



MULTNOMAH COUNTY OREGON DETENTION REFORM INITIATIVE

Juvenile Justice Council (JJC)

March 19, 2012 (Monday)

12:00 pm – 1:30 pm

Juvenile Justice Complex - large conference room

1401 NE 68th Avenue

Portland, Oregon 97213

MEETING MINUTES

Meeting Attendees:

Craig Bachman	Christina McMahan	Linda Hughes	Julie McFarlane	Carla Piluso	Ed Hamann	Heather Updike
Steve Walker	Joanne Fuller	Rick Jensen	Keith Meisenheimer	Merri Wyatt	Diane Stuart	Judge Nan Waller
Tom Cleary	Carolyn Graf	Dave Knofler	Thach Nguyen	Charlene Rhyne	Susan Svetkey	Thuy Vanderlinde
Keith Bickford	Rob Halverson	Abbey Stamp	Louise Palmer	Tom Ryan	Scott Taylor	Mary-Margaret Wheeler-Weber
Tina Edge	Debbie Hansen	Paula Kurshner	Donna Henderson	Sara Westbrook	Katherine Tennyson	Kevin Donegan
William H. Feyerherm	Carol Herzog	Michael Loy	Christine Pedersen	Brett Smith	Rod Underhill	Judge Maureen McKnight

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<p>Welcome and Introductions</p> <p>Christina McMahan Juvenile Services Director</p>	<p>Judge Nan Waller was delayed -- Christina McMahan welcomed the group and everyone introduced themselves.</p>	<p>If you have questions or need more information, contact:</p> <p>Christina McMahan Juvenile Service Division Director 1401 NE 68th Street Portland, OR 97213 (503) 988-3460 Christina.mcmahan@multco.us</p>
<p>Safe Streets & Gangs</p> <p>Debbie Hansen, Oregon Youth Authority Eric Zimmerman, District Attorney's Office Steve Walker, Juvenile Service Division Community Justice Detention Intake Manager</p>	<p>Steve Walker could not be here due to scheduling. Eric gave some background on his involvement with this program in which he speaks to various groups on the ramifications of guns and gangs. His goal is community outreach. The focus is to redirect youth's behavior by alerting and working collaboratively with Juvenile Detention when a youth is contacted and has a probation violation, is exhibiting dangerous behavior or believes to be at imminent risk if intervention does not take place as soon as possible. The response has been effective and youth are aware there will be consequences to their actions which previously they did not.</p>	<p>If you have questions or need more information, contact:</p> <p>Debbie Hansen Oregon Youth Authority 1401 NE 68th Avenue Portland, OR 97213 debbie.hansen@state.or.us</p> <p>Eric Zimmerman</p>

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	<p>There was a suggestion to outreach to the large groups at funerals - also, have groups contact Eric to come and present.</p>	<p>District Attorney's Office eric.zimmerman@mcdca.us</p>
<p>Juvenile Justice Policies Update</p> <p>Heather Updike Multco Administrative Analysis</p>	<p>Heather gave her yearly update on juvenile policies that have passed or are in the process of review. A policy to be reviewed normally rises to the attention of needing revision, when there are new programming updates or a law is changed. The revision is guided by County Counsel and based on best practices. The Youth Shackling Policy will be discussed at a future next meeting.</p> <p>If anyone would like to read juvenile policies, please contact Heather -- they are determining if policies should be made available for public viewing. Christina will take to the Department of Community Justice Executive Committee for discussion.</p>	<p>If you have questions or need more information, contact:</p> <p>Heather Updike 501 SE Hawthorne Blvd