



COUNTY LEGISLATURE JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

MARY JO SPINO

CLERK OF THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

415 East 12th Street
Kansas City, MO 64106

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March 1, 2024 – March 7, 2024

3-01-2024 Friday

NO MEETINGS –

3-04-2024 Monday

NO ANTI-CRIME, DIVERSITY, EQUITY, & INCLUSION,
HOUSING & HOMELESSNESS, PUBLIC WORKS, RULES,
OR 911 OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE MEETINGS

10:30 A.M.

Health & Environment Committee Meeting –
Jackson County Courthouse, 415 East 12th Street,
2nd Floor, Kansas City Legislative Assembly Area

The Health & Environment Committee will have a public
hearing.

1:55 P.M.

Finance & Audit Committee Meeting –
Jackson County Courthouse, 415 East 12th Street,
2nd Floor, Kansas City Legislative Assembly Area

2:05 P.M.

Inter-Governmental Affairs Committee Meeting –
Jackson County Courthouse, 415 East 12th Street,
2nd Floor, Kansas City Legislative Assembly Area

2:10 P.M.

Veterans Committee Meeting –
Jackson County Courthouse, 415 East 12th Street,
2nd Floor, Kansas City Legislative Assembly Area

2:30 P.M.

Land Use Committee Meeting –
Jackson County Courthouse, 415 East 12th Street,
2nd Floor, Kansas City Legislative Assembly Area

2:40 P.M.

Justice & Law Enforcement Committee Meeting –
Jackson County Courthouse, 415 East 12th Street,
2nd Floor, Kansas City Legislative Assembly Area

2:45 P.M. Budget Committee Meeting –
Jackson County Courthouse, 415 East 12th Street,
2nd Floor, Kansas City Legislative Assembly Area

3:00 P.M. LEGISLATIVE MEETING –
Jackson County Courthouse, 415 East 12th Street,
2nd Floor, Kansas City Legislative Assembly Area

3-05-2024 Tuesday NO MEETINGS –

3-06-2024 Wednesday NO MEETINGS –

3-07-2024 Thursday 11:00 A.M. University of Missouri presentation on Labor Law
Jackson County Courthouse, 415 East 12th Street,
2nd Floor, Kansas City Legislative Assembly Area

Persons with disabilities wishing to participate in the above meetings and who require reasonable accommodation may call the County Clerk’s Office at 881-3242 or 1-800-735-2466 (Missouri Relay). Forty-eight (48) hours’ notice is required. To put information on the Activity Calendar, please contact the County Clerk’s Office by NOON Wednesday of each week.

IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

AN ORDINANCE repealing sections 9103. and 9104., Jackson County Code, 1984, relating to the Board of Equalization, and enacting, in lieu thereof, two new sections relating to the same subject, with an effective date.

ORDINANCE NO. 5823, December 18, 2023

INTRODUCED BY Sean E. Smith, County Legislator

BE IT ORDAINED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri as follows:

Section A. Enacting Clause. Sections 9103. and 9104., Jackson County Code, 1984, are hereby repealed and two new sections enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as sections 9103. and 9104., to read as follows:

9103. Salary

Those permanent members of the Board of Equalization who are appointed by the County Executive [by reason of Subsection 1 of Section 1 of Article XI] under Article XI, Section 1, Subsection 1 of the Jackson County Charter shall each receive a salary of one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500) per month that the Board of Equalization is in session less than an average of three days per week, except that they shall receive compensation of [three] four thousand dollars [(\$3,000)] (\$4000) per month that the Board of Equalization is in session for an average of more than 3 days per week [for the months of July and August and except that such members shall receive four thousand dollars (\$4,000) per month for the months of September, October, November and December, 2019]. No compensation shall be payable to any member for any month in which that member does not personally attend a meeting of the Board.

9104. Compensation

Those members of the Board of Equalization appointed under [Subsections 2 and 3 of Section 1 of] Article XI, Section 1, Subsections 2 and 3 of the Jackson County Charter, who are eligible to receive compensation from Jackson County, shall each receive compensation of one hundred fifty dollars (\$150) per meeting that they attend and cast a vote in[, except that such members shall receive compensation of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250) per meeting for meetings held in calendar year 2019 after the effective date of Ordinance 5249].

