

**COUNTY OF KENDALL ILLINOIS  
JUDICIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE  
Courthouse Jury Assembly Room  
807 W. John Street, Yorkville IL**

**Wednesday, August 24, 2016  
Meeting Minutes**

**Call to Order**

The Judicial Legislative Committee was called to order by Committee Chair Matthew Prochaska at 3:00p.m.

**Roll Call**

Committee Members Present: Dan Koukol - here, John Purcell – present, Matthew Prochaska – here, Judy Gilmour - here. **With four members present, a quorum was established to conduct committee business.**

Committee Members Absent: Bob Davidson

Others Present: Sheriff Dwight Baird, Vicky Chuffo, Judge Tim McCann, Commander Mike Peters, Judge Robert Pilmer, Eric Weis

**Approval of Agenda** – Member Gilmour made a motion to approve the agenda, second by Member Koukol. **With all in agreement, the motion carried.**

**Approval of Minutes** – Member Prochaska made a motion to approve the July 27, 2016 minutes with the correction of the name of the representative for the Public Defender’s Office, second by Member Koukol. **Minutes approved with correction, with all members in agreement.**

**Status Reports**

**Circuit Clerk** – No report

**Courthouse** – Judge McCann provided an update on the mural work, and stated that the artist would like to have a formal unveiling. Judge McCann has scheduled the unveiling and reception for October 4, 2016 at 4:30p.m. prior to the County Board meeting.

Judge McCann informed the committee that the U.S. Bankruptcy Court will begin meeting in the Kendall County Jury Assembly room once a week, on October 1, 2016. They will pay Kendall County rent of \$350. The Bankruptcy Court will serve citizens from Kendall, Grundy, Kane, LaSalle and Will counties.

Judge McCann also reported the passing of former Kendall County Judge Leonard Wojtecki on August 13, 2016. Judge McCann said that Judge Wojtecki worked as a Defense Attorney, Public Defender and judge, and was with Kendall County for many years. A celebration of life gathering is planned by the family on August 31, 2016 at Riverside Receptions in Geneva, Illinois from 4:30-8:30p.m.

**Sheriff's Office/Court Security** – Sheriff Baird introduced Commander Mike Peters to the committee, and said that Commander Peters is now in charge of the Court Security Deputies.

**Court Services/Probation** – Written report provided

**Public Defender** – Ms. Chuffo distributed her monthly report and said that there has been an increase in juvenile delinquent cases, and their case load remains high.

**State's Attorney** – No report

**Legislative Report and Update** – No report

**Old Business** - None

**New Business** - None

**Items for COW** – None

**Actions Items for County Board**

- *Approval of corrected July 27, 2016 committee meeting minutes*

**Public Comments** - None

**Executive Session** – None

**Adjournment** – A motion was made by Member Koukol, second by Member Gilmour to adjourn the Judicial Legislative Committee at 3:24p.m. **With all in agreement, the meeting adjourned.**

Respectfully Submitted,

Valarie McClain  
Administrative Assistant/Recording Clerk