## **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

Lycoming Law Association

FROM:

John P. Pietrovito, Chairperson

DATE:

January 14, 2019

RE:

Annual Report of the Legal Services for the Indigent Committee for 2018

The Legal Services for the Indigent Committee met once during calendar year 2018.

The following topics or issues were discussed at the meeting:

1. The recipient of the Thomas Wood, Jr., Equal Access to Justice Award was

discussed, but the name of the recipient will not be revealed until the Annual Banquet.

2. The Committee continued its practice of requesting that a \$500.00 donation

be made to a charitable organization in Lycoming County in the names of the attorneys

who participated in the Pro Bono Panel in 2018. Each attorney will receive a certificate

recognizing his or her participation in the Pro Bono Panel.

3. The Committee discussed whether or not the LLA should (a) recognize the

non-members of the LLA who participate in the Pro Bono Panel at the Annual Banquet and

(b) provide non-member participants with any type of financial reward such as a free or

reduced fee for an Eat and Earn Seminar. The Committee did not make a decision with

respect to its recommendation to the Executive Committee and it is doubtful that the

Committee will be able to meet again before the next meeting of the Executive Committee

on January 14, 2019