

Circuit 12 Juvenile Justice Advisory Board

Minutes
July 9, 2018

Members Present:

Farrell, Mallorie	CL/YSC, Sarasota
Remy, Renese	CL/YSC, Manatee (Vice Chair)
Skinner, Chris	Longboat Key PD, Manatee
Wiles, Kim	CL/YSC, Sarasota (Secretary)
Ausborn, Monica	Chief Judge Designee, Circuit
Cramer, Josh	Bradenton Police
Jones, Nicole	State Attorney, Circuit
King, Scott	North Port PD, Sarasota
McCann, Mike	Manatee County Schools
Moran, Michael	Sarasota Commissioner (Chair)
Rose, Larry	Faith Based, Manatee
Todd, Heather	CL/YSC, Sarasota
Williams, Jaye	CL/YSC, Sarasota
Wilson, Rebecca	Public Defender, Circuit
Zucker, Caroline	Sarasota County Schools, Sarasota

Members Absent:

Anderson, Matthew	Deputy Chief, Desoto
Blout, Spencer	Youth Representative, Manatee
Diaz, Lenard	Bradenton Beach PD, Manatee
Hall, Brian	Holmes Beach PD, Manatee
Lewis, Glenda	Desoto Schools
Martin, Ann	Workforce DeSoto
Perez, Joel	Sheriff, Manatee
Rose, Michael	Venice PD, Sarasota
Schaefer, Judy	DeSoto County Commissioner
Scott, David	Sheriff, Sarasota
Tabor, Rob	CL/Central Florida, Circuit
Armstrong, Jane	Parent/Family Member, Sarasota
Mujic, Elida	DCF, Circuit
Robinson, Pat	Sarasota PD
Scott, David	Sheriff, Sarasota
Smith, Charles	Manatee County Commissioner
Vanderneck, Ben	CareerSource Suncoast, Sarasota/Manatee
Vacant	Business Representative
Vitale, Jose	DeSoto Sheriff
Waiters, Lorenzo	Palmetto PD, Manatee

Others Present:

Popkowski, Karin	DJJ/JDAI
Joels, Emma	Sarasota County Teen Court
Applebee, Wayne	SCHSS
Scott, Nathan	FSA/DOH C12
Ferguson, Sandra	DJJ
Morton, Michelle	ACLU

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Renick, Shad
 Locklear, Sue
 Madrid, Rina
 Moore, Tanneh
 Donovan, Ginny
 Smith, Charles
 Monge, Alana
 Milanese, Jeanette
 Whitehead, Diana
 Katogiritis, Zoe
 Thompson, Derek

Sarasota YMCA
 Manatee County Teen Court
 Manatee Teen Court
 Bays Florida Sarasota
 DJJ C12
 Manatee
 Court Administration
 Parenting Matters
 SEDNET
 Centerstone
 More Too Life

Agenda Topic: Call to Order / Introductions	Presenter: Commissioner Moran
Commissioner Moran called the meeting to order at 1:30 pm and members present introduced themselves.	

Agenda Topic: Approval of Minutes	Presenter: Commissioner Moran
Following review, the April 9, 2018 minutes were accepted as presented.	
Motion	<i>Caroline Zucker moved to approve the April 9, 2018 minutes as presented, Charles Smith seconded to approve. The motion passed unanimously.</i>

Agenda Topic: Racial and Ethnic Disparities and the Relative Rate Index	Presenter: Karin Popkowski
Discussion	<p>Karin Popkowski provided a presentation on Racial and Ethnic Disparities and the Relative Rate Index.</p> <p>Highlights as follows:</p> <p>Part of our core strategies are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Collaboration with stakeholders - Data driven decisions - Objective admission decision - Alternative to detention continuum - Fishing case processing - Racial and ethnic disparities and disproportionate minority <p>Sarasota County juvenile arrest rates compared to the juvenile population in Sarasota County. (Data from 2016 – 2017).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - White youth accounts for 70 percent of Sarasota County juvenile population and 54 percent of the arrests. - Black youth accounts for 9 percent of Sarasota County juvenile population and 31 percent of the arrests. - Hispanic youth accounts for 18 percent of Sarasota County juvenile population and 14 percent of the arrests. - Manatee County detention population – First quarter 2018

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- Black youth accounts for 14 percent of Manatee County juvenile population and 43 percent of detention admission rate.
- White youth accounts for 55 percent of Manatee County juvenile population and 35 percent of detention admission rate.
- Hispanic youth accounts for 29 percent of Manatee County juvenile population and 20 percent of detention admission rate.

