hr. for travel time. It was taking long periods of time (many, many weeks) to locate such outside counsel to represent some defendants and on a few occasions the courts decided they couldn't rightly wait any longer, the defendants were presumed innocent, were sitting in jail, and requesting representation to deal with procedural matters attendant to their cases. When the courts appointed counsel, they necessarily did so at the county rate of \$70/hr. The courts and Clerk of Court's (COC) office copied me in on bills that were sent to the SPD to seek recoupment. The amount we asked the SPD to reimburse the county for was not the full \$70/hr. the county paid out to the attorneys appointed by the court but rather the \$40/hr. rate the SPD would have paid if these attorneys had agreed to take the cases as outside counsel for the SPD. Since January 1, 2020, the situation has been rectified as the legislature increased the SPD rate for outside counsel to \$70/hr. (at the same time the county's rate, which is set by the state supreme court, went up to \$100/hr.) and there appear to be enough attorneys around to meet the demand for outside counsel by the SPD. The COC has continued to bill the SPD for the part of the county's costs the SPD should have been paying from the outset and I have written them as well. The SPD has replied that they don't have statutory authority to reimburse the county what we paid out to the private attorneys. That is one way to look at it. From my perspective, the SPD wasn't complying with their statutory mandate to provide counsel to indigent clients and so the courts were forced to step in and do so at the county's expense. The amount at issue at this time is about \$2,800. Recently the SPD has confirmed they will not reimburse Wood County these costs. Normally I don't seek the committee's direction on whether to bring suit or not but I see this as being in the political arena and a matter that my committee, if not the full board, should be weighing in on.

County Board Resolutions. The question has come up as to who can submit a resolution to the county board and under what circumstances. The answer is relatively simple, that being: any county board supervisor can submit any resolution they want to the county board unless it involves a monetary appropriation (which I interpret to mean the transfer of money within an approved budget). For a resolution that entails a monetary appropriation, it must be presented to the board by a committee. Any of the board's six main committees will do, even if the committee does not have normal jurisdiction over the topic covered by the resolution.

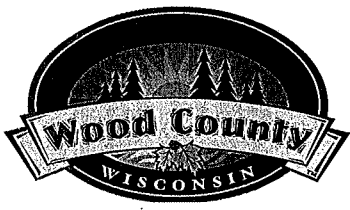
This opinion on resolutions is based upon your county board rules and, therefore, is subject to change of those rules or even a different interpretation of the current rules by you, the county board.

Saratoga Solar Farm. I met with representatives of Savion, the developer of the proposed solar farm to be sited in the Town of Saratoga, to review the county's draft proposal of a developer/operations agreement. They were receptive to most of the terms but needed to run the document past other staff and then legal counsel. My understanding was that Savion would like the agreement, which would bind both the developer and then eventually the owner/operator of the facility, to be wrapped up prior to Savion's submission of certain state and federal applications in April 2020. Consequently, it seemed likely that a final draft of the agreement would be submitted to the county board at its March 2020 meeting. The Town of Saratoga is working on its own agreement with Savion.

Update: Savion's response was to gut everything of substance in the county's proposal. I didn't take that well and advised that I couldn't recommend entering into an agreement if it provided nothing but feel good statements and adverse language to my client. Savion has advised they would like to return to the negotiating table and a meeting has been set up for March 3. This time I will have a few of the environmental leaning supervisors with me, in part to show that the county's requests to date have been quite modest. Meanwhile, the likelihood of wrapping up an agreement within the next month looks unlikely at the time of this writing.

Aremenia Growers Coalition (AGC) Memorandum of Understanding (MOU). The AGC's counsel, Cameron Fields, has finally responded to requests for a meeting, albeit a meeting has yet to be actually set up even though it has been promised. A written status report was presented by Attorney Fields, which focused primarily on the provision of water and water filtration systems to owners of homes in the affected area who have expressed interest in them. My focus going forward will be the two areas of study identified in the MOU, that being the groundwater flow study that is currently underway and the farming best practices study the AGC members are supposed to be spearheading but are currently waffling on supposedly in wait of additional data.

Goals. First the bad news: I haven't done any work this past month on the updating of contract forms on the intranet site goal. Now the good news, I am asking the committee to change my goal from updating the intranet contract forms to handling the Reichert litigation. More good news: I have done a lot of work on my new goal and will be sharing more with the committee at the meeting, per the above entry.



