

## DRAFT FIFTH DISTRICT VICTIM RIGHTS COMMITTEE MEETING JUNE 18, 2025-PENDING APPROVAL

<b>Committee</b>	<b>Fifth District Victims' Rights Committee Meeting</b>
<b>Date Time Location</b>	jUNE 18, 2025 1:00-2:00 pm Virtual: <a href="https://utah-gov.zoom.us/j/83088568596?pwd=a01yjnMn0uMVqCFwBajj2xsUuyxuuz.1">https://utah-gov.zoom.us/j/83088568596?pwd=a01yjnMn0uMVqCFwBajj2xsUuyxuuz.1</a>
<b>Members Present</b>	Virtual Attendance: Susan Hunt, Thad Seegmiller, Sergeant Neil Smith, Von Christiansen, Chief Kyle Whitehead, Kristy Pike
<b>Staff &amp; Visitors</b>	<u>Staff</u> : Katie Fox <u>Visitors</u> : A.R.
<b>Agenda Item</b>	<b>Welcome &amp; Introductions/Establish Quorum and Approval of Minutes - Susan Hunt</b>
<b>Notes</b>	Susan Hunt welcomed the committee. Susan was unable to establish a quorum and approve the minutes from the December meeting.
<b>Agenda Item</b>	<b>Complaints</b>
<b>Notes</b>	<p><b>a. A.R.</b> The Committee discussed A.R.'s complaint. A.R. was present and spoke with the committee. A.R. told the committee that his complaint centers on several instances where they believe their rights as a victim were violated, leading to compound traumas elicited by interacting with criminal justice spaces. A.R. spoke about the Sentencing Hearing and how being in close proximity to the defendant was traumatic causing feelings of intimidation and powerlessness. A.R. also spoke of the ongoing fraud investigations related to the defendant. A.R. spoke of how they feel this violated their right to a speedy disposition of the criminal justice process. The committee discussed the definition of a victim in the victims' rights statutes and whether or not A.R. qualifies as a victim. Mr. Ryder expresses a desired outcome of the complaint to be accountability and systemic improvement of the criminal justice system.</p> <p><b>Motion:</b> No motion was made due to a lack of quorum.</p> <p><b>Action Item:</b> Katie Fox will send the recording of this meeting to the committee members who were not present for review prior to the next meeting.</p>
<b>Agenda Item</b>	<b>Other Business</b>
<b>Notes</b>	Susan Hunt is stepping down as the chair of the Fifth District. Katie Fox will be emailing the committee to assist with the reorganization of the committee to ensure functionality and efficiency of the committee.
<b>Agenda Item</b>	<b>Adjourn</b>
<b>Notes</b>	<p>The meeting is adjourned.</p> <p>Next Meeting: TBD</p> <p>Zoom link: <a href="https://utah-gov.zoom.us/j/83088568596?pwd=a01yjnMn0uMVqCFwBajj2xsUuyxuuz.1">https://utah-gov.zoom.us/j/83088568596?pwd=a01yjnMn0uMVqCFwBajj2xsUuyxuuz.1</a></p>