Agenda Topic: Approve Annual Report

Presenter: Kim Wiles

Kim Wiles reported that a few more educational sessions were added to the Red Committee portion of the annual report. On the last page, the last two bullets, lack of enforcement authority in truancy court and lack of housing for crossover children who have no place to go or parents have no place to go were added.

Motion

Caroline Zucker moved to approve the Annual Report as presented, Charles Smith seconded to approve. The motion passed unanimously.

Agenda Topic: Approve Comprehensive Report

Presenter: Kim Wiles

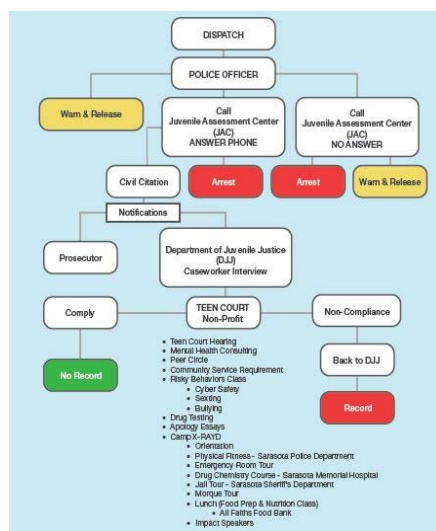
Kim Wiles stated that a draft of the Comprehensive Plan was submitted at the April meeting. This plan was updated last year, but the Department of Juvenile Justice requested all circuits an update with an effective date of 2018, thereby all the of comprehensive plans across the state will expire the same year (2021).

Motion

Caroline Zucker moved to approve the Comprehensive Report as presented, Renese Remy seconded to approve. The motion passed unanimously.

Agenda Topic: DJJ Circuit Court Flow Chart

Presenter: Commissioner Moran



Commissioner Moran presented a flow chart and led a discussion regarding the diversion process juveniles entering Teen Court. Commissioner Moran stated he would like to see a workgroup map out all processes and diversion programs available to juveniles throughout the Circuit.

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Agenda Topic: Vacant Position		Presenter: Kim Wiles
Discussion	Kim Wiles reported that Larry Kitt, who was the previous Secretary is no longer with Pretrial Services in Sarasota, therefore, the Secretary position is vacant. Kim Wiles volunteered to complete the term if no one else volunteers to do so.	
Motion	<i>Caroline Zucker moved to approve the Comprehensive Report as presented, Jaye Williams seconded to approve. The motion passed unanimously.</i>	

Agenda Topic: Special Orders		Presenter: All
<p>➤ Sub-Committee Reports</p> <p> Direct File – Jaye Williams</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Committee met on May 23rd. • Six youth were being housed at the Sarasota County jail. • GED testing capability at the jail using Sarasota County jail personnel practices is waiting for the county’s Information Technology to grant firewall permission. • Manatee County jail is housing three juveniles; committee members believes this to be the lowest number of juveniles being held in over five years of the committee meeting. • Desoto County jail was housing one youth at the time of the meeting. Our next meeting will be held on September 26th in Sarasota County at 3:00pm. <p> Red/Disproportionate Minority Contract (DMC) Committee – Elida Mujic</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No update. <p> Legislative Committee –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Michelle Morton presented the changes to the legislation for civil citation and it was up to each of the counties to make changes. The counties were asked for an update. No counties in our circuit had any changes to the civil citation. • Florida Statue permits law enforcement with the option to issue a civil citation for eligible misdemeanors, if the youth is eligible for a civil citation. In addition, Florida Statue allows three eligible misdemeanors, before the youth would be considered ineligible for a civil citation. However, it’s at the local law enforcement agencies discretion on how many eligible misdemeanors they want to issue (3,2, or 1), before the youth would be considered ineligible for the civil citation. <p> Other Committee Reports – None</p>		

Agenda Topic: Announcements		Presenter: All
Kim Kutch stated there will be regular meetings for the next three months around the Governor Executive Order 18-81. Next meeting will be in Desoto at noon and Manatee County August 23 rd at 1:00pm. There will be a Human Trafficking Investigation and Prosecution Training Course with Public Safety Officials and Social Services Providers on August 14 th , in Desoto County; headed by the		

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Department of Justice and sponsored by the Department of Children and Families. There will be a conference (Sex Trafficking in Florida Schools) in Tampa, on September 14th and Statewide Human Trafficking Summit from Pam Bondi's office October 1st, in Orlando.

<i>Agenda Topic:</i> Public Comments	<i>Presenter:</i> All
None	

<i>Agenda Topic:</i> Next Meeting	<i>Presenter:</i> All
<i>Date/Time</i>	Monday, October 15, 2018 at 1:30 p.m.
<i>Location</i>	William L. Little Health and Human Services Building Room 226

Meeting was adjourned at 2:30 p.m.