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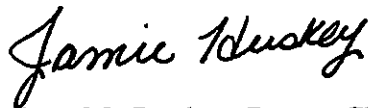
Discovery of Misappropriation of Funds at the McCracken County Clerk's Office

On Tuesday September 5th, the McCracken County Clerk's Office discovered a misappropriation of funds made by an employee who no longer works at the Clerk's Office. The discovery was made because of the diligence of the Clerk's Office staff, supervisors, and internal controls.

After internally reviewing the applicable records, several McCracken County agencies determined that the matter needed to be investigated by an independent law enforcement agency. The Attorney General's Office was contacted, and their Department of Criminal Investigations agreed to investigate the matter. The McCracken County Clerk's office, the McCracken County Attorney, and the Commonwealth Attorney for the Second Judicial Circuit are working together with the Attorney General's Office to ensure that a thorough investigation is conducted and that all appropriate action is taken.

Since this is an active investigation, the McCracken County Clerk's Office will not answer questions at this time. However, once the investigation is complete, the Clerk's Office will provide detailed information to the public and members of the press.

Sincerely,



Jamie Huskey, McCracken County Clerk