Effective Date: This ordinance upon final adoption shall be effective Sept 1, 2023.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Bryan O Worsky

County Counselor

I hereby certify that the attached Ordinance, Ordinance No. 5823 introduced on December 18, 2023, was duly passed on _____, 2023 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas _____

Nays _____

Abstaining _____

Absent _____

This Ordinance is hereby transmitted to the County Executive for his signature.

Date

Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of the Legislature

I hereby approve the attached Ordinance No. 5823.

Date

Frank White, Jr., County Executive

IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION authorizing the County Counselor to execute a Legal Services Agreement and Addendums to existing Legal Services Agreements with certain lawyers and law firms at an aggregate cost to the County not to exceed [\$92,000.00] \$142,000.00, for services to be performed in 2024.

RESOLUTION NO. 21560, February 26, 2024

INTRODUCED BY Megan L. Marshall, County Legislator

WHEREAS, the County Counselor recommends that he be authorized to execute a Legal Services Agreement and Addendums to existing Legal Services Agreements with certain lawyers and law firms to provide legal services to the County in certain new and ongoing matters; and,

WHEREAS, the Lawyers and law firm for which Agreements and Addendums are recommended, the services to be provided, and not to exceed amounts for services to be performed in 2024, are as follows:

<u>Lawyer/Law Firm</u>	<u>Matter</u>	<u>Amount</u>
William G. Snyder Independence, MO	Assessment, Collection, and Recorder of Deeds Issues	\$42,000.00
Julianne Story Husch Blackwell Kansas City(Jackson County), MO	Employment Expertise	\$50,000.00
<u>Cheri Simpkins</u> <u>Lee's Summit, MO</u>	<u>Merit Commission</u> <u>Board of Equalization</u>	<u>\$50,000.00</u>
	Total	<u>[\$92,000.00]</u> <u>\$142,000.00</u>

now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri, that the County Counselor be and hereby is authorized to execute a Legal Services Agreement and Addendums to the existing Legal Services Agreements with the lawyers and/or law firms identified in this Resolution, for a term ending December 31, 2024, at an aggregate cost to the County not exceed [\$92,000.00] \$142,000.00; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Director of the Department of Finance and Purchasing be and hereby is authorized to make all payments, including final payments, on the Agreement and Addendums.

Effective Date: This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage by a majority of the Legislature.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Bryan D Wonsky

County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution No. 21560 of February 26, 2024, was duly passed on _____, 2024 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas _____

Nays _____

Abstaining _____

Absent _____

Date

Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature

There is a balance otherwise unencumbered to the credit of the appropriation to which the expenditure is chargeable and there is a cash balance otherwise unencumbered in the treasury to the credit of the fund from which payment is to be made each sufficient to provide for the obligation herein authorized.

ACCOUNT NUMBER: 001 1101 56020
ACCOUNT TITLE: General Fund
County Counselors
Legal Services
NOT TO EXCEED: [\$92,000.00] \$142,000.00

02/28/2024

Date

Sylvia Stevenson

Sylvia Stevenson (Feb 28, 2024 20:39 CST)

Chief Administrative Officer

Fiscal Note:

This expenditure was included in the Annual Budget.

PC# _____

Date: February 28, 2024

Resolution

21560 - Amendment

21560

Org Code/Description

Object Code/Description

Not to Exceed

001 General Fund

1101 County Counselor

56020 Legal Services

\$ 142,000

APPROVED

By David Moyer at 1:54 pm, Feb 28, 2024

\$ 142,000

Budget Office

IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION expressing the intent of the Legislature to direct the Chief Lobbyist to advocate to the Missouri General Assembly in support of reproductive rights and funding for family planning clinics.

