



TWENTIETH CIRCUIT COURT DISTRICT

Madison and Rankin Counties

STEVE S. RATCLIFF
Circuit Judge

DEWEY K. ARTHUR
Circuit Judge

January 23, 2023

M. BRADLEY MILLS
Circuit Judge

Madison County Board of Supervisors

Re: NADCP National Drug Court Conference

Dear Members of the Board:

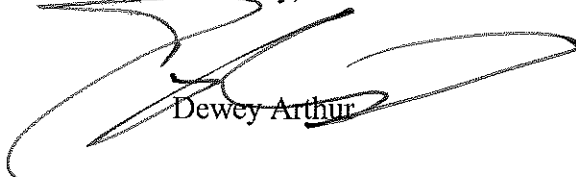
The 20th Circuit Adult Drug Court has received grant funds for our staff to attend the annual National Drug Court Conference on June 26-29 in Houston, Texas. This is valuable training for our staff, and we are fortunate to have received funding for this purpose. In fact, our federal grant, SAMHSA, *requires* that members of our staff attend this training.

Please place the following items on the next agenda for acknowledgment and consent:

1. NADCP membership fees for Judge Dewey Arthur, Amy Nisbett, Matt Herr, Roderick Smith (FUND 194) and Adrian Anderson, Kandi Gray, and Deanna Germany (FUND 191) at a rate of \$60/person.
2. NADCP Conference Registration fees Judge Dewey Arthur, Amy Nisbett, Matt Herr, Roderick Smith (FUND 194) and Adrian Anderson, Kandi Gray, and Deanna Germany (FUND 191) \$795/person. Payment is required electronically.
3. Accommodations for four (4) nights during the conference (June 25-29, 2022) as soon as the conference hotel opens which will be on January 31, 2023.
4. Mileage reimbursement up to \$600 per person.
5. The appropriate per diem rate for 5 days for each staff member mentioned above.

The 20th Circuit Drug Treatment Court budget under the SAMHSA Federal Grant is able to fund the membership fee, registration, hotel, mileage, and per diem for Judge Dewey Arthur, Amy Nisbett, Matt Herr, and Rodrick Smith. The 20th Circuit Drug Treatment Court budget under Fund number 191 is able to fund the membership fee, registration, hotel, mileage, and per diem for Adrian Anderson, Kandi Gray, and Deanna Germany. This training is invaluable for our staff and is much needed at this time.

Sincerely,



Dewey Arthur