



Kane County Juvenile Justice Council Board of Directors November Meeting NOTES
November 18th, 2021 at 12 PM

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***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: Rachele Conant, Judge Parga, Mike Doyen, Josh Axelsen, Debra Conforti, LaTanya Hill, Eric Majewski, Kristen Lohrstorfer

Members absent: Sheriff Hain

Vacancies: County Board

Call to order: 12:01 PM

1. Introductions
2. Approval of minutes from October

Result:	APPROVED as distributed
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3. JJC Chairman's report
Financial for September & October
 - **September: \$1949.16 (Personnel)**
 - **October: \$2088.18 (Personnel, employee cell phone)**
 - **Total spent YTD: \$6341.19**

Still working on trying to find a County Board Representative

4. Old Business
 - Updates on priorities
 - Youth Involvement**
 - **As part of the law enforcement training, youth are invited to participate in role plays for an incentive provided by Strategies for Youth. Julia reached out to the Student Equity Advisory Council and to the Youth Workforce Services Network to see if there are any youth interested in participating. Hoping that some will have had some past system involvement, which could open up opportunities to engage those willing to participate in the JJC as a whole.**



Restorative Practices

- **Family Service Association is hosting a training in January. Will primarily be their employees, but have opened it up to others as well. Trainers from the summer group will be facilitating.**
- **Julia met w/ representatives from the Parent Council to discuss RP training for parents. There were questions about being able to offer the training in Spanish – there are currently no known bilingual trainers in the area, so this would require someone to attend the TOT who is also bilingual. The details of the options to begin offering training to parents were given to the Parent Council for consideration at this point.**

Law Enforcement Training

- **Currently have 18 of 30 registered – representing 10 jurisdictions. Data requests have been sent. SFY indicated that they would be identifying a cohort of service organizations to come and present. The Board discussed the current access to data, what data can be provided on cases that reach the court system, access to cases that are in municipal court, and the limitations in current data access. It is a daunting task for police departments to provide the data because it is not readily available. JJC will revisit the arrest data discussion after the training, based on response from police departments. Julia will work with LaTanya to get supplemental data. Rachele will reach out to the Clerk. Lunch will be on their own.**

Expungements

- **Working with the Clerk; Judge Parga is currently reviewing.**

Family Court Guides

- **Received translation this week, will incorporate into documents and submit for a final review. Once completed, will have them printed.**

- **Racial and Ethnic Disparities
RED Meeting in December. ADB meeting will be rescheduled.**
- **RED Conference Coordinator Attendance Email Vote Report
Distributed**
- **SEAC Speaker Request
Discuss opportunity - looking for 2-3 professionals to come to a meeting after school at 4 PM on 12/8 or in January for a roundtable discussion on issues related to equity and racial disparities in the system. Student will prepare a list of questions they want to know. Julia will reach out to the Board for interest.**

5. New Business

- **JJC Restructure
Proposal provided to the Board. Julia provided summary of results that informed the proposal. Board provided reaction – will assist with engagement and role clarity. Interagency agreement should identify a representative with some level of authority in their organization to regularly attend. Next step will be to look at bylaws and draft interagency agreement. Julia and Rachele will on this and then present to the Board.**



- **JJC Site Visits**
Setting site visits up between 1/10 and 2/18. This year will be a 2 hour visit with Coordinator, Council Chair, and any additional council leadership; everyone will meet together. Discussion will be centered around program and policy implementation, how we are addressing RED, and identifying “challenging issue”. Julia will send out a doodle poll to identify dates.

6. Other updates

7. Adjournment – **12:41 PM**

Next Board of Directors Meeting: December 9th, 2021 at 12 PM, Virtual