

JOINT MEETING JUVENILE JUSTICE COMMISSION DELINQUENCY PREVENTION COMMISSION



Carole D'Elia Chair

SUMMARY OF MINUTES

July 19, 2016

PRESENT: Daniel Okada, Frederick Mills, Gwen Jackson-Tucker, Steve Streeter, Stephanie Nguyen, Hillary Gaines, Virginia Maulfair, Judge Boulware Eurie, Chris Johnson, Dawn Isais

ABSENT: Jane Claar, Dennis Dulay, Carole D'Elia

- 1. **CALL TO ORDER**: A quorum was present, and the meeting was convened at 10:08 a.m. Commissioner Daniel Okada welcomed participants.
- 2. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE MAY MEETING**: Commissioner Virginia Maulfair motioned to approve the June minutes; the motion was seconded by Commissioner Stephanie Nguyen. The minutes were unanimously approved with Commissioner Hillary Gaines abstaining from the vote.
- 3. ANNOUNCEMENTS: EMQ Families First is now Uplift Family Services.
- 4. Public Comments: None.
- 5. **COMMENTS FROM THE COURT:** Judge Boulware-Eurie noted the Crossover Youth Practice Model (CYPM) committee would be convening on Thursday, July 21st, from 1-4pm at the SCOE Event Center, 3661 Whitehead St. She extended an invitation to the Commissioners. The program is set to rollout October 17th.
- 6. **COMMENTS FROM PROBATION:** Chris Johnson noted the average daily population at the Youth Detention Facility is at an all-time low of 136. Bookings are also at their lowest count ever. We're continuing to see a downward trend. The AB12 numbers are remaining consistent. There are multiple reasons for the trend, between low bookings/citations, as well as many jurisdictions providing their own diversion programming. The judge mentioned the Commission should possibly look at formatting a formalized letter surveying local law enforcement agencies on their diversion programs, as well as request brochures and/or fliers explaining their diversion program options.
- 7. **COMMISSION BROCHURE/PLATFORM:** Commissioner Hillary Gaines discussed the CPSU Placement Unit at the Sacramento Children's Receiving Home and the possibility of youth's rights being violated. She noted youth having to sleep on the floor, not receiving change of clothing, etc.

She further explained that she felt youth may feel forced into accepting placements because of the conditions at the receiving home. She noted these issues should be taken under consideration with the commission. Judge Boulware-Eurie stated the CPSU is a unit within the Children's Receiving Home. It is emergency housing (23-hrs max) for youth awaiting placement. However, due to limited up-front emergency short-term holding prior to placement, the 23-hrs is being greatly surpassed. The commission decided to schedule a visit to the site for further discussion.

8. AGENDA BUILDING FOR FUTURE MEETINGS:

- Presentation by Victor Malin, Anti-Recidivism Coalition Director (Sacramento)
- Presentation by Chief Sanders

MEETING ADJOURN:

Commissioner Hillary Gaines moved that the meeting be adjourned at 10:55 a.m. Commissioner Stephanie Nguyen seconded the motion, which was approved unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,
Dawn Isais, Administrative Services Officer II

NEXT MEETING: Tuesday, August 16, 2016 – 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Juvenile Courthouse - Walter Barkdull Conference Room #391

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