# Wood County

## WISCONSIN

### REGISTER OF DEEDS OFFICE

*Tiffany R. Ringer*  
Register of Deeds

**MARCH 2020**

#### **MONTHLY REPORT TO THE JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE**

1. On February 3<sup>rd</sup>, I attended the Executive committee meeting.
2. Along with Supervisor Clendenning and Supervisor Leichtnam, I attended the WCA Legislative Exchange in Madison on February 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>.
3. On February 6<sup>th</sup>, I attended the Wood County Land Information Council meeting.
4. I attended the Judicial and Legislative committee meeting on February 6<sup>th</sup>.
5. On February 10<sup>th</sup>, Wood County IT worked with Fidlar to install hardware on our stations in the Register of Deeds office. This was in preparation for the AVID software upgrade training that began on February 11<sup>th</sup>.
6. All Register of Deeds staff, including myself, worked with Fidlar project manager, Chelsea Roehm, to complete on-site training for the new AVID software from February 11<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup>.
7. Our office went live with AVID on February 18<sup>th</sup>. Chelsea remained on-site for the week to assist all staff. The upgrade went well without any major issues. We continue to work closely with Fidlar as questions and new processes come up.
8. I attended the Wood County Board meeting on February 18<sup>th</sup>.
9. On February 20<sup>th</sup>, I assisted the County Clerk's office with a voluntary audit of ballots during the canvas.
10. I attended the wood county child abuse prevention task force meeting on February 21<sup>st</sup>.
11. On February 26<sup>th</sup>, I attended the department head meeting.
12. I attended the WCA Personnel, Finance and County Organization Steering Committee meeting in Stevens Point on February 27<sup>th</sup>.
13. I will be attending the Wisconsin County Constitutional Officers (WCCO) conference from March 2-4 in Madison.

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cc: *Jo L*  
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**RESOLUTION NO.: 130—2019-20**

TO THE HONORABLE, THE OUTAGAMIE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

**MAJORITY**

1 For Children in Need of Protection (CHIPS) proceedings under State Statutes  
2 Chapter 48, (the Children's Code), when a child is taken into custody and not  
3 immediately released to a parent, guardian, or legal custodian, the judge or circuit  
4 court commissioner in the county where the child is being held must hold a  
5 detention hearing within 48 hours of the time in which the decision to hold the  
6 child was made (excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays).  
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8 For juvenile justice proceedings under State Statutes Chapter 938, (the Juvenile  
9 Justice Code), when a juvenile is taken into custody and held by a county, the  
10 circuit court must hold a detention hearing within 24 hours after the end of the  
11 day on which the decision to hold the juvenile was made (excluding Saturdays,  
12 Sundays, and legal holidays).  
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14 As a result of the hours discrepancy between these two statutory provisions,  
15 county circuit court judges, commissioners, juvenile intake workers, and other  
16 courthouse staff have raised concerns about county employees needing to be  
17 prepared to hold a detention hearing under circumstances where the courthouse  
18 would otherwise be closed. For example, counties throughout the state need to be  
19 prepared to conduct Chapter 938 detention hearings on certain non-legal holidays  
20 (e.g., the Friday after Thanksgiving) and extreme weather days. If a detention  
21 hearing is not held prior to the statutory deadline, the county risks losing  
22 jurisdiction over the pending matter. Additionally, there are concerns regarding  
23 transportation of juveniles and children on non-work days in order to  
24 accommodate hearings.  
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26 There is pending legislation that specifies that a day in which the Clerk of Circuit  
27 Courts Office is closed does not count toward the computation of the detention  
28 hearing timeline under Chapter 938. This will ensure county governments are in a  
29 better position to save limited resources and protect the safety of their employees  
30 and the public.  
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32 NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned members of the Health and Human Services  
33 Committee and Public Safety Committee recommend adoption of the following resolution.

34 BE IT RESOLVED, that the Outagamie County Board of Supervisors does support  
35 pending legislation that would correct a discrepancy between parallel statutes that compute the  
36 detention hearing timelines for Children in Need of Protection (CHIPS) proceedings under State




1 Statutes Chapter 48 (the Children's Code), and juvenile delinquency cases under Chapter 938  
2 (the Juvenile Justice Code), by specifying that a day in which the Clerk of Circuit Courts Office  
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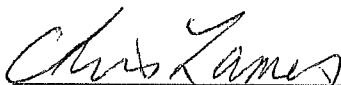
6 BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Outagamie County Clerk be directed to forward  
7 a copy of this resolution to all Wisconsin Counties, the Wisconsin Counties Association, and the  
8 Outagamie County Lobbyist for distribution to legislators.


