



Kane County Juvenile Justice Council Board of Directors September Meeting Minutes
September 12, 2019 at 12:00 PM

**Kane County State's Attorney's Office – Conference Room
37W777 IL Route 38, Suite 300
Saint Charles, IL 60175**

***Voting Members:** State's Attorney (chair), Chief Judge's Office, Juvenile Delinquency Court Judge, Public Defender, County Board, Sheriff's Department, Court Services, Regional Office of Education, Kane County Chiefs of Police, Juvenile Officer's Association, Kane County Bar Association*

Members present: Sarah Seberger, Deanna Oliver, Mike Doyen, Lisa Aust, Kristen Lohrstorfer, Sheriff Hain, Josh Axelsen

Members absent: Judge Parkhurst, Rachele Conant, Susan Starrett, Chief Rollins

Call to order: 12:10 PM

1. Introductions
2. Approval of minutes from August

Result: APPROVED as distributed

3. JJC Chairman's report
 - **Financial: county report distributed**
 - o **This is the county form, so it is on a different fiscal year.**
 - o **Expenditures have been Julia's salary and mileage, both on track.**
 - **Gail Borden and Elgin Community College are putting on a play about the Columbine shooting to raise awareness, also including a panel on gun/gun safety.**
 - o **Discussion:**
 - **More appropriate for specific partners of the JJC**
 - **EPD already included**
 - **Sheriff would be willing to consider, getting more information**
 - **JOA presentation – September 26**
 - o **Longer term resources for specific offenses**
 - o **Kristen and Court Services (LaTanya) can help provide input**
 - **Provided stacks of materials to those who requested them. If you would like some, please let Sarah or Julia know.**
4. Old Business
 - **Diversion Resources Portal**
Julia continues to work on
 - **Data Project plan status**
Sarah to email out plan to get feedback



Academic proposal and supplemental materials – may need to develop an executive summary with bullet points

Discussion:

- **What kind of data?**
 - **Juvenile arrests, station adjustments – broken down by race**
 - **Would be retrospective to align with the OJJDP data**
 - **Looking to assess the trends in the data and the different offenses**
 - **Benefits to the JJC**
 - **Used to have more opportunities for grant money by having the JJC**
 - **Could still impact grant money for the JJC**
 - **Feedback from partners indicates that the JJC is a beneficial entity**
 - **Also reviewed some of the challenges and changes with grant administration**

 - **Materials Distribution Update**

Sarah and Julia dropping off materials for Restorative Practices

 - **Also mentioned student award**
 - **Batavia invited JJC to talk about Restorative Practices at Institute Day**
 - **Feedback from districts:**
 - **Vaping as a trend**
 - **Request for more roundtable discussions**

Seems like more of the upper administrators meet across districts, but staff doing the direct work are not always included
 - **School discipline roundtable discussion**
 - **Proposed that JJC leads the efforts of the roundtable**
 - **Administrators do not realize what happens when a youth enters the system or how decisions can impact youth**
 - **Need clarification around the role of SRO's and administrators as it relates to decision making**
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- **Annual Report**

Still in the editing phase. Sarah will send out for review before publishing

5. **New Business**

- **Fall Restorative Practices training**

Two back to back days in October (October 23 and 30). Will be hosted at FONA. Over 30 individuals registered so far.

VOTE: Does the Board of Directors approve funding \$25 to cover the cost of CPDU's through the Regional Office of Education for those attending the training?

Result:	TABLED
Mover:	Sheriff Hain
Secunder:	Mike Doyen



DISCUSSION:

- CPDU's are the equivalent of CEU's and CLE's. Specific for school district personnel.
- Question about the cost –is it \$25 for one person or to cover all?
 - Confirming, will send out for email vote once verified.

- Performance Measures

Distributed – explains steps we plan to take in the fiscal year

- Law Enforcement training planning

ICOY/IJJC indicated that they could help with this. Will connect with them to see what ideas they have

DISCUSSION:

- Can we take to the Chiefs of Police to get the word out?
 - May need to try an alternative – Chiefs of Police usually send a representative to that meeting
 - Sheriff Hain working on inviting a Chief of Police to attend the October 10 meeting

- Commission Expectations & Site Visit

Expectations distributed to Board

- Reviewed feedback from one of the other site visits, per the JJC coordinator call
 - Impressed with the relationship between law enforcement and CCBYS agency
 - Took an hour with each stakeholder
 - Discussed representatives to attend
 - Julia to reach out to CCBYS agency
- Also have to give a presentation and possibly attend training
- Past experience has been discussion of requirements, but no follow up or feedback
 - Reviewed site visit process from previous year
- Discussed possibility of assessments during the site visit
 - Annual Data Request
 - **Due date with the data request was different from the one listed in the contract**
 - Theory of Change Template – due Sept 15
 - **Due October 15 – updated from the call on 09/12**

Distributed template to Board

- De-Escalation Parent Workshop

Julia continues to work on this and identify speaker options

- Seemed to be of interest through the school districts

- Gail Borden Library request: expungement information for Reentry Fair

Plan is to share expungement materials and other handouts, but not have a representative there since they would not be able to talk about expungements

- Additional idea to have voting rights explained there – will provide feedback to GBL



Other updates:

- **JJC got new furniture**

6. Adjournment – **12:53 PM**

7. Next Meeting: Quarterly Meeting, October 10, 2019 at the Kane County Sheriff's Department, Training Room
Next Board of Directors Meeting: November 14, 2019 at 12 PM, State's Attorney's Office Conference Room