

LPSCC Executive Meeting

Summary Minutes for November 3, 2015

Attendees

LPSCC Executive Committee Members

Judy Shiprack, Commissioner District 3, LPSCC Co-chair

Lane Borg, Metropolitan Public Defenders
Julie Frantz, Judge
Joanne Fuller, County Health Department
Judy Hadley, Citizen Representative
Suzanne Hayden, Citizens' Crime Commission
Edward Jones, Chief Criminal Court Judge
Diane McKeel, Commissioner District 4
Maureen McKnight, Chief Family Court Judge
Christina McMahan, DCJ Juvenile Services Director
Tim Moore, Multnomah County Sheriff's Office
Annie Neal, Domestic Violence Coordinator
Larry O'Dea, Portland Police Bureau Chief
Brian Renauer, Portland State University
Jeremiah Stromberg, Department of Corrections
Rod Underhill, District Attorney
Nan Waller, Presiding Circuit Court Judge

Other Attendees

Galina Abrams, County IT
Scott Asphaug, US Attorney's Office
Jules Bailey, Commissioner District 1
Kimberly Bernard, Department of Community Justice
Dave Braaksma, Multnomah County Sheriff's Office
Sam Breyer, Centennial School District Superintendent
Lorena Campbell, East County Schools
LaFreda Ceaser, Central City Concern
Sharon Darcy, Pathfinder's of Oregon
Antoinette Edwards, Mayor's Office

Mary Geelan, Juvenile Court
Jason Heilbrun, County IT
James K. Hiu, Gresham-Barlow School District Deputy Superintendent
Neal Japport, Oregon Judicial Department
Matthew Lashua, Commissioner Shiprack's Office
Christine Lewis, Commissioner Bailey's Office
Mark Lyen, County IT
Steve March, County Auditor's Office
Barbara Marcille, Multnomah County Sheriff's Office
Shea Marshman, Multnomah County Sheriff's Office
Mike McArthur, Association of Oregon Counties
Kim Melton, Multnomah County Chair's Office
Jagjit Nagra, US Senator Jeff Merkley's Office
Truls Neal, Department of Community Justice
Alison Noice, CODA Inc
Christina Owen, City of Portland
Michelle Plambeck, Commissioner Shiprack's Office
Erika Pruitt, Department of Community Justice
Adam Renon, Commissioner Shiprack's Office
Jay Scroggin, Department of Community Justice
Patrick Sieng, Association of Oregon Counties
Kathryn Sofich, Department of Community Justice
Chris Yager, Budget Office

LPSCC Staff

Abbey Stamp, Executive Director
Amanda Lamb, LPSCC Analyst
Lily Yamamoto, Justice Reinvestment Project Manager
Christina Youssi, Executive Assistant

Introductions, Announcements, and Approval of Minutes

Commissioner Judy Shiprack called the meeting to order and introductions were made.

- The September 29th minutes were approved.
- Amanda Lamb was introduced as the new LPSCC Analyst.
- Judge Jones is now the Chief Criminal Judge, and Judge Frantz will remain involved with LPSCC and its subcommittees. Judge Frantz acknowledged the uniqueness of LPSCC.
- Commissioner Shiprack noted she and Abbey Stamp attended a meeting in Washington DC on Data-Driven Justice. There is a national synergy around many of the criminal justice issues Multnomah County is addressing.
- The What Works Conference will be January 14th in Salem, Oregon.
- MCSO Chief Deputy Tim Moore addressed the recent Emergency Population Releases (EPR). An EPR happens when the jail is at 95% of capacity. One factor this

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year is building maintenance at the jail. Commissioner Shiprack requested a look at the last 6 months of jail use.

- Rod Underhill said the Multnomah County District Attorney's Office hosted the event "Prosecutors Against Gun Violence" that was attended by prosecutors from around the country.
- Judge Waller noted Judge Patrick Henry is a new judge in Family Law. The court is hosting the MBA annual legislative breakfast. One of the focuses will be MCJRP.
- Commissioner Shiprack recognized Commissioner Bailey's attendance.

Portland Public Schools Update

Portland Public Schools' (PPS) Assistant Superintendent Antonio Lopez gave an update on disproportionate exclusionary discipline. The superintendent has prioritized reducing overall exclusionary discipline and to reducing disproportionality in exclusionary discipline. The presentation focused on 2014-2015 data on 4-year graduation rate by presence or absence of exclusion during high school; percent of students excluded over time; exclusionary incidents per 100 students; and the percentage of students excluded at least once by race and gender. Graphs were used to show the district is on track to achieve its goals. The key strategies are Collaborative Action Research for Equity (CARE), Positive Behavioral Interventions & Supports (PBIS), and Restorative Justice (RJ).

House Bill 553, which limits the use of out-of-school suspension or expulsion for students in kindergarten through fifth grade, will have an impact on k-5 exclusions. PPS has added counselors, kindergarten education assistants, school climate TOSAs (Teachers on Special Assignment) and RJ and PBIS support across the district.

For more information, see the [Portland Public Schools Presentation](#).

East County Schools Update

Sam Breyer, Superintendent of Centennial School District, set goals to reduce expulsions by 50%. His presentation included the district's expulsions and out-of-school suspensions overall trend and trends by ethnicity. The out-of-school suspension relative rate index was reviewed. Changing policies on weapons and drug possession has had a positive impact on reducing expulsions. The number of days out of school has been reduced.

James Hiu of Gresham Barlow presented yearly snapshots of the district's ethnicity and of school exclusion. Attendance is a community issue. Increasing attendance by 5% increases graduation rate by 8%.

For more detail, see the [CSD GBSD Presentation](#).

Next Meeting

Update on OJJDP Gang Assessment, CHI Early Intervention, CSEC, and Pay for Success.