

## Kansas Child Support Guidelines Committee

Meeting location: Fatzner Courtroom	Attendees:		Y	N		Y	N
Date: 6/22/2018	Hon. Tom Foster, chair	X			Hon. Constance Alvey	X	
	Hon. Amy Harth	X			Carol Park		X
Time: 9:30 am – 3:00 pm	Sherri Loveland		X		Charlie Harris	X	
	Brian Mull		X		Trisha Thomas		X
	Marc White	X			Doni Mooberry		X
	Amy Fletcher	X			Michelle Slinkard	X	
	Amy Raymond, staff	X			Lana Walsh, staff	X	

### Action Items

<b>1</b>	Welcome & Introductions
<b>2</b>	<p>Overview of meeting schedule and travel reimbursement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A. Raymond discussed the meeting schedule for 2018-2019 review. Meeting appointments have been sent to committee member's calendars.</li> <li>• Members who live outside Topeka will be reimbursed mileage. If a member stays overnight, a hotel receipt must be attached to the reimbursement request.</li> </ul>
<b>3</b>	<p>Timeline for the 2018 review</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Identifying and prioritizing topics for review</li> <li>b) Establishing subcommittees</li> <li>c) Economic analysis               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A. Raymond will reach out to Dr. Jodi Pelkowski at Wichita State University to see if she is interested in working with the committee</li> <li>• If A. Raymond needs assistance with this issue, she will work with C. Harris</li> <li>• A. Raymond will notify the committee by email if and when Dr. Pelkowski commits</li> </ul> </li> <li>d) Analysis of case law and statutory changes impacting the guidelines</li> <li>e) Analysis of deviations and adjustments</li> <li>f) Initial recommendations to the Supreme Court</li> <li>g) Survey of judges, attorneys, and the public</li> <li>h) Formula and worksheet testing</li> <li>i) Final recommendations to the Supreme Court</li> <li>j) Approval and new Order from the Supreme Court</li> </ol>
<b>4</b>	<p>Topics to discuss during this review</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Income Tax Consideration update</li> <li>b) Incarcerated payors</li> <li>c) Equal Parenting Time (EPT)—high income preference, EPT for less than all of the children, negative orders when EPT credit is greater than child support</li> <li>d) Shared residency and the use of the multiple family adjustment</li> <li>e) "Nearly equal time"—should this be eliminated from the definition of shared residency</li> <li>f) Required findings with adjustments to the child support worksheet</li> <li>g) Child Support tables update</li> <li>h) Direct expenses—should cars be included?</li> <li>i) Spousal maintenance—no longer deductible</li> <li>j) Gross wages—guidance on which item on W2 should be used</li> <li>k) Child tax care credits—clarify to qualify for child care tax credit, the parent paying child care expenses must be the child's primary residential parent</li> <li>l) Affordable Care Act—repeal of individual mandate</li> <li>m) Simplification of the guidelines</li> </ol>

Action Items	
5	Other items for discussion

Outcomes	
Item #	Action

Next Meeting
Meeting location: Fatzer Courtroom
Date: 7/27/18
Time: 9:30 am – 3:00 pm