

C13 Juvenile Justice Circuit Advisory Board Meeting

March 18, 2016

Submitted by Tina Levene

Attendance: See Sign-In Sheets

1. Welcome and Introductions	Sgt. Rojka opened the meeting at 10:02am. Introductions were made. Minutes were reviewed & approved as written.
2. Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Probation (Judy Roysden) – Male & Female Staff mentorship initiatives are continuing with teaching employee skills. The C13 Faith Network Meeting was held Feb. 18th. Alternative Education Meeting was held and reform efforts continue to progress. Sweeps all week: 2 out of 24.• Civil Citation Updates (Commissioner Beckner) – Next meeting is Feb. 19th and all the subcommittees will be meeting on other dates.• CINS/FINS (Tina Levene) – Tina reported on behalf of Julie Edison. Upcoming Outreach Events at Children’s Services in support of National Safe Place Week: Community Fair March 26th and Basketball Tournament March 21st. Beds are available. Presently we have 19 residential youth and 11 CINS/FINS youth, please call 813-272-6606 to utilize services for youth.• Detention (Assistant Sup. Clark) – There was an increase in youth held in detention ranging from 80-85 youth. It is a 93 bed facility.• Board Updates (Sgt. Rojka) – Sgt. Rojka asked for volunteers to participate on a Grant Committee. Judge Thomas, Sally, Monica, Megan and himself will help review grants for DJJ and send recommendations.• Safe & Sound Committee (Megan Newcomb & Rocky) – Megan reported that a leadership meeting was held Tuesday. The 3rd Mock Trial was held on February 26th in Plant City, 30 youth participated. 4th Mock Trial will be held in May in Wimauma.• Stakeholders Meeting – Sgt. Rojka updated and reported he’s looking forward to a discussion about juvenile civil citations, the City of Tampa ordinance and Civil Citations for adults.
3. Presentations	None
4. Public Comment	Eva, from the Hillsborough County Criminal Justice announced the Anti-Bullying Town Hall Meeting April 18 th .

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