

## **Coroner Update**

**August 3, 2021**

**11:30 a.m.**

Present: Commissioner Stamper, Commissioner Pollock, Commissioner Swope, Becky Butler, Chris Panush, Warren McLeod, Katie Conradi, MayInDa Wilson, Daleyn Coleman, Michelle Sabin, Stephen Wilson, Michelle Sauter, Tammy Martin

Guest: Nic Scott

Recorder: Rieva Lester

Warren McLeod provided the following year-to-date statistics:

- Deaths: 533
- Homicides: 0
- Suicides: 5
- Accidental deaths: 16
- Undetermined: 3
- Pending: 8
- Drug-related: 8 confirmed, 6 pending

Commissioner Stamper proposed increasing the pay for the four casual positions by \$3 per hour for the remainder of the year and to do a “deep-dive” look at the rest of the office to determine whether to change the casual position(s) to part time or full time.

The commissioners further discussed the proposed salary increase.

Commissioner Stamper made a motion to increase the casual pay for the four part-time coroners by \$3 for the remainder of the year and to continue to reevaluate the personnel makeup during the regular budget process.

Commissioner Swope seconded.

Motion passed 3-0.

The commissioners agreed to set the start date as Aug. 16. Chris Panush said HR would draft a resolution for the increase.

Meeting ended at 11:42 a.m.