Kane County Juvenile Justice Council Executive Board Meeting Minutes

February 9 @ 12:00 PM.

**Kane County Sheriff’s Department**

**Executive Conference Room**

**37W755 IL Route 38**

**St. Charles, IL 60175**

Members Present: Lark Cowart, Jeff Jefko, Eddie Jackson, Rachele Conant, Sheriff Kramer, Joe McMahon, Julia Ankenbruck

Call to order (12:15 PM – 1:45 PM)

1. Introductions & Approval of January Minutes
   * Minutes approved
2. Bylaws- need to vote on revisions
   * Contracts- signature on behalf of council?
   * Additional membership
   * **SUBMIT ANY PROPOSED CHANGES BEFORE MARCH 8TH. PROPOSED BYLAWS WILL BE VOTED ON IN MARCH MEETING.**
     + **Changes at this point include changes in the language and changes so that it tracks with the written statute.**
3. Grant updates
   * RFP- currently in Purchasing, hoping to be sent out this week
     + Committee to score: **COURT SERVICES REP, ROE, PUBLIC DEFENDERS OFFICE**
     + Meeting the w/e 3/4
       1. **MEET WEEK OF 2/22 AND 2/29**
   * SAO will now apply for grant
     + How much do we want to ask for?
       1. JJC Grant
          1. **JULIA WILL CALCULATE AMOUNT TO INCLUDE (in addition to what has been approved from last year):**

**Pay increase to $25/hour**

**Additional training opportunities**

* + - 1. Block Grants
         1. **INCLUDE RFP IN APPLICATION**

**Due to increased number of applicants, ask for $100K**

1. Extra grant money- any program ideas?
   * **Aurora Youth Academy- Pam Bradley**
   * **Josh from ROE**
   * **Julie Pouilly from Geneva Coalition on Youth**
2. Cultural Responsivity Presentation- April 8th from 9-12 PM
   * **Board approved**
   * **Include slots for Court Services, Public Defender’s office and States Attorney’s Office**
3. Senate Bill 100
   * **PA 99-0456**
   * **No ACTION needed at this time- discussion point**
   * **Julia to contact Champaign program for alternatives to Out of school suspensions**
   * <http://ilga.gov/legislation/publicacts/fulltext.asp?Name=099-0456>
4. Updates on gangs, mental health, other collaborations
   * **Gangs: Clayton Muhammed, Gary Neal to attend next meeting (2/17 at 4 PM)**
     + **Meeting with Deacon Malone from Teen Nite set up- interest in working with higher risk youth**
   * **Mental Health: continuing to partner with various mental health groups**
     + **Interest in something similar to TAC for juveniles**
     + **Mental health probation caseload**
   * **Other: Health Fair meeting coming up, a service provider fair with Aurora Cares, School Interactions with Youth Training postponed**
5. Other updates- **NONE**
6. Next Meeting: Tuesday March 8th at 12 PM in the Sheriff’s Dept Executive Conference Room