

JUVENILE JUSTICE COORDINATING COUNCIL (JJCC)

MEETING AGENDA: April 15, 2024 @ 2:00 p.m.

JJC Courthouse 2nd Floor Conference Room – C243/244

- 1. Welcome / Call Meeting to Order**
- 2. Approval of minutes from November 13, 2023 meeting**
- 3. Review and approve updates to the Juvenile Justice Realignment Block Grant Plan**
- 4. Review and approve updates to the Juvenile Justice Crime Prevention Youth Offender Block Grant (JJCPA YOBG) Plan**
- 5. Announce Upcoming JJCC Bylaws Subcommittee meeting (May 2024)**
- 6. Announce upcoming JJCC Membership Subcommittee meeting (May 13, 2024 at 10:00 a.m.)**
- 7. Receive verbal reports and approve recommendations (if any), from the JJCC Subcommittees**
 - a. JJCC Phased Response Plan**
 - b. JJCC By-laws**
 - c. JJCC Membership**
 - d. Juvenile Justice Realignment**
- 8. Public Comment – This portion of the meeting is reserved for persons present, in-person and desiring to address the JJCC about matters within**

its jurisdiction, but not on today's agenda. Public comments are limited to three minutes per person.

The JJCC welcomes you to this meeting and encourages your participation. This agenda contains a brief general description of each item to be considered. The Chair will call for public comment as each item is heard, for those who are present in the meeting and wish to speak to an individual item. If you wish to speak on a matter which does not appear on the agenda, you may do so during the Public Comment period.

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JUVENILE JUSTICE COORDINATING COUNCIL (JJCC)
MEETING AGENDA: November 13, 2023 @ 3:00 p.m.

Juvenile Justice Campus Courthouse
2nd Floor Conference Room C243/244
(2nd floor at the end of the courthouse hallway, room is at the very end)
3333 E. American Avenue, Bldg. 701

1. Welcome / Call Meeting to Order

Chief Probation Officer Kirk Haynes called the Juvenile Justice Coordinating Council (JJCC) meeting to order at 3:00 p.m.

Chief Haynes took roll and as of 3:01 p.m., a quorum of the JJCC membership was not yet present.

Introductions were made during the meeting. Juvenile Justice Campus Administration reps Deputy Chief (DC) David Ruiz and Assistant Deputy Chief (ADC) Kayatana Davis were introduced to the group.

As of 3:07 p.m. a quorum of the JJCC membership was present.

2. Review and approval of minutes from the April 17, 2023 meeting

Chief Haynes called for a review and comment of the minutes from the April 17th, 2024 JJCC meeting.

Motioned by: Debra Rush

Seconded by: Susan Murdoc

Vote by roll call: (12 members)

1. Chief Haynes, Probation
2. Fine Nai, CAO's Office
3. Judge Le Mon, Sup. Court
4. JoAnna Edwards, Public Defender's Office

5. Emma Rasmussen, DBH
6. Capt. Anthony Martinez, FPD
7. Philip Menchaca, FCSS
8. Marilyn Watts, Juvenile Justice Commission
9. Mark Salazar, Focus Forward
10. Susan Murdock, MHS
11. Debra Rush, BTC
12. Sergio Coronel

The item was opened for public comment, and no public comment was received.

Motion carries.

3. Receive verbal reports and approve recommendations (if any), from the JJCC Subcommittees:

a. JJCC Phased Response Plan –

DC Rosalinda Acosta is before the JJCC for an update. The Subcommittee will schedule meetings in January and March 2024.

ADC Nancy Dominguez presented to the JJC -part of the plan was to bring the MOU's current for unity court and BHC. Many items were outdated. They have been meeting consistently. Judge Le Mon provided some feedback regarding the updates. Progress has been made. Unity Court has come a long way.

The Diversion program was also discussed. Deputy Probation Officer (DPO) Julie Ramirez provided a summary of the program since its implementation in March 2023. This is pre-disposition program. There were 700 Misdemeanor citations and 80 percent have been eligible for diversion. Stats were provided to the group as to how the program is doing. The sentiment from the parents has been positive. The same feedback was received from the Community Based Organizations (CBO's). All misdemeanors are at the discretion of the Probation department in determining eligibility. Services in the

program are free. When referrals are made, DPO Ramirez looks for services provided in-house. Case Management is done by a DPO. If the youth is terminated unsuccessfully, they have an opportunity to petition the court.

Item was opened for public comment, and not public comment was received.

- b. **JJCC By-laws** – there will need to be some updates to the bylaws as there have been updates to the laws that affect the JJCC.

Item was opened for public comment, and not public comment was received.

- c. **JJCC Membership** – this subcommittee has not convened for some time. Chief Haynes shared that we will look at those members that have not attended the meetings and see if they are still interested in being on the subcommittee.

Item was opened for public comment, and not public comment was received.

- d. **Juvenile Justice Realignment** – DC Ruiz is before the JJCC: This subcommittee met on November 9th and it was well attended. The subcommittee discussed updates to the Juvenile Justice Realignment Plan.

January 25th will be the first meeting of the year.

Chief Haynes thanked DC Willits for the work done while she was the DC at the JJCC.

Public comment held. None received.

4. Discuss possible impacts of AB 505 Implementation

The Governor signed this assembly bill that affects the OYCR

The main purpose is to expand the ombudsmen and add both a chair and co-chair for the Realignment Subcommittee. As we move into the 2024 year and continue to work, Chief asks the group to consider being the co-chair and bring that name back to the JJCC next year.

The new law changes also state that the subcommittee is required to meet at least twice per year.

Chief also shared that the Bylaws will have to be updated.

Item was opened for public comment, and not public comment was received.

5. Announce JJCC Meeting Schedule for Calendar Year 2024 to be held quarterly (with the exception of May – this meeting will move to an April date) (February 29th, April 15th, August 22nd, November 7th)

Chief Haynes announced the 2024 JJCC Meeting Schedule.

Item was opened for public comment, and not public comment was received.

6. Public Comment – This portion of the meeting is reserved for persons present, in-person and desiring to address the JJCC about matters within its jurisdiction, but not on today's agenda. Public comments are limited to three minutes per person.

Chief Haynes discussed approval received from OYCR to help or sponsor up to 10 youth who will be going through transition. Chief Haynes thanked those that have helped with Letter of Interest. This is for Transition Services – it is specific to Secure Trak Youth and has to be used for transition services, to evaluate the success of community-based care. You must have an SYTF in order to get the funding. These funds can be used on youth while they are preparing to step down.

A copy of the letter will be sent.

Chief shared some operational interruptions within the Probation Department.

Item opened for public comment, and public comment was received by:

JoAnna Edwards:

The meeting was adjourned at 3:42 p.m.

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