

Missouri State Public Defender Commission Meeting

AGENDA

Thursday, April 24, 2025 | 9:00 AM

The Westin Kansas City at Crown Center – Kansas City, MO

Attendees: Charles Atwell, Chair; Larry Ferrell, Vice-Chair; Roy Richter, Secretary; and Member(s): Gloria Reno, Rodney Schad, Katie Sinquefield; and Director Mary Fox, *ex officio*.

Agenda Items

Introduction and Welcome of Guests	Charles Atwell
Approval of Agenda	Charles Atwell
Approval of Minutes from December 5, 2024	Charles Atwell
Approval of Minutes from December 11, 2024	Charles Atwell
Approval of Minutes from January 15, 2025	Charles Atwell
Approval of Minutes from February 19, 2025	Charles Atwell
Director's Report/Director-Elect's Report	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Case Contracting FeesOrganizational StructureBudget Update	Matthew Crowell Matthew Crowell Mary Fox
Unfinished Business	Charles Atwell
New Business	Charles Atwell
Motion to go into Closed Session	Charles Atwell
Reconvene in Open Session	Charles Atwell
Motion to Adjourn	Charles Atwell

Closed Session

It is the agenda of the Commission to vote to go into closed session to approve the closed session minutes of December 5 and 11, 2024, January 8 and 15, 2025, and February 19, 2025, and to discuss legal actions, causes of action or litigation pursuant to Section 610.021(1) and to discuss hiring, firing, disciplining, or promoting of particular employees pursuant to Section 610.021(3).

Resources Person(s)

Mary Fox, Director; Matthew Crowell, Director Elect/Regional Trial Division Director; Greg Mermelstein, Deputy Director/General Counsel; Gina Savoie, Chief of Staff; Rick Kroeger, Deputy Division Director; Tiffany Leuty Winningham, Deputy Division Director; Sara Watson, Case Contracting Director; Annie Legomsky, Holistic Defense Leader; Melinda Pendergraph, Training Director; Jane Duncan, Operations Director; Heather Tilman, Budget Manager; Gina Hall, Human Resources Manager; Janthony Johnson, IT Manager; and Lisa McGee, Support Services Coordinator.