

CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT OF ACTIVITIES

Citizen Advisory Committee _____ Circuit Court _____ County	Reporting Period January 1 - December 31 _____ Note: This report is due _____ Year January 15 of each year	Mail original to: Friend of the Court Bureau State Court Administrative Office PO Box 30048 Lansing, MI 48909
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A. Regular Meetings MCL 552.504a(1)

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| 1. <u>Number</u>

<input type="checkbox"/> Less than 6
<input type="checkbox"/> 6
<input type="checkbox"/> 7 to 12
<input type="checkbox"/> 13 or more | 2. <u>Frequency</u>

<input type="checkbox"/> weekly
<input type="checkbox"/> bi-weekly
<input type="checkbox"/> monthly
<input type="checkbox"/> bi-monthly
<input type="checkbox"/> other (specify) | 3. <u>Advice Given to County Board and Court</u>

a. Minutes:
<input type="checkbox"/> were submitted to county board after each meeting.
<input type="checkbox"/> were not submitted to county board after each meeting. (Explain below)

b. The court and county board were advised on the office of the friend of the court's duties and performance by: (Attach reports or summary of information)
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B. Investigation of Grievances

1. Party Request MCL 552.526(3) (Attach SCAO 28b)
- Informal hearings were held. Number of hearings held: _____
- Formal hearings were held. Number of hearings held: _____
- Subcommittee(s) were created to review grievances
2. Randomly Selected MCL 552.526(4) (Attach SCAO 28c) (Describe below the procedure for randomly selecting grievances)
3. Decisions Allegedly Based on Gender Rather than Best Interests of the Child MCL 552.526(5) (Attach SCAO 28c)

C. Citizen Advisory Committee Functions

1. List any services provided by the Citizen Advisory Committee not addressed in Parts A. and B. above.
2. The efficiency of the Citizen Advisory Committee's activities and functioning, and the satisfaction of users of the Committee's services, were impeded by the following problems: MCL 552.519(3)(d)(iii)