RESOLUTION NO. 21562, March 4, 2024

INTRODUCED BY Manuel Abarca IV, County Legislator

WHEREAS, by Resolution 20841, dated December 13, 2021, the Legislature awarded an eleven-month contract with two twelve-month options to extend Fred Dreiling, LLC, of Kansas City (Jackson County) MO, to serve as the Legislature's Chief Lobbyist; and,

WHEREAS, in this capacity, the Chief Lobbyist's responsibilities include assessing the current political climate in the State of Missouri, recommending appropriate strategies that would benefit the County, informing the Legislature on all pertinent legislative issues, and providing lobbying service as requested; and,

WHEREAS, The Legislature desires to direct the Chief Lobbyist to advocate in support of reproductive rights and access to abortions and other medically necessary procedures to protect the sanctity of a woman's bodily autonomy, and the support of funding Planned Parenthood clinics; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri, that the Legislature does hereby direct the Chief Lobbyist to advocate in support of abortion rights and access to abortion and other medically necessary procedures in regard woman's bodily autonomy.

Effective Date: This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage by a majority of the Legislature.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Bryan Covinsky
Bryan Covinsky (Feb 28, 2024 16:34 CST)

County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution No. 21562 of March 4, 2024, was duly passed on _____, 2024 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas _____

Nays _____

Abstaining _____

Absent _____

Date

Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature



Jackson County, Missouri

Request for Legislative Action

REQUESTED MEETING DATE: 03/04/2024 **SPONSOR:** Manuel Abarca IV

To be completed by the County Counselor's Office:

NUMBER: 21562 **ASSIGNED MEETING DATE:** 03/04/2024

STAFF CONTACT: Rebeca Amezcua-Hogan **PHONE:** 816-881-3466

EMAIL: RAmezcua-Hogan@jacksongov.org

DEPARTMENT: Legislature

TITLE: A RESOLUTION expressing the intent of the Legislature to direct the Chief Lobbyist to advocate to the Missouri General Assembly in support of reproductive rights and funding for family planning clinics.

SUMMARY:

By Resolution 20841, dated December 13, 2021, the Legislature awarded an eleven-month contract with two twelve-month options to extend Fred Dreiling, LLC, of Kansas City (Jackson County) MO, to serve as the Legislature’s Chief Lobbyist.

In this capacity, the Chief Lobbyist’s responsibilities include assessing the current political climate in the State of Missouri, recommending appropriate strategies that would benefit the County, informing the Legislature on all pertinent legislative issues, and providing lobbying service as requested.

The Legislature desires to direct the Chief Lobbyist to advocate in support of reproductive rights and access to abortions and other medically necessary procedures to protect the sanctity of a woman’s bodily autonomy, and the support of funding planned parenthood clinics.

FINANCIAL IMPACT: NO
YES

Amount	Fund	Department	Line-Item Detail
_____	_____	_____	_____

ACTION NEEDED: COURTESY (NO LEGAL IMPACT)

ATTACHMENT(S): N/A

IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION recognizing the heroic efforts of Mike Aciego to assist Jenipher Cabrera, who was shot near Union Station on February 14, 2023, during the Kansas City Chiefs Championship Parade.

RESOLUTION NO. 21563, March 4, 2024

INTRODUCED BY Manuel Abarca IV, County Legislator

WHEREAS, on February 14, 2024, a shooting occurred near Union Station during the Kansas City Chiefs' Championship Parade, injuring Jenipher Cabrera, a college student who was attending the parade with her family; and,

WHEREAS, amidst the chaos and danger, Mike Aciego demonstrated exceptional bravery and selflessness by immediately rushing to aid Jenipher Cabrera until emergency help arrived; and,

WHEREAS, Mike Aciego's quick thinking, courage, and decisive actions played a crucial role in stabilizing the situation and providing assistance to Jenipher Cabrera during a critical moment of need; and,

WHEREAS, Mike Aciego's unwavering commitment to the safety and well-being of others exemplifies the highest ideals of heroism and altruism; and,

WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper for this body to recognize and honor individuals like Mike Aciego, whose extraordinary acts of bravery and compassion serve as an inspiration to us all; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri that the Legislature hereby recognizes and commends Mike Aciego for his exceptional bravery, selflessness, and compassionate actions, and extends its deepest gratitude for his service to our community.

