



North Carolina Department of Public Safety

Governor's Crime Commission

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**Governor's Crime Commission
Juvenile Justice Planning Committee
Virtual Meeting via WebEx
1201 Front Street
Raleigh, NC 27609
August 25, 2020
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm
Meeting Minutes**

Attendees:

James West, Chris Suggs, Wendy Sotolongo, Dianne Whitman, James Speight, Beth Freshwater-Smith, Bruce Stanley, Lorraine Taylor, Julius Corpening, Joe Maimone.

GCC Staff:

Diane Barber-Whitaker, Marty Brown, Nickisha Livingston, Toni Lockley, Caroline Valand, Jaysia Noels.

Greetings and Approval of Minutes - Chair, Rev. Bruce Stanley

- JJPC Chair, Reverend Bruce Stanley, called the meeting to order at 1:02 pm.
- Chair Bruce Stanley called attention to the meeting minutes of May 26, 2020. The members approved the minutes.
- JJPC Chair Reverend Bruce Stanley informs members that voting will take place.
- JJCP Chair, Reverend Bruce Stanley, reminds committee about the Ethics Code policy.

Membership Contact Information/ SAG Membership. Chair, Rev. Bruce Stanley.

- No new updates.

Staff Updates – FY 2018, 19 & 20 Awards, Workshops, Three Year Plan, Deputy Director, Dianne Barber-Whitaker & Lead JJ Planner, Marty Brown.

- **FY 2018, 2019, 2020 Awards,** Deputy Director Dianne Barber-Whitaker, reviews excel spread. (Attachment: 2018-2019-2020 JJ grants and projects_Updated_8-24).
 - 2018, 2019, and 2020 awards to be awarded
 - Sub recipients are color-coded because they have more than one project
 - Some projects from 2018 will not be funded because start/end dates overlap with 2019 and 2020 projects
 - One or Two-Year grants
- **GCC Workshop,** Lead JJ Planner, Marty Brown.
 - September 16th - 17th, 2020 – Grant Award Workshop
 - September 23rd - 24th, 2020 – Grant Writing Workshop

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- **Three-Year Plan, Lead JJ Planner**, Marty Brown [Attachment: Template - Proposed Timeline for OJJDP 2021 Three Year Plan (002)].
 - Lead JJ Planner, Marty Brown, reviews the Three -Year Plan.
 - The three-year plan is due March 31, 2021.

2021 JJ Funding Priorities Approval, Various JJPC and GCC Staff [Attachment: 2021 JJPC Program Funding Priorities (JJ Committee)].

Raise the Age Implementation

- JJPC members expressed concern with keeping funding and continue to move diligently in the process

School Justice Partnership

- JJPC members discussed how to make kids successful in the school setting.
- JJPC members expressed that the program just started and want to continue.

2021 Racial and Ethnic Disparities (RED), formerly referred to as Disproportionate Minority Contact (DMC)

- JJPC members asked the committee to brainstorm what RED looks like in North Carolina.
- Important to make progress; take the necessary steps to make a change.

2021 Children's Justice

- JJPC members expressed this section should be a top priority.
- JJPC voted to keep the existing funding priorities in place
 - Motion: Dr. Lorraine Taylor
 - Second: Wendy Sotolongo

Center for Coordinated Assistance to States (CCAS) Presentation Technical Training, CCAS Team - Cassandra Blakeley, Kia Jackson

- Technical Assistant Associate, Kia Jackson, goes over PowerPoint and various documents to support training (North Carolina JJPC SAG 101 Training).
- Mention of Tribal representation for JJ/SAG and the importance of having a connection (Attachment: Tribal Resource document)
- CCAS Cassandra Blakeley notes that their organization can help assist with projects JJCP.

Old/New Business, Chair, Rev. Bruce Stanley

- No new old/new business.

Chair, Rev. Bruce Stanley Adjourned the meeting at 3:07 pm.

Meeting Minutes were taken by Jaysia Noels.

Attachments:

- 2018-2019-2020 JJ grants and projects_Updated_8-24.
- Template - Proposed Timeline for OJJDP 2021 Three-Year Plan (002)).
- 2021 JJPC Program Funding Priorities (JJ Committee)).
- North Carolina JJPC SAG 101 Training.
- Tribal Resource document.