

Santa Rosa County Juvenile Justice Council
Meeting held on January 23, 2013

1. Welcome and Introductions: Denise Manassa, CDAC and Co-Chair of the Council; Jim Williamson, Santa Rosa County Commission; Chris Wells, SEDNET; Jamie Cochran, Lutheran Services Florida; Lydia Breaux-Davis, DJJ; Cindy Sarver, SRSO; Randy Fleming, DCF; Robin King, Goodwill Easter Seals; Susan Hughes, Florida Therapy Services; Phillip Blake, Santa Rosa School District.

2. Approval of Minutes: Approved with attendance record changed

3. Education: None this month...

4. Committee Reports:

- ❖ Public Relations—The Council continues to utilize the Facebook Page.
- ❖ Nomination & Membership- Consensus is that we need to increase our membership, but the committee will look into this further when the committee finds out further updates about the new legislative suggestions related to Juvenile Justice local Councils. Lydia gave groups that are required to a part of our council that included County Commission office representative, Public Defender office representative, and other community requirements.
- ❖ Grants & Resources Committee- Lydia sent out grant opportunities to all members of the council. Lydia handed out a list of the grants that are available at this time
- ❖ Youth Success Week—Chris Wells contacted Judge Simon and he is available April 9, 2013
 - Lydia is checking to see if she has certificates that can be used for the youth.
 - Food and refreshment will need to be provided by donations. Possible companies to look at are Firehouse, Subway, and Publics.
 - Denise will check with Jessica to see if Families Count is available as the venue site and if there any goody bags left over from last year that we can use.
 - Cindy Sarver is going to check with Dr. Barber about transportation for our homeless students
 - The council agrees that we need to make sure that the agencies that nominate the students make sure that the students have transportation to the event

5. Agency Updates:

- ❖ Randy Fleming--stated that DCF is doing updates to law enforcement on the Safe Harbor Act and case managers on issues related to Human Trafficking. May 16 and May 17 DCF will be offering Human Trafficking training at Lakeview.

6. Juvenile Justice Updates:

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- Lydia—Handed out a draft of the state legislation that proposes to eliminate DJJ County Councils.
- Lydia—Informed everyone that there will be a DJJ Roadmap to Excellence Townhall meeting on January 31st at 6pm at the Pensacola State College campus in Pensacola.
- Lydia—Also, informed everyone that there will be a DJJ Stakeholders meeting for invited guest only on February 1st. This meeting is to discuss the DJJ Roadmap to Excellence with Secretary Walters and our needs locally.
- ❖ Detention- nothing to report at this time.
- ❖ Residential— nothing to report at this time.

7. DJJ County Plan Update: Council members will begin talking about it at the February Meeting because of the possibility of new legislation that may eliminate DJJ County Councils

8. Unfinished business: The council members agreed that next meeting will be a working meeting for Youth Success Week

9. New Business: The council discussed school safety and how the council may need to get involved.

10. Announcements:

Meetings are held on the Fourth Wednesday of the Month at 10:00 AM at the Berryhill Administrative Complex located at 6751 Berryhill Road, Milton, Florida 32570

NOTE:

If your office permits please post the attached minutes and agenda in a public place to keep us in compliance with the Sunshine Law.

Adjournments

The next meeting is scheduled for February 27, 2013 at 10:00am.