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Senate Appropriations Committee
P.O. Box 30036
Lansing, MI 48909-7536

House Appropriations Committee
P.O. Box 30014
Lansing, MI 48909-7514

Dear Legislators:

Per PA 87 of 2021, section 617, we have attached the third quarter report of all known 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 contact me at 517-331-6309.

Sincerely,

Edward Woods III
Executive Director

Cc: Kathryn Summers, Senate Fiscal Agency
Mary Ann Cleary, House Fiscal Agency
Jennifer Flood, State Budget Director



FY 24 3rd QUARTER EXPENDITURES

Expenses	Amount
Travel	\$64,023.78
Facilities, AV, Security	\$271,474.70
Telecommunications	\$8,788.01
Technology/Internal Purchases thru State	\$4,102.38
Staff Salaries	\$133,006.02
Promotional Outreach/Advertising	\$43,234.22
Consultant-Line Drawing	\$401,506.00
Consultant-Litigation Counsel	\$1,457,542.45
Consultant-Local Counsel	\$460,404.29
Consultant-Public Relations Firms	\$90,477.50
Consultant-Voting Rights Act Legal Counsel	\$258,215.19
Professional (Financial) Services	\$2,685.70
Event Planning	\$4,620.00
Commissioner Pay	\$535,584.67
Office Supplies	\$2,608.66
TOTAL	\$3,738,273.57

FY 24 3rd QUARTER ACTIVITIES

- Promoted, educated, and encouraged metro Detroit residents to provide public comments to assist the Commission in drawing the Senate Remedial map
- Spent a considerable amount of time mapping and listening to public comments to address the Court's ruling in the *Agee, et al v. Benson, et al* in the United States District Court Western District of Michigan for the State Senate Remedial Plan process.
- Partnered with the University of Michigan Center for Local, State, and Urban Policy to aggregate all public comments received from citizens for consideration in selecting a State Senate Remedial Plan.
- Voted Crane A1 as the State Senate Remedial Plan and obtained approval from the United States District Court Western District of Michigan to use it for the 2026 Election.
- Finished the quarter \$407,073.57 in the hole due to a significant increase in litigation expenses in the *Agee, et al v. Benson, et al* case. At the end of this quarter, the Commission was still waiting to receive the funds from its FY 24 Budget Supplemental request sent Feb. 23, 2024.

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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](#).