Effective Date: This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage by a majority of the Legislature.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Bryan Covinsky
Bryan Covinsky (Feb 28, 2024 16:34 CST)

County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution No. 21563 of March 4, 2024, was duly passed on _____, 2024 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas _____

Nays _____

Abstaining _____

Absent _____

Date

Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature



Jackson County, Missouri

Request for Legislative Action

REQUESTED MEETING DATE: 02/26/2024 **SPONSOR:** Manuel Abarca IV

To be completed by the County Counselor's Office:

NUMBER: 21563 **ASSIGNED MEETING DATE:** 03/04/2024

STAFF CONTACT: Rebeca Amezcua-Hogan **PHONE:** 816.881.3466

EMAIL: ramezcua-hogan@jacksongov.org

DEPARTMENT: County Legislature

TITLE: Recognizing the heroic actions made by Mike Aciego who aided Jenipher Cabrera when shot at the Kansas City Superbowl Parade until help arrived.

SUMMARY:

<https://fox4kc.com/news/drive-by-shooting-victim-near-chiefs-rally-was-parade-goer/>

FINANCIAL IMPACT: NO

YES

Amount

Fund

Department

Line-Item Detail

ACTION NEEDED: COURTESY (NO LEGAL IMPACT)

ATTACHMENT(S):

IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION recognizing the heroic efforts of Sasha Gallardo Krough to assist Jenipher Cabrera, who was shot near Union Station on February 14, 2023, during the Kansas City Chiefs Championship Parade.

RESOLUTION NO. 21564, March 4, 2024

INTRODUCED BY Manuel Abarca IV, County Legislator

WHEREAS, on February 14, 2024, a shooting occurred near Union Station during the Kansas City Chiefs' Championship Parade, injuring Jenipher Cabrera, a college student who was attending the parade with her family; and,

WHEREAS, amidst the chaos and danger, Sasha Gallardo Krough demonstrated exceptional bravery and selflessness by immediately rushing to aid Jenipher Cabrera until emergency help arrived; and,

WHEREAS, Sasha Gallardo Krough's quick thinking, courage, and decisive actions played a crucial role in stabilizing the situation and providing assistance to Jenipher Cabrera during a critical moment of need; and,

WHEREAS, Sasha Gallardo Krough's unwavering commitment to the safety and well-being of others exemplifies the highest ideals of heroism and altruism; and,

WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper for this body to recognize and honor individuals like Sasha Gallardo Krough, whose extraordinary acts of bravery and compassion serve as an inspiration to us all; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri that the Legislature hereby recognizes and commends Sasha Gallardo Krough for her exceptional bravery, selflessness, and compassionate actions, and extends its deepest gratitude for her service to our community.

Effective Date: This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage by a majority of the Legislature.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Bryan Covinsky

Bryan Covinsky (Feb 28, 2024 16:34 CST)

County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution No. 21564 of March 4, 2024, was duly passed on _____, 2024 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas _____

Nays _____

Abstaining _____

Absent _____

Date

Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature



Jackson County, Missouri

Request for Legislative Action

REQUESTED MEETING DATE: 02/26/2024 **SPONSOR:** Manuel Abarca IV

To be completed by the County Counselor's Office:

NUMBER: 21564 **ASSIGNED MEETING DATE:** 03/04/2024

STAFF CONTACT: Rebeca Amezcua-Hogan **PHONE:** 816.881.3466

EMAIL: ramezcua-hogan@jacksongov.org

DEPARTMENT: County Legislature

TITLE: Recognizing the heroic actions made by Sasha Gallardo Krough who aided Jenipher Cabrera when shot at the Kansas City Superbowl Parade until help arrived.

SUMMARY:

<https://fox4kc.com/news/drive-by-shooting-victim-near-chiefs-rally-was-parade-goer/>

FINANCIAL IMPACT: NO

YES

Amount

Fund

Department

Line-Item Detail

ACTION NEEDED: COURTESY (NO LEGAL IMPACT)

ATTACHMENT(S):

IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION recognizing the heroic efforts of John Krough to assist Jenipher Cabrera, who was shot near Union Station on February 14, 2023, during the Kansas City Chiefs Championship Parade.

