

**AGENDA # N.5**  
**Scio Township Board of Trustees**  
**Approval of Claim for Payment for Attorney Fees related to Case #2024-24F3-0828-FY**

**FOR MEETING DATE OF:** November 12, 2025

**PREPARED ON:** November 5, 2025

**PREPARED BY:** Jillian Kerry

**SUBMITTED BY:** Supervisor

**ITEM TYPE:** Possible Action

**BACKGROUND:**

This marks the fifth proposal for the Board of Trustees to approve payment to Jillian Kerry for reimbursement of legal defense fees incurred in connection with Case #2024-24F3-0828-FY.

The most recent payment was approved at the Board of Trustees meeting held on May 27, 2025 for March and April. Since that time, invoices have been submitted monthly to the Township Attorney for review and approval in accordance with Resolution 2025-18.

Please note that the attached report does not include the October invoice, which has not yet been received from the attorney's firm.

**RECOMMENDATION:** To approve the amounts set forth in Statement prepared by former Finance Manager Maute and Township Attorney Fink.

**MODEL MOTION:** To approve Resolution to Approve Claim for Payment for Attorney Services, as proposed

**ATTACHMENTS:**

[Resolution to Approve Claim for Payment for Attorney Fees Nov.12,2025.pdf](#)

[Reimbursements to Jillian Kerry for State of Michigan v Jillian Kerry.pdf](#)

[2025 18 Resolution Regarding Township Review of Attorney Fee Invoices.pdf](#)