9 Dated this 28th day of January, 2020.

10 Respectfully Submitted,  
11 HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES  
12 COMMITTEE AND PUBLIC SAFETY  
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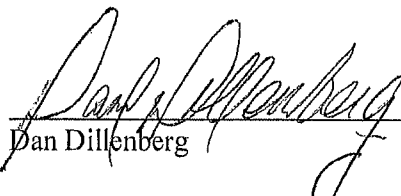
  
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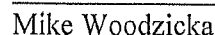
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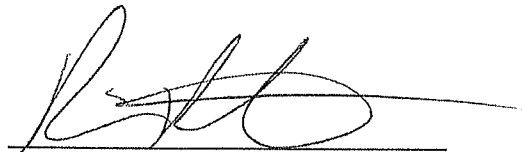
  
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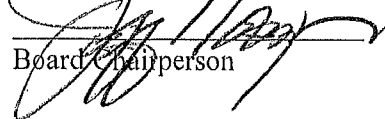
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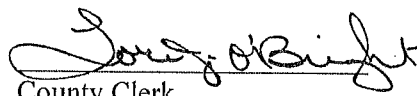
  
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9 Duly and officially adopted by the County Board on: January 28, 2020

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12 Signed:   
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14 Board Chairperson

  
County Clerk

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16 Approved: 1-29-20

Vetoed: \_\_\_\_\_

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**RESOLUTION NO.: 137—2019-20**

cc: J. L. Carson

TO THE HONORABLE, THE OUTAGAMIE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

**MAJORITY**

The number of veteran suicides nationwide continues to rise, and approximately 14 of the 20 veterans who die by suicide each day are not under Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) care. This national public health crisis requires a national approach that meets veterans where they are located. County Veteran Service Officers (CVSOs) are often the first point of contact in the community for veteran's services and they provide assistance on a range of benefits, including service-connected benefits, enrollment in VA health care, VA home loans, education benefits, and available job placement assistance. Veterans are not always aware of the available benefits, and CVSOs are often the first to inform them about their eligibility. CVSOs are local county employees who are nationally accredited by the VA to prepare, present, and prosecute VA claims. However, there is currently no federal funding directly available for CVSOs.

There is pending legislation, the "Commitment to Veteran Support and Outreach Act" (CVSO Act) that authorizes the Secretary of Veterans Affairs (the Secretary) to enter into contracts with States or to award grants to States to promote health and wellness, prevent suicide, and improve outreach to veterans. The CVSO Act will authorize \$50 million annually for five years to expand and support CVSOs or similar local entities, who currently assist veterans in obtaining over \$50 billion in benefits annually. States can submit an application containing a detailed plan for the use of these funds, and the Secretary will develop guidance for outcome measures to determine the effectiveness of the programs. States must show that these federal funds do not simply supplant current state or local funding. By increasing the number of CVSOs, states will be better able to leverage their local and federal resources to serve our veterans.


NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned members of the Health and Human Services Committee recommend adoption of the following resolution.

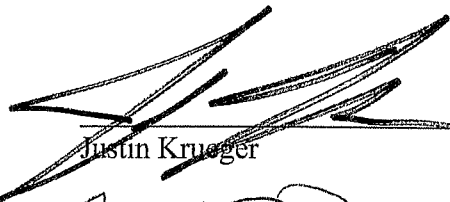
BE IT RESOLVED, that the Outagamie County Board of Supervisors does support pending legislation, known as the "Commitment to Veteran Support and Outreach Act" (CVSO Act) that authorizes the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to enter into contracts with States or to award grants to States to promote health and wellness, prevent suicide, and improve outreach to veterans, and

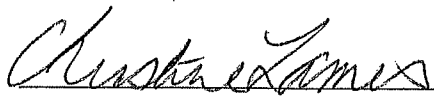
BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Outagamie County Clerk be directed to forward a copy of this resolution to all Wisconsin Counties, the Outagamie County Veterans Service Officer, and the Outagamie County Lobbyist for distribution to the National Association of Counties (NACo) and the National Association of County Veteran Service Officers (NACVSO).

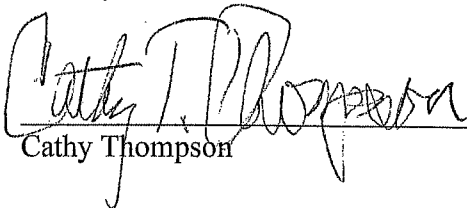
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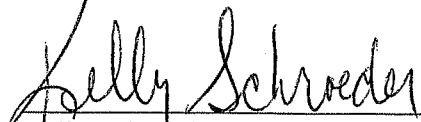
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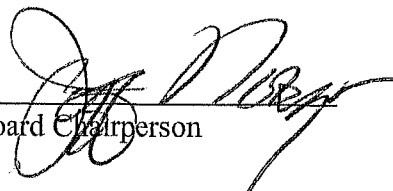
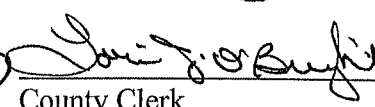
  
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Signed:   
County Executive