RESOLUTION NO. 21565, March 4, 2024

INTRODUCED BY Manuel Abarca IV, County Legislator

WHEREAS, on February 14, 2024, a shooting occurred near Union Station during the Kansas City Chiefs' Championship Parade, injuring Jenipher Cabrera, a college student who was attending the parade with her family; and,

WHEREAS, amidst the chaos and danger, John Krough demonstrated exceptional bravery and selflessness by immediately rushing to aid Jenipher Cabrera until emergency help arrived; and,

WHEREAS, John Krough's quick thinking, courage, and decisive actions played a crucial role in stabilizing the situation and providing assistance to Jenipher Cabrera during a critical moment of need; and,

WHEREAS, John Krough's unwavering commitment to the safety and well-being of others exemplifies the highest ideals of heroism and altruism; and,

WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper for this body to recognize and honor individuals like John Krough, whose extraordinary acts of bravery and compassion serve as an inspiration to us all; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri that the Legislature hereby recognizes and commends John Krough for his exceptional bravery, selflessness, and compassionate actions, and extends its deepest gratitude for his service to our community.

Effective Date: This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage by a majority of the Legislature.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Bryan Covinsky
Bryan Covinsky (Feb 28, 2024 16:34 CST)
County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution No. 21565 of March 4, 2024, was duly passed on _____, 2024 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas _____

Nays _____

Abstaining _____

Absent _____

Date

Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature



Jackson County, Missouri

Request for Legislative Action

REQUESTED MEETING DATE: 02/26/2024 **SPONSOR:** Manuel Abarca IV

To be completed by the County Counselor's Office:

NUMBER: 21565 **ASSIGNED MEETING DATE:** 03/04/2024

STAFF CONTACT: Rebeca Amezcua-Hogan **PHONE:** 816.881.3466

EMAIL: ramezcua-hogan@jacksongov.org

DEPARTMENT: County Legislature

TITLE: Recognizing the heroic actions made by John Krough who aided Jenipher Cabrera when shot at the Kansas City Superbowl Parade until help arrived.

SUMMARY:

<https://fox4kc.com/news/drive-by-shooting-victim-near-chiefs-rally-was-parade-goer/>

FINANCIAL IMPACT: NO

YES

Amount

Fund

Department

Line-Item Detail

ACTION NEEDED: COURTESY (NO LEGAL IMPACT)

ATTACHMENT(S):

IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION recognizing the heroic actions of Trey Filter at the Kansas City Chiefs' Championship Parade and Rally on February 14, 2024.

RESOLUTION NO. 21566, March 4, 2024

INTRODUCED BY Manuel Abarca IV and DaRon McGee, County Legislators

WHEREAS, a senseless act of violence at Kansas City's Union Station following the Championship Rally celebrating the Kansas City Chiefs' victory in Super Bowl LVIII occurred on Wednesday, February 14, 2024; and,

WHEREAS, in the face of imminent danger, Trey Filter displayed extraordinary courage, selflessness, and quick thinking by fearlessly tackling and apprehending the shooter, thereby preventing further harm to innocent bystanders; and,

WHEREAS, Trey Filter's heroic actions undoubtedly saved lives and demonstrated an unwavering commitment to the safety and well-being of his fellow citizens; and,

WHEREAS, Trey Filter's exceptional bravery and decisive intervention exemplify the indomitable spirit and resilience of humanity in times of crisis; and,

WHEREAS, it is incumbent upon this body to honor and celebrate individuals like Trey Filter, whose valorous deeds exemplify the highest ideals of heroism and civic duty; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri that the

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri that the Legislature hereby recognizes and commends Trey Filter for his outstanding bravery, selflessness, and heroism in the face of adversity, and extends its deepest gratitude for his service to our community.

Effective Date: This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage by a majority of the Legislature.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Bryan Covinsky

Bryan Covinsky (Feb 28, 2024 16:34 CST)

County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution No. 21566 of March 4, 2024, was duly passed on _____, 2024 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas _____

Nays _____

Abstaining _____

Absent _____

Date

Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature



Jackson County, Missouri

Request for Legislative Action

REQUESTED MEETING DATE: 02/26/2024 **SPONSOR:** Manuel Abarca IV

To be completed by the County Counselor's Office:

NUMBER: 21566 **ASSIGNED MEETING DATE:** 03/04/2024

STAFF CONTACT: Rebeca Amezcua- Hogan **PHONE:** 8168813466

EMAIL: ramezcua-hogan@jacksongov.org

DEPARTMENT: County Legislature

TITLE: Celebrating the heroic actions of Trey Filter who tackled and stopped a shooter at the Kansas City Super Bowl Parade.

