

MINUTES
Legislative Post Audit Committee
June 18, 2024

Call to Order

Welcome – The meeting was called to order by Chair Caryn Tyson at 11:11 a.m. in Room 546-S of the Statehouse. Committee members present:

Sen. Caryn Tyson, Chair
Sen. Ethan Corson
Sen. Mike Petersen
Sen. Mike Thompson
Sen. Mary Ware

Rep. Shannon Francis, Vice Chair
Rep. Jason Probst
Rep. Kristey Williams

Consent Calendar

Kristen Rottinghaus, Deputy Post Auditor, reviewed the consent calendar. The consent calendar included approval of the April 24 meeting minutes and approval of two limited-scope audits:

- *Reviewing the Kansas Department of Transportation's Response to Great Bend's Historic Dragstrip Cost Share Project*
- *Reviewing Ford County's Ballot Reconciliation Process During the 2024 Primary Election*

There were no objections, so the items were approved. Senator Corson abstained from voting on the April 24 minutes because he wasn't present at that meeting.

Revisor of Statutes Update

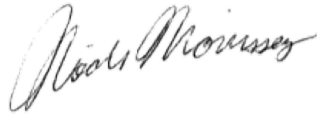
At Chair Tyson's request, the Office of Revisor of Statutes researched what process the committee could take to allow LPA staff to access and review the documentation Ford County sealed in the same containers as voted ballots and that prevented LPA staff from concluding on the county's processes in its 2023 audit. Tamera Lawrence, Senior Assistant Revisor of Statutes, discussed the committee's statutory authority to issue a subpoena for the relevant records and answered questions from committee members. Senator Thompson made a preliminary motion to request a subpoena for the records LPA staff requested to complete its 2023 election security audit. Representative Probst seconded the preliminary motion. Preliminary motion carried.

Additional Business

Next Meeting Date – Chris Clarke, Legislative Post Auditor, provided an overview of LPA’s schedule for the remainder of this year. Chair Tyson and Chris will schedule meeting dates for future committee meetings.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 11:23 a.m.



10/3/2024

Nicole Morrissey, Secretary
Legislative Post Audit Committee

date

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