

**ALAMEDA COUNTY
JUVENILE JUSTICE COORDINATING COUNCIL
QUARTERLY MEETING MINUTES 7/20/2023, 1:00-2:30 p.m.**

2500 Fairmont Dr., San Leandro, Room C1002
Microsoft Teams Option Available

JJCC Members Present:

Marcus Dawal, Chief Probation Officer
Otis Bruce, DA
Al Mance, PD
Mia Buckner Preston, SSA-CWS
Captain Dan Brodie, Sheriff

Christine Gerchow, ACBH
Monica Vaughan, ACOE
Alexis Peculis, Community Drug & Alcohol member
(Remote appearance approved)

Others Present:

Yasmin Burke, ACPD
Marcos Campos, OPD (Virtual appearance)
Shauna Conner, ACPD
Brian Ford, ACPD
Carissa Pappas, ACPD

Celsa Snead, Community Representative (Virtual appearance)
Darryl Stewart, D4
Anna Kane, ACPD (Recorder)

AGENDA	DISCUSSION	ACTION
<p>1. Opening Remarks & Roll Call</p> <p>2. Request for Virtual Meeting Attendance</p> <p>3. Approval of Minutes</p> <p>4. JJCC and SB 823 Subcommittee Amended Bylaws</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A motion was made by Al Mance to allow Community Drug and Alcohol member, Alexis Peculis, to attend remotely due to a medical reason. Motion seconded by Christine Gerchow. Motion passed. • A motion for approval of the meeting minutes for April 20, 2023 was made by Al Mance and seconded by Dan Brodie. Motion passed. <p>Questions: Under Article VII, Section 5, why was the last day of April chosen for the end of non-permanent members' terms? <i>This date was chosen because the report is due to the State on May 1.</i></p> <p>Under Article VII, Section 2, will an absence by a member who designated a designee count as an unauthorized absence that can result in termination? <i>As per Article V, Section 3, if a designee has been approved, this will not count as an unauthorized absence.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A motion was made by Christine Gerchow to approve the Bylaws. It was seconded by Monica Vaughan. Motion passed. 	

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<p>5. <i>Youth Crime in Oakland: Partnerships and Strategies to Address</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One of this Committee’s primary responsibilities is to address and prevent juvenile delinquency. • There are a number of services aimed to assist at-risk youth and their families. These services are effective, however some at-risk youth are falling through the cracks. • Steps taken by Probation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Collaborating with the Oakland Department of Violence Prevention (DVP); currently working on MOU ○ Case conferences to get resources to kids and families ○ A DPO will be designated full-time to work on this project ○ Coordinate with OPD so they are aware there is a team in place • Ideas offered in discussion: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Diversion programs have been successful in Collaborative Court ○ Mental Health Collaborative model; meets twice a month and discuss the kids’ needs; case management ○ 707b kids have been excluded from that model; extend the model to the rest of the population ○ Kids are in need of trusting relationships; In collaborative court the kids see the same staff and develop relationships ○ Providers need to have stable staffing to help build trusting relationships ○ Mental Health Court to help kids get to medical appointments, school, or home. Need to provide services for increased stability ○ MDFT provides wraparound services but it is not centered around mental health care ○ Many programs have long wait lists due to labor shortages ○ Services should be provided to the younger kids before they get involved in the criminal justice system ○ Behavioral Health is working on a MOU and Operational Protocols with Collaborative Court ○ Referral to ICM may not be appropriate for an 11 or 12 year old ○ Christine Gerchow would like to participate on what this could look like for younger youth ○ Baltimore’s Thread Model – intensive community wrap-around. Network to end social isolation and harness the power of relationships • There are approximately 12-18 youth that are allegedly involved in various crimes. Probation is being made aware of them by OPD. Their names are being provided to the DVP. Many of the kids are not previously system involved and they are not on probation. Trying to intervene before they are system involved. <p>Are these kids involved in other systems such as child welfare or do they have issues in school? <i>We are working to find out more about their circumstances.</i></p>	<p><i>Keep this item on the next agenda</i></p> <p><i>Probation staff to follow up with Al Mance</i></p> <p><i>Further information requested on the Baltimore Model</i></p>

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	<p>Is there a list of providers that is available to the committee members? <i>Probation contracts with vendors in the Delinquency Prevention Network (DPN) also the DVP has a list of providers.</i></p> <p>Is there a subcommittee around this specific issue? <i>There is nothing formal yet. The intention is to establish a network of collaborative partners. There will be a meeting in August.</i></p> <p>Is OUSD at the table? Most of the youth are from Oakland. <i>OUSD representatives need to be identified and involved.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There is a pattern of kids that are not involved in school are later involved in the justice system later on • This will be a standing item on the next agenda <p>How will the family be approached and by whom? <i>This should be further discussed, but with the least amount of law enforcement presence. Community-based providers need to be at the table. DVP should be at the table as well. A probation officer will be assigned to coordinate services.</i></p>	<p><i>Provide a list of DPN and DVP service providers to committee members</i></p> <p><i>Provide the collaborative partners meeting date to the committee members</i></p> <p><i>Locate appropriate OUSD representatives to be involved in this project</i></p>
6. <i>Public Comments</i>	None	
7. <i>Upcoming Meetings</i>	JJCC Quarterly meeting is scheduled for October 19, 2023, 1:00-2:30 at JJC, 2500 Fairmont Drive, San Leandro.	
8. <i>Adjournment</i>	Meeting adjourned 2:04 p.m.	