SUMMARY:

<https://www.newsweek.com/paul-contreras-kansas-city-shooting-suspect-hero-tackled-1870133>

<https://people.com/man-who-tackled-suspected-kansas-city-chiefs-parade-shooting-gunman-speaks-out-8582147>

FINANCIAL IMPACT: NO

YES

Amount

Fund

Department

Line-Item Detail

ACTION NEEDED: COURTESY (NO LEGAL IMPACT)

ATTACHMENT(S):

IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION recognizing the heroic actions of Paul Contreras at the Kansas City Chiefs' Championship Parade and Rally on February 14, 2024.

RESOLUTION NO. 21567, March 4, 2024

INTRODUCED BY Manuel Abarca IV and DaRon McGee, County Legislators

WHEREAS, a senseless act of violence at Kansas City's Union Station following the Championship Rally celebrating the Kansas City Chiefs' victory in Super Bowl LVIII occurred on Wednesday, February 14, 2024; and,

WHEREAS, in the face of imminent danger, Paul Contreras displayed extraordinary courage, selflessness, and quick thinking by fearlessly tackling and apprehending the shooter, thereby preventing further harm to innocent bystanders; and,

WHEREAS, Paul Contreras's heroic actions undoubtedly saved lives and demonstrated an unwavering commitment to the safety and well-being of his fellow citizens; and,

WHEREAS, Paul Contreras's exceptional bravery and decisive intervention exemplify the indomitable spirit and resilience of humanity in times of crisis; and,

WHEREAS, it is incumbent upon this body to honor and celebrate individuals like Paul Contreras, whose valorous deeds exemplify the highest ideals of heroism and civic duty; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri that the

Legislature hereby recognizes and commends Paul Contreras for his outstanding bravery, selflessness, and heroism in the face of adversity, and extends its deepest gratitude for his service to our community.

Effective Date: This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage by a majority of the Legislature.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Bryan Covinsky

Bryan Covinsky (Feb 28, 2024 16:34 CST)

County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution No. 21567 of March 4, 2024, was duly passed on _____, 2024 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas _____

Nays _____

Abstaining _____

Absent _____

Date

Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature



Jackson County, Missouri

Request for Legislative Action

REQUESTED MEETING DATE: 02/26/2024 **SPONSOR:** Manuel Abarca IV

To be completed by the County Counselor's Office:

NUMBER: 21567 **ASSIGNED MEETING DATE:** 03/04/2024

STAFF CONTACT: Rebeca Amezcua- Hogan **PHONE:** 8168813466

EMAIL: ramezcua-hogan@jacksongov.org

DEPARTMENT: County Legislature

TITLE: Celebrating the heroic actions of Paul Contreras who tackled and stopped a shooter at the Kansas City Super Bowl Parade.

SUMMARY:

<https://www.newsweek.com/paul-contreras-kansas-city-shooting-suspect-hero-tackled-1870133>

<https://people.com/man-who-tackled-suspected-kansas-city-chiefs-parade-shooting-gunman-speaks-out-8582147>

FINANCIAL IMPACT: NO

YES

Amount

Fund

Department

Line-Item Detail

ACTION NEEDED: COURTESY (NO LEGAL IMPACT)

ATTACHMENT(S):

IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION recognizing Heartland Women in Trades and the contributions of all tradeswomen in the Kansas City metropolitan area during National Women in Construction Week, March 4 – 10, 2024.

RESOLUTION NO. 21568, March 4, 2024

INTRODUCED BY Manuel Abarca IV, County Legislator

WHEREAS, National Women in Construction Week, March 4 – 10, 2024, underscores the importance of gender diversity in the workplace, ensuring that women have equal opportunities in non-traditional careers and encourages more women to join the trades; and,

WHEREAS, with the employment of a more diverse workforce there has been greater increase in productivity, profitability, and retention; and,

WHEREAS, women and women of color make significant contributions to our communities and should receive equal and equitable opportunities; and,

WHEREAS, rising costs of higher education and workforce training make registered apprenticeship an increasingly important and affordable career training pathway for our community, allowing women to participate fully and equally in our country's growing economy; and,

WHEREAS, apprenticeships, particularly in fields like construction where women often women of color, have historically been excluded, offer a gateway to the middle-class; and,

WHEREAS, apprenticeship is a critical pathway for women and women of color to participate fully and equally in our community's economic growth; and,

WHEREAS, Heartland Women in Trades dedicate themselves to educating organizing, and mentoring tradeswomen; and,

WHEREAS, Heartland Women in Trades offer knowledge and skill building empowering women to be successful in these fields; and,

WHEREAS, Heartland Women in Trades provides a critical pipeline that can aid in addressing some of our local and national workforce challenges; and,

WHEREAS, Heartland Women in Trades advocates to diversity the culture of the construction and manufacturing industries; and,

WHEREAS, Heartland Women in Trades dedicates itself as being a community space that supports women within all facts of the construction industry and in the Heartland community; and,

WHEREAS, the County Legislature recognizes the valuable contributions of Heartland Women in Trades members: Pam Nolte, Treasurer, Plumbers #8, Emily Snyder, President, IBEW #124, Kelly McClellen, Secretary, IUOE #101, Paula Winkler, Sergeant at Arm, Laborers #264, Tina Read, Vice President, OPCMIA #518, Alise Martiny,

OPCMIA #518, Bethann Evans, IUOE #101, Cindy Frank, Carpenters# 945, Crystal Spratley, UA, Dianna King, IBEW #124, Monica Confer, IUOE #101, Paige Underhill, OPCMIA #518, Tina Richard, IBEW #124, Tina Shonk-Little, IUOE #101, and Whitney Chandler, OPCMIA #518; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri that the Legislature hereby extends its deepest appreciation and commendation to Heartland Women of Trades during the National Women in construction Week, March 4 – 10, 2024.

Effective Date: This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage by a majority of the Legislature.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Bryan Covinsky
Bryan Covinsky (Feb 28, 2024 16:34 CST)

County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution No. 21568 of March 4, 2024, was duly passed on _____, 2024 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas _____

Nays _____

Abstaining _____

Absent _____

Date

Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature

IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION congratulating Vicki Turnbow on the occasion of her retirement as the Executive Director of the Raytown Chamber of Commerce.

RESOLUTION NO. 21569, March 4, 2024

INTRODUCED BY Donna Peyton, County Legislator

WHEREAS, Vicki Turnbow has served as President of the Raytown Chamber of Commerce with dedication and excellence since 2007, fostering growth and prosperity within the Raytown community; and,

WHEREAS, prior to her tenure as President, Vicki contributed her talents and leadership skills as the Administrator of the Lake Winnebago Homeowners Association, and as the Membership Manager for the Raytown Chamber of Commerce from 2001 through 2004; and,

WHEREAS, throughout her distinguished career, Vicki has demonstrated exceptional professionalism and proficiency, serving as the Data Processing Manager for USA800 and excelling as an insurance underwriter for 14 years; and,

WHEREAS, Vicki's retirement marks the conclusion of an illustrious chapter in her career, during which she has positively impacted the lives of countless individuals and businesses in Jackson County through her tireless efforts and unwavering commitment to excellence; and,

WHEREAS, Vicki will be dearly missed by all who have had the privilege of working along side her, as she is not only a great communicator, but also possesses remarkable organizational skills and an unparalleled ability to develop productive working relationships; and,

WHEREAS, Vicki's caring nature and passion for her work have been evident in every endeavor she has undertaken, and her energetic leadership style has brought people together, fostering collaboration and innovation within our community; and,

WHEREAS, Vicki's exceptional business acumen, particularly in areas related to return on investment and budget planning, has contributed significantly to the economic prosperity and growth of the Raytown Chamber of Commerce and the broader Jackson County region; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri that the Legislature hereby extends its heartfelt congratulations and deepest appreciation to Vicki Turnbow on the occasion of her well-deserved retirement, and expresses gratitude for her outstanding contributions to the Raytown Chamber of Commerce and the entire Jackson County community.

Effective Date: This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage by a majority of the Legislature.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Bryan D. Worsley

County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution No. 21569 of March 4, 2024, was duly passed on _____, 2024 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas _____

Nays _____

Abstaining _____

Absent _____

Date

Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature