

# Boards & Commissions Per Diem and Mileage

Members of all boards, commissions, and authorities appointed by the Board of Commissioners shall be compensated for their attendance at meetings in accordance with the following policy:

## I. Board, Commission, and Authority Members Other Than County Commissioners

- a. Members of all boards, commissions, and authorities subject to appointment by the Board of Commissioners, other than members of the Board of Commissioners, shall be entitled to the approved per diem in accordance with an approved per diem schedule, and, in all cases, shall be entitled to mileage to and from any meeting at the standard rate mileage rate set by the Internal Revenue Service.
- b. For the purposes of this Policy, a meeting is limited to any regular or special meeting as defined in the by-laws or a meeting called by the chairman of the board, commission, or authority at the regular location of the board, commission, or authority.
- c. Per diem shall be equivalent to the currently approved rate adopted annually at the Board of Commissioners organizational meeting.

## II. Exclusion from Compensation, Employees, Other County Officials

- a. County officials, other than members of the Board of Commissioners, and County employees who serve on a board, commission, or authority established by the Board of Commissioners are entitled to mileage and necessary expenses for attending the meetings of the board, commission, or authority. However, no per diem shall be allowed for such attendance unless required by law or approved by the Board of Commissioners.

## III. Application of Policy

- a. To receive per diem and/or mileage, the chair of each applicable board, commission, or authority shall submit an attendance sheet to the County Administration Office following each applicable meeting that indicates which members were present and eligible to receive said per diem and/or mileage.
- b. This policy is not intended to affect in any way the compensation of members of the Board of Commissioners.

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