



House of Representatives
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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Via Email

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Attorney General Gentner Drummond:

Recently, a federal appeals court ruled in favor of a family suing the Wagoner County sheriff's office after a man's death. Approximately July 1, 2019, Jeffery Krueger died during an altercation with Wagoner County deputies. Officers' statements indicated erratic driving as the probable cause for the stop. Reports show an altercation occurred between Krueger and deputies with the claim that Mr. Krueger was tased numerous times. It is alleged the altercation resulted in the death of Krueger.

This recent ruling from a federal court demonstrates that the Wagoner County petition for a grand jury contained sufficient evidence. It also reveals the improper influence of elected officials to stop the grand jury based on this evidence and other similar cases.

In another court-related incident, Special Judge Emily Mueller was found guilty of judicial misconduct and received a public reprimand by the Oklahoma Supreme Court. Justices wrote that Mueller's behavior erodes the public's confidence in the independence, integrity and impartiality of the judiciary. Her actions were described as biased, rude, unprofessional, undignified and discourteous and disrespectful in the treatment of certain attorneys and others.

Based on the revelations revealed in these current reviews of our Oklahoma judicial system, I feel that you no longer can avoid calling a multi-county grand jury. I encourage you to act swiftly in convening a multi-county grand jury to look into these and all other matters.

Sincerely,

Representative Justin J. Humphrey
House District 19