

John Kraft

From: Eller, Linda [Linda.Eller@hud.gov]
Sent: Thursday, December 13, 2012 2:51 PM
To: 'John Kraft'
Cc: Richardson, Elmore
Subject: RE: Edgar County Housing Authority

John Kraft,

After receiving your email, and after further discussion with our management staff, I was directed by Mr. Richardson to issue the following: The Housing Authorities Act (310 ILCS 10) from the Illinois Compiled Statutes supersedes the Title 24 Code of Federal Regulations as it relates to reimbursement for travel expenses for Commissioners. The Housing Authority was established by the County of Edgar, under Illinois law.

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From: John Kraft [mailto:john@heirloomvideography.net]
Sent: Wednesday, December 05, 2012 11:14 AM
To: Eller, Linda
Subject: Edgar County Housing Authority

Linda Eller,

I am the citizen that questioned the expenditures with the Edgar County Housing Authority.

Could you put me in contact with the legal department that advised: "Board of Commissioners can be reimbursed for travel expenses, even if the municipality or county has less than 25,000 inhabitants."?

I find it hard to believe this is possible, especially when Illinois Statute does not allow it, and would like to obtain that advice in writing.

This Housing Authority was established by the County of Edgar, under Illinois law (Housing Authorities Act - 310 ILCS 10) and is an Illinois Municipal Corporation..

Thanks,
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