

**Community Corrections** 

# County of Yolo

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Community Corrections Partnership (CCP)

### MINUTES

Monday, September 14, 2015, 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

County Administration Building
Atrium Training Room
625 Court St., Woodland CA 95695

CCP Members, Executive Committee:

Woodland Chief of Police, Dan Bellini, Public Defender, Tracie Olson, Under Sheriff Tom Lopez, Chief Probation Officer, Brent Cardall, District Attorney, Jeff Reisig, Assistant HHSA Director, Jill Cook, Court Executive Officer, Shawn Landry.

Voting Alternates/Staff Present:

Jim Provenza, Nate Palmer, Tom Schunte, Alissa Sykes, Pat Blacklock, Lisa Muller, Alison Book, Ryan Pistochini, Marc Nigel, Pete Smith, Maggi Schubert, Bruce Jones, Carrie Scarlata, Sara Gavin, Christina Andrade-Lemus, Carolyn West, Dotty Pritchard, Lisa Howard.

- Call to Order and Introductions The September 14, 2015, meeting of the Community Corrections Partnership (CCP) was called to order at 1:30 pm.
- 2. Approval of Agenda Motion: Jill Cook, Second Tracie Olson, Vote: Passes unanimously: 7:0
- 3. Approval of Minutes from August 10, 2015 Motion: Tracie Olson, Second Jeff Reisig, Vote: Passes unanimously 7:0
- Fiscal Year 2015/16 Budget Update (Pistochini) -

Voting members decided to carry the fund balance forward according to the original plan and keep balance of budget status quo.

- 5. Approve Chief Cardall to receive and administer the FY 2015/16 BSCC Recidivism Reduction Grant and awards (Action) (Cardall/Pistochini)
  - a. Only local community based service providers eligible:

All voting members were in support of Chief Cardall to administer the 15/16 Recidivism Reduction Grant funding for use with solely non-profit organizations. Motion: Tracie Olson, Second Jeff Reisig, Vote: Passes unanimously 7:0

- 6. Requests for funding: *Tabled* 
  - a. Sheriff Office Edovo Tablet Project (Action) (Requested Appropriation of \$25,000) (6 months, 40 tablets)
    - i. Currently Unfunded
  - b. Restore Police Department MOU Funding (Action) (Requested Appropriation of \$70,000
    - i. Currently Funded at \$330,000

Roundtable discussion with police agencies requesting additional funding. However, no motion was brought forward. Currently, funding will remain at \$330,000.

7. Justice Reinvestment Initiative Phase II Project Presentation (Michael Kane and Michael Collins with the Crime and Justice Institute and Amy Murphy of George Mason University

Mr. Kane presented a detailed PowerPoint presentation titled: Building a Responsive System. Mr. Kane explained in Phase II of Justice Reinvestment, technical assistance is focused on designing concrete objectives and tactics to implement the cost-savings strategies identified in Phase I. In addition to developing a work plan for implementation, technical assistance includes creating processes to track the effectiveness of the strategies and analysis.

Mr. Collins and Ms. Murphy gave an overview PowerPoint presentation that outlined each of the following assessment tools: Ohio Risk Assessment System (ORAS), Ohio Youth Assessment System (OYAS), Risk-Need-Responsivity (RNR), Soaring 2, and Community Supervision Tool (CST). Chief Cardall stressed the importance for officers to use these assessment tools with their caseloads.

Captain Vaughn gave an update on the ORAS-CST assessment tool they at both Leinberger and the Monroe Detention Facility. Prior to release the inmate meets with the In-Custody Treatment Coordinator (ITC) to conduct the risk/needs assessment. After the assessment the ITC discusses appropriate services with the inmate. With inmate buy-in, ITC sends referrals to community based organizations. A few of our community providers include, NCCT, Social Services, DMV, DRC, Fourth and Hope, Phoenix House, NA/AA and many more. Captain Vaughn states his department is looking at placing an Outreach Center directly at the Monroe Detention Facility to ensure inmates will be engaged in community services prior to their release. Each member received a handout covering the In-Treatment Coordinator's responsibilities as outlined by JRI.

8. Youth Safety Net Update Presentation (Alissa Sykes, HHSA Child, Youth and Family Branch Director; Lisa Muller, Child Welfare Services; and Andrea Pelochino, Public Defenders Office)

Ms. Muller and Ms. Skyes gave an excellent PowerPoint presentation outlining the following:

Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children or CSEC is exchanging sex for something of value or promise of something to the child or another person. CSEC is not a choice, promiscuity, or prostitution. Human trafficking for sexual exploitation is one of the fastest growing areas of criminal activity. It is estimated 100,000-300,000 children are trafficked in the United States, but it is difficult to identify. One of the major trafficking routes is a triangle from Los Angeles to Las Vegas and back to Sacramento. Yolo County has two major highways going through it: Hwy 80 and 5

New Senate Bill 855- Commercially Sexually Exploited children whose parents or guardians failed or were unable to protect them may fall within the description of the Welfare and Institutions Code 300 b and be adjudicated as a dependent of the Juvenile Court.

We've held 3 trainings for LE, 2 trainings for caregivers and interested community members and 2 trainings for foster youth. The majority of counties in CA are piloting the WestCoast CSEC Screening tool. CWS hosted 2 trainings to learn to use the screening tool. The agencies using the tool are:

CWS
Probation,
CommuniCare
County Mental Health
Empower Yolo
Yolo Family Service Agency
MDIC
Turning Point

#### Goals:

- 1. Provide continued training and education regarding early identification of CSEC youth with County staff and community partners. We will also provide education and awareness to schools.
- 2. Data collection utilizing the Screening tool will help us to better identify who is at risk and how many victims we have in Yolo County and then coordinate services.

Attached is the revised presentation: <a href="http://my.visme.co/projects/youth-safety-net-update-aod478">http://my.visme.co/projects/youth-safety-net-update-aod478</a>.

# Staff contacts:

- Lisa Muller, Child Welfare Services
- Alissa Sykes, HHSA
- Andrea Pelochino, Public Defender's Office
- 9. Strategic Plan Update:
  - a. District Attorney Objective 2d1 (Attachment B):

All members reviewed the handout: Victim Notification Protocol covering 2d and 2d1 of the DA's Office CCP Strategic Plan Update. This objective has been developed and is now implemented. Chief Cardall thanked all partners for the many successes we have achieved in our Strategic Plan goals. We have made great strides.

10. Public Comment -

Pete Smith of the Sacramento County Office of Education announced the next Day Reporting Center graduation will be September 17, 2015, beginning at 3:00 p.m. and will be held at the West Sacramento City Hall, 1110 W. Capitol Ave., W.S.

- 11. Future Agenda Items –
- 12. Next Meeting: Scheduled November 9, 2015 from 1:30 3:30 p.m. in the Atrium Training Room. (October 12, 2015 was cancelled)
- 13. Adjournment Motion to adjourn at 2:55 p.m. Tracie Olson, Second Shawn Landry.

Minutes Taken/Transcribed by: Lisa Howard, Secretary to Chief Probation Officer, Brent Cardall