

MINUTES

Criminal Justice Collaborating Council

August 26, 2015

1. **Call to Order**

Meeting was called to order by Judge Randy Koschnick at 12:05 p.m.

2. **Roll Call**

Members present: J. Blair Ward, Corporation Counsel; Ben Wehmeier, County Administrator; Jim Schroeder, County Board Chair; Martin Lastrilla, Department of Corrections; Carla Robinson, Clerk of Courts; Jeffrey De La Rosa, Public Defender's Office; Lynn Forseth, Jefferson County Literacy Council Director; John David, Watertown Mayor; Dr. Jeff Zaspel, Superintendent, Fort Atkinson School District; Kathi Cauley, Human Services Director and Randy Koschnick, Circuit Court Judge.

Members excused: Susan Happ

Members absent: Denis Sorensen, City of Waterloo Police Chief and Sheriff Paul Milbrath.

Others Present: Kristi Gusse, WCS; Sara Carpenter, WCS; Mia Riesebieter, WCS; James Feldman, WCS and Yelena Zarwell, Assistant Corporation Counsel

3. **Certification of compliance with Open Meetings Law Requirements**

Staff certified compliance with the open meetings law.

4. **Review and approve minutes from July 22, 2015 meeting**

A copy of the minutes was provided for the council to review.

Motion by David; Second by Schroeder to approve the minutes from the July 22, 2015 meeting as printed. (Ayes-All) Koschnick abstained. Motion Carried.

5. **Public Comment**

None

6. **Update on JCATC outcomes for 2014 and YTD 2015 to date (Sara Carpenter)**

Reports were provided for the Council to review. Carpenter reviewed the report. There are two participants approaching graduation. Carpenter will talk with these two individuals to see if they are willing come to a meeting to share their experience. No action taken.

7. **Update on SCRAM & Remote Breath (Sara Carpenter)**

Carpenter provided a compliance summary report on SCRAM for the Council to review. No action taken.

8. **Discussion and possible action on data gathering on local criminal re-offenders, including criminogenic needs, possibly from jail and/or Probation & Parole (Kathi Cauley, Jeff De La Rosa & Chief Deputy Parker)**

Cauley explained that they have started gathering data in the jail. The CJCC would like a quarterly report. No action taken.

9. **Coordination with Recidivism Council and other agencies**

Forseth explained that the Recidivism Council would like to present a report to the CJCC at a future meeting. No action taken.

10. **Discussion on heroin/opiates**

Schroeder asked if other communities have a strategy in place that Jefferson County might want to look at implementing to address the heroin problem. Cauley, De La Rosa and Lastrilla discussed different treatment options. Medication assisted treatment, including Suboxone and Vivatrol, along with therapy and the wraparound approach is offered through Human Services. Cauley said that there is a need for more treatment providers across the county. Lastrilla agreed. Carpenter said that participants need to off the medication before they can graduate from the program. Koschnick asked if law enforcement would carry information on

the services that Jefferson County offers for addicts and their families and hand it out to people in the community. No action taken.

11. Discussion and possible action on:

a. How to develop common messaging collaborative

This will be discussed at the next meeting. No action taken.

b. Educational presentations

This will be discussed at the next meeting. No action taken.

c. Recidivism Transition Form

Cauley will work with the jail on providing a quarterly report for the CJCC. No action taken.

d. Method for calculating time saved

DA Happ will work with Sara on this. This will be discussed at the next meeting. No action taken.

e. Waukesha County matrix for pay structures

A copy of the Waukesha County Alcohol Treatment Court Fee Assessment & Collection Summary Statistics form was provided for review. Carpenter and Gusse reviewed the process that Waukesha County uses. This will be discussed at the next meeting. No action taken.

f. Cost of drug court

Information regarding the projected cost of a drug court was provided for review. The estimated cost for 2016 is \$184,941. This would allow enough for approximately 15 drug cases. No action taken.

12. General discussion for long term objectives of the CJCC

No action taken.

13. Development of crime prevention fund in Governor's proposed budget. Appoint subcommittee?

Information from the Legislation Fiscal Bureau from the Joint Committee on Finance regarding Crime Prevention Funding Board was provided for review. Wehmeier reviewed the information. No action taken.

14. Agency Updates

None

15. Future meeting dates:

September 23, 2015

October 28, 2015

November 25, 2015

16. Tentative Future Agenda Items and Meeting Dates

- Approval of August 26, 2015 CJCC meeting minutes
- Update on JCATC outcomes for 2014 and YTD 2015 to date
- Update on pretrial SCRAM & Remote Breath
- Recidivism Council Presentation
- Discussion and possible action on how to develop a common messaging collaborative
- Discussion and possible action on method for calculating time saved
- Discussion and possible action on matrix for pay structures
- Discussion and possible action on starting a drug court in Jefferson County
- Discussion and possible action on educational presentations
- Update on recidivism transition form & quarterly reports

17. Adjourn

Motion made by Robinson; Second by De La Rosa to adjourn at 1:05 p.m.