



Sacramento County

Juvenile Delinquency Prevention Commission

ACTION SUMMARY

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 21, 2025 – 9:30:00 AM to 11:00 AM

Location: Juvenile Court House – 9605 Kiefer Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95827 – Room 391

Meeting Coordinator: Zyanya Perez, (916) 875-0320, probboardsupport@saccounty.gov

Meeting Material: The on-line version of the agenda and associated material is available at [Juvenile Delinquency Prevention Commission \(saccounty.gov\)](https://www.saccounty.gov/juvenile) or by contacting the meeting coordinator.

DPC Members:

Rejie Marie Baloyos	-	<i>Not Present</i>
Nadia Buron, 1 st Chair	-	<i>Present</i>
Jane Claar, 2 nd Chair	-	<i>Present</i>
Abel Diaz	-	<i>Present</i>
Dennis Dulay, Chair	-	<i>Present</i>
Heyman Matlock	-	<i>Not Present</i>
Rachel Stern	-	<i>Present</i>
Doug Ugarkovich	-	<i>Present</i>
Darryl Woo	-	<i>Present</i>

Advisory Members:

John Grimes, District Attorney's Office
Kristina Lindquist, Presiding Juvenile Judge
Brad Marietti, Chief Deputy of Juvenile Court Services
Kristalynn McDonald, Chief Deputy of the Youth Detention Facility
Reuben Moreno, Public Defender's Office
Michelle Morrow, Emeritus Commissioner
Jamal Rowe, Chief Probation Officer
Lynsey Semon, Chief Deputy of Juvenile Field Services
Julie Wherry, Assistant Chief Probation Officer
Jacqueline White, Sacramento County Office of Education (SCOE)
Tiffanie Synnott, Conflict Criminal Defenders
Darius Parakh, Amy Ghiorso, Marcia Rincon Gallardo, Office of Youth and Community Restoration (OYCR)

PARTICIPATE IN MEETING

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Meeting Called To Order: 9:35 AM

Agenda Item	Presenter(s)
1. Welcome, Introductions, and Chair Updates	Dennis Dulay, Chair
Chair called meeting to order and asked all in the room to introduce themselves. The Commission was reminded to respond to the meeting invites to ensure full quorum. Chair mentioned that the Delinquency prevention chairs were able to meet with SCOE and discuss becoming collaborative partners. SCOE gave a presentation on their re-entry program that was informative and highlighted partners that worked with SCOE.	
2. Review and Approval of July 15, 2025 Minutes	Dennis Dulay, Chair
Item #10 to be corrected. Approved with Recommended change: 1 st : Darryl Woo 2 nd : Nadia Buron AYES: Rachel Stern, Abel Diaz, Doug Ugarkovich, Jane Claar and Dennis Dulay NOES: None ABSTAIN: None Recusal: None (PER POLITICAL REFORM ACT (§ 18702.5.))	
3. ACTION ITEM: Update/Approve Bylaw Revisions	DPC Bylaw Workgroup
NO ACTION – Moved to January 20, 2026 meeting	
4. Juvenile Court Update	Judge Kristina Lindquist
Judge Lindquist provided an update on the construction project at juvenile court, reflecting that it is almost complete. The expected date to have all of juvenile in one building is January 20, 2026. A new Juvenile Youth room will be opening and the courts are working with DCFAS for the logistics and layout of the room.	
5. Probation Youth Detention Facility Update	CD McDonald
Youth Detention Facility's Chief Deputy McDonald gave an update on the population of the youth at the facility including an update on the success of the horticulture and youth council programs. The 2 nd Annual Church Camp finished and was equally successful. Chief McDonald reflected that they are actively working on opportunities for the youth to be able to attend classes and are in collaboration with SCOE. In addition, they are looking for an outside the facility NCCT program where the youth would be able to attend for the day.	
6. Probation Juvenile Courts Update	CD Marietti
Chief Deputy Marietti gave an update of the construction for juvenile court.	
7. Probation Juvenile Field Update	CD Semon
Chief Deputy Marietti also covered the Juvenile Field update: he reflected about the construction to bring all juvenile services under one roof.	
8. Juvenile Public Defender Update	Reuben Moreno, Public Defender's Office
Public Defender, Reuben Moreno went over the staff changes. They are currently collaborating with Conflict Criminal Defenders (CCD) to apply for a grant that will allow the youth to be able to have representation from	

the public defender's office and CCD. They are developing a "know your rights" campaign and are hoping to be able to go to schools to teach kids about their rights and guns. DPC 2 nd Chair Jane Claar reflected that DPC would like to attend one of these presentations.	
9. Conflict Criminal Defenders (CCD) Update	Tiffanie Synnott, Conflict Criminal Defenders
Tiffanie Synnott reported that more Conflict Criminal Defender attorneys have been brought on. The collaboration on the grant between public defender and CCD was mentioned.	
10. District Attorney's Office Update	John Grimes, District Attorney's Office
John Grimes reflected that in the month of November is when the Bar results are released and he hopes there will be more attorneys that join the juvenile unit.	
11. Sacramento County Office of Education (SCOE) Update	Jacqueline White, SCOE
Representative from SCOE was not in attendance	
12. Office of Youth and Community Restoration (OYCR) Update	Marcia Rincon Gallardo, Darius Parakh, Amy Ghiorso, OYCR
Representatives from OYCR were not in attendance	
13. Delinquency Prevention Program Discussion	Commission/Advisory Members
Chair discussed how they can better work, collaborate and be involved with partners. Chair asked commissioners to identify which organizations can be recognized as delinquency prevention programs in the community. Chair gave examples of possible partners, like PTA in schools or parent associations that would want to partner with DPC to further discuss delinquency prevention. Advisory members John Grimes from D.A Office and Reuben Moreno from Public Defender's office mentioned programs: Guns Information for Teens (GIFT) that provided the implications of gun related crimes, and a past truancy program that informed of consequences in addition to being able to speak with lawyers and officers. 2nd Chair, Jane Claar mentioned that perhaps there can be a discussion with SCOE to try to bring the truancy program back. Commissioner Abel Diaz reflected that relocation of youth from their environments should be included in the delinquency prevention discussion. Judge Lindquist mentioned that in addition to the agency partners, the DPC Commission should also have outside of the county connections.	
14. Future Agenda Topics	Jane Claar, Chair
• Bylaws Revision • Youth Grievances process in YDF • Update on the Delinquency Prevention Program • Meeting Frequency Discussion	
15. Public Comment	Jane Claar, Chair
None	

Adjournment: 10:28 am