

DRAFT THIRD DISTRICT VICTIMS' RIGHTS COMMITTEE MEETING November 12, 2025-PENDING

Committee	Third District Victims' Rights Committee Meeting
Date Time Location	November 12, 2025 12:00-2:00 pm 350 E 500 S # 200 Salt Lake City, UT 84111; ZOOM Link: https://utah-gov.zoom.us/j/86287710268?pwd=UPkUJ2oalx3E8Ky0qKOBICdkq8bp38.1
Members Present	<u>Virtual Attendance</u> : Captain Pat Evans, Sheriff Paul Wimmer <u>In-Person Attendance</u> : Rachel Miller, Brandon Simmons, Vickie Walker, Doug Fawson, Wendy Isom
Staff & Visitors	<u>Staff</u> : Katie Fox <u>Visitors</u> : None
Agenda Item	Welcome & Introductions/Establish Quorum - Rachel Miller
Notes	Rachel Miller welcomed everyone to the November District Victims' Rights Committee meeting. A quorum was established. Motion : Brandon Simmons makes a motion to approve the October 8, 2025 meeting minutes as presented. Wendy Isom seconds the motion. The motion passes unanimously, None were opposed.
Agenda Item	New Complaints
Notes	<p>A. A.B. The Committee discussed A.B.'s complaint. Rachel Miller has reviewed the case files and spoke with some of the involved officers. A.B.'s grievances, while serious in their telling, did not correspond to any chargeable offense. A.B. alleged human trafficking, sex trafficking, and child abuse, suggesting Draper officers were covering for the National Guard. A.B.'s brother was a member of the National Guard, and A.B. has since been trespassed from their facility. A.B.'s case for human trafficking, which was reported to the Attorney General's office, has been closed. As a measure of due diligence, the Draper Police Department's community-oriented policing unit was tasked with contacting A.B. to review their reports.</p> <p>Motion: Rachel Miller made a motion to find that a victim's rights violation had not been alleged. Brandon Simmons seconds the motion. The motion passes. None were opposed.</p> <p>Action Items: Rachel Miller will draft a letter to A.B. informing them of the committee's determination. Katie Fox will send the letter and offer resources to A.B.</p> <p>B. T.T. The Committee discussed T.T.'s complaint. T.T. is a victim of stalking in two separate cases with different defendants. T.T.'s complaint focuses on the second, more recent case, citing insufficient follow-up, a lack of transparency from the prosecutor, and a diversion agreement being entered over the objection of T.T. Brandon Simmons provided context, noting that the victim's initial meeting with the prosecutor occurred very early in the legal process, "before the first scheduling conference," when a prosecutor would not have had an opportunity to review the case fully.</p> <p>Motion: Rachel Miller made a motion to hold the case until the December meeting to gather more information. Wendy Isom seconds the motion. The motion passes. None were opposed.</p> <p>Action Items: Rachel Miller will draft letters to the prosecutor and T.T. inviting them to the next meeting. Katie Fox will send the letters and coordinate their attendance.</p> <p>C. M.I. The Committee discussed M.I.'s complaint. The committee identified a similar complainant filed by M.I. from an August 2024 complaint related to an incident where her hair was cut. The</p>

	<p>current complaint lacks specificity; it provides no date for a new crime and does not allege a violation of a specific victim's right. It is viewed as an expression of general unhappiness with the previous complaint outcome.</p> <p>Motion: Brandon Simmons made a motion to close the complaint, finding that no new, specific violation of a victim's right had been alleged. Rachel Miller seconds the motion. The motion passes. None were opposed.</p> <p>Action Items: Rachel Miller will draft a letter to M.I. informing them of the committee's determination. The letter to the M.I. will state that they are welcome to submit a future complaint with additional specificity about recent incidents. Katie Fox will send the letter and offer resources to M.I.</p> <p>D. H.T. The Committee discussed H.T.'s complaint. H.T., is frustrated with a Jail Release Agreement (JRA). H.T. alleges that an individual under a JRA, which stipulated they could not enter his residence, subsequently entered the premises. The committee confirmed that a case was filed and a criminal protective order was put in place. The complainant was sent a copy of this order. The committee determined that if the perpetrator violated the JRA or the protective order by entering the residence, this constitutes a new crime. The proper course of action for H.T. is to report this new crime to the police.</p> <p>Motion: Brandon Simmons made a motion to find that a victim's rights violation had not been alleged. Wendy Isom seconds the motion. The motion passes. None were opposed.</p> <p>Action Items: Rachel Miller will draft a letter to A.B. informing them of the committee's determination. The letter will advise the complainant to report the violation of the protective order to the police. Katie Fox will send the letter and offer resources to H.T.</p> <p>E. T.M. The Committee discussed T.M.'s complaint. T.M., is the parent of a victim from a prior case where the committee found the District Attorney's office in violation. This new complaint concerns Judge Williams, who recently granted a civil stalking injunction against T.M. The injunction was filed by the defendant's mother from T.M.'s daughter's criminal case, who was upset that T.M. was discussing the perpetrator online. T.M. feels this violates her First Amendment rights. The committee discussed the jurisdictional boundary. While a judge is a member of the criminal justice system, their actions in a civil case—such as a civil stalking injunction—are not within the committee's purview. The committee's scope is limited to crime victims' rights in criminal proceedings. It was noted that the complainant had already been referred to the Judicial Conduct Commission to file a complaint against the judge.</p> <p>Motion: Brandon Simmons made a motion to find that a victim's rights violation had not been alleged. Brandon Rachel Miller seconds the motion. The motion passes. None were opposed.</p> <p>Action Items: Rachel Miller will draft a letter to T.M. informing them of the committee's determination. The letter will reiterate that complaints about judges in non-criminal matters can be made to the state bar and the Judicial Conduct Commission. Katie Fox will send the letter and offer resources to T.M.</p>
Agenda Item	Other Business
Notes	The Committee discussed new members. Rachel will reach out to a couple of city attorneys to see if they are able to attend now that we are meeting on Wednesdays.

	The Committee discussed the December meeting. The meeting room in UOVC is not available. The Committee decided the December meeting will be held virtually.
Agenda Item	Public Comment
	No public comment was given during the meeting.
Agenda Item	Adjourn
Notes	<p>Motion: Rachel Miller made a motion to adjourn. Wendy Isom seconded the motion. The committee is adjourned.</p> <p>Next Meeting: December 10, 2025 12:00-2:00 pm</p> <p>Zoom link: https://utah-gov.zoom.us/j/86287710268?pwd=UPkUJ2oalx3E8Ky0qKOBICdkq8bp38.1 </p>