

SOLANO COUNTY
Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention Commission
AGENDA

February 1st, 2017

County Administration Center - 675 Texas Street
Conference Room 6003
Fairfield, CA 94533

3:00 p.m. Meeting

MEMBERS

Cynthia Phillips,

Chair

Joanne Carli

Co-Chair

Rhonda Green,

Secretary

Andre Davis Sr.

Commissioner

Rosalind Reid,

Commissioner

Frances Nelson,

Commissioner

Louise McNeill

Commissioner

Julie Hilt

Commissioner

Paul Ligda

Commissioner

Damian Spieckerman

Commissioner

Arabella Compton

Commissioner

Josh McClendon

Commissioner

Lawrence Barnes

Commissioner

Anthony McCrary

Commissioner

Selena Guerra

Commissioner

PURPOSE STATEMENT – Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention Commission

The mission of the Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention Commission (JJJPC) is to inquire into the administration of juvenile justice in Solano County. The overall objective is to reduce the recidivism rate of juvenile offenders in the local criminal justice system.

The Solano County JJJPC was established by the Solano County Board of Supervisors under authority of California Welfare and Institutions Code Section 233. Its predecessor organizations were the Juvenile Justice Commission, mandated by Section 225 of the W&I Code and the Delinquency Prevention Commission authorized by Section 233 of the W&I Code.

The duties and functions of the Commission are stated in Sections: 228, 229, 229.5, 230, 233, and 234 of the Welfare and Institutions Code

The JJJPC is granted access to all publicly administered institutions in Solano County authorized by the Juvenile Court Law. This includes annual inspections of probation-administered institutions, jails, and other lockups detaining juveniles.

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- | <u>ITEM</u> | <u>AGENCY/STAFF</u> |
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| I. CALL TO ORDER (3:00 p.m.) | Chair/Co-Chair |
| II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR December 7th, 2016 | |
| III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA | |
| IV. OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT
Pursuant to the Brown Act, each public agency must provide the public with an opportunity to speak on any matter within the subject matter of the jurisdiction of the agency and which is not on the agency's agenda for that meeting. Comments are limited to no more than 3 minutes per speaker. By law, no action may be taken on any item raised during the public comment period although informational answers to questions may be given and the matter may be referred to staff for placement on a future agenda. | |
| V. DISCUSSION CALENDAR | |
| 1. <u>Probation and Juvenile Detention Facility Updates</u> | Chief Hansen/Probation
Supt. Farrah/JDF |
| 2. <u>Officer Duties</u>
(No Action)
Commission Phillip/Green to report and/or clarify the duties and responsibilities of commission officers regarding generating and/or submitting agendas and/or minutes. | |
| 3. <u>Ad Hoc Committees</u>
(No Action)
Commission Phillip/Green to report on requirements needed to requests funds for Ad Hoc projects. | |
| VI. ACTION ITEMS | |
| 1. (Action Item)
Commissioner Ligda to provide an update on the status of the JDF Exit Survey. The Commission will discuss and may vote on the project based on the information provided. | |
| 2. (Action Item)
Commissioner Phillip/Green to report and provide information regarding the Commission selecting a representative to participate in Probation's Readiness Assessment Consultation project to reduce racial disparity in youth arrested and/or detained. | |

3. **(Action Item)**

Judicial Notification of Unexcused Absences

Commission to vote on removing a member from the commission due to extended unexcused absences

VII. New Business/Future Agenda

Chair/Co-Chair

1. **(No Action)**

Commissioners may request future agenda items to be discussed, or items that may need action on future agendas.

The next scheduled meeting is **March 1st, 2017** from 3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. at The County Admin Center, 675 Texas Street, Conference Room 6003.

Solano County

Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention Commission (JJDP) Minutes

December 7th, 2016

Commissioners Present:

Lawrence Barnes
Arabella Compton
Andre Davis
Julie Hilt
Paul Ligda
Josh McClendon
Louise McNeill
Frances Nelson
Cynthia Phillips
Rosalind Reid
Damien Spieckerman

Excused Absence:

Joanne Carli
Rhonda Green
Anthony McCrary

No Show:

Selena Gomez

Non-Members Present:

Dean Farrah – Superintendent JDF
Nancy G. Wirt

Commissioner Phillips called the meeting to order.

Approval of the November Minutes - Commissioner Reid moved to approve, seconded by Commissioner McNeil.

Approval of the Agenda – Commissioner Ligda moved to approve, seconded by Commissioner Barnes.

Public Comment

Nancy Wirt reported that the JDF library upgrade has begun and expects the project to be complete early in 2017.

JDF Update

Superintendent Farrah reported –

- Total JDF population is 57 (54 male, 3 female)
- The youngest youth in detention is 13, and the average age is 16.2.
- There is a meeting with the union on December 19, 2016, regarding the new detention screening tool. No issues are anticipated and the pilot program should be in a place in January 2017.
- A Calendar of JDF programs and services was provided.
- Aftercare services are provided to the 15 New Foundations, 10 Challenge and 10 AB12 youth.
- Commissioner Nelson requested Group Counselor Joe Herman attend a JJDC meeting.
- High school graduation is scheduled for December 14, 2016, at 10:30 a.m., in Cedar Hall.
- A plaque has been ordered to be displayed in Redwood naming all the high school graduates.
- Exit surveys were provided to Commissioner Ligda.
- The budget is being reviewed to provide funding for mental health resources.

Respectfully submitted

Julie Hilt

Exit Survey

Commissioner Ligda proposed a simple questionnaire for youth exiting JDF. Commissioner Davis seconded.

Respectfully submitted

Andre Davis