

## The Iowa Public Information Board

In re the Matter of:	Case Number: 25FC:0014
Michael Merritt, Complainant	Investigative Report
And Concerning:	
Jasper County, Respondent	

Under Iowa Admin. Code r. 497-2.2(4) the Board takes the following action:

- ☐ a. Redirect the matter for further investigation;
- ☒ b. Dismiss the matter for lack of probable cause to believe a violation has occurred;
- ☐ c. Make a determination that probable cause exists to believe a violation has occurred, but, as an exercise of administrative discretion, dismiss the matter; or
- ☐ d. Make a determination that probable cause exists to believe a violation has occurred, designate a prosecutor and direct the issuance of a statement of charges to initiate a contested case proceeding.

By the Board Chair

  
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Monica McHugh

### CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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Michael Merritt  
Jasper County