

**ALAMEDA COUNTY
JUVENILE JUSTICE COORDINATING COUNCIL
QUARTERLY MEETING MINUTES 10/19/2023, 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
Rodney Brooks, PD
Michelle Love, SSA-CWS
Christine Gerchow, ACBH

Monica Vaughan, ACOE
Celsa Snead, Community Representative
Alexis Peciulis, Community Drug & Alcohol Program
Brenda Gomez, D2

Others Present:

Yasmin Burke, ACPD
Dante Cercone, ACPD
Brian Ford, ACPD
Tiffany Gipson, DA
Brie Jefferson, PD

Jenny Linchey, City of Oakland DVP
Chris Middleton, YLC
Carissa Pappas, ACPD
Charles Pattillo, ACPD
Anna Kane, ACPD (Recorder)

AGENDA	DISCUSSION	ACTION
<p>1. <i>Opening Remarks & Roll Call</i></p> <p>2. <i>Approval of Minutes</i></p> <p>3. <i>Youth Crime in Oakland: Partnerships and Strategies Update</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A motion for approval of the meeting minutes for July 20, 2023, was made by Christine Gerchow and seconded by Monica Vaughan. Motion passed. • Update provided by Jenny Linchey, Acting Deputy Chief of Grants, Programs, and Evaluation, City of Oakland Department of Violence Prevention (DVP) • There has been an effort to form a partnership between DVP, Probation, Oakland Unified School District (OUSD), and Community Based Organizations (CBOs) to provide support to at-risk youth that are directly in contact with the juvenile justice system. • DVP will implement a process with OUSD where the DVP will receive names of youth and connect them with services. OUSD will also make referrals to services provided by agencies and CBOs. The goal is to connect the youth to Life Coaches and keep them out of the system. <p>Questions: Has OUSD expelled some of those youth? Are they being referred to services? <i>The referrals mostly come from the Oakland Police Department (OPD). Some referrals come from OUSD.</i> <i>There are about nine youth that have been identified by OPD.</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Keep this item on the next agenda</i></p>

<p>4. Public Comments</p> <p>5. Upcoming Meetings</p> <p>6. Adjournment</p>	<p>How are you generating the list of providers? How are they being included in this strategy? <i>Probation will organize a meeting with OPD, Delinquency Prevention Network (DPN), and OUSD so that the agencies are better aware of the resources that are available to Oakland youth.</i></p> <p>Is there an opportunity to add other organizations to the list of providers? <i>Yes, send an email to Probation to get involved.</i></p> <p><i>ACOE would also like to participate in the meeting to become better informed of the available support and services.</i></p> <p>How would the DA’s office go about connecting with DPN or Probation to make sure that the youth that are not charged also receive services? <i>Probation will connect Tiffany Gipson directly to Emily Young and include the DA’s office in the upcoming meeting.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It was announced that Probation is creating a unit where juvenile pre-trial officers will work with youth that are not in the system in order to ensure youth are connected services. • Thread Program out of Baltimore presentation was provided by Dr. Christine Gerchow. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Thread is a community-based wrap-around approach. • The Thread Program is managed by a large CBO with participation from various major agencies and John Hopkins University. • It was requested that someone from the Thread organization do a presentation for the JJCC. • CASA is an organization in the Bay Area that does something similar but for a different population. <p>None</p> <p>JJCC Quarterly meeting is scheduled for January 18, 2024, 1:00-2:30 at JJC, 2500 Fairmont Drive, San Leandro.</p> <p>Meeting adjourned 2:04 p.m.</p>	<p><i>Probation staff to follow up with Al Mance and Tiffany Gipson</i></p> <p><i>Further information requested on the Baltimore Model</i></p>
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