

Owen County Tourism & Convention Commission

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PRESS RELEASE

Owen County Tourism & Convention Commission resolve non-compliance with Department of Local Government

OWENTON, Ky. (Jan. 31, 2023)—On Wednesday, Jan. 25, 2023, the Owen County Tourism and Convention Commission was notified of a non-compliance notice issued by the Kentucky Department for Local Government (DLG). The notice states that the Commission failed to file several documents, including financial records, to the DLG's Special Purpose Government Entities (SPGE) online database.

Upon learning of the non-compliance notice, Commission members immediately went to work to rectify the issue, contacting a representative from DLG for assistance. They were promptly led to video training on the filing process. Less than 24 hours later, the Commission completed filing all documents in question and received notification Friday, Jan. 27, that the Kentucky Finance and Administration Cabinet had removed the hold placed on the Commission's state funding.

In the interest of full transparency, the Commission has published all documents listed in the non-compliance notice on its website at https://visitowencountyky.org/tourism-convention-commission.

The Owen County Tourism & Convention Commission meets at 9:30 a.m. on the third Monday of each month in the Owen County Chamber of Commerce Conference Room, 102 N. Main St., Owenton, KY 40359 (upstairs from Backwards Saddle Boutique). All meetings are open to the public, and all meeting dates for 2023 are published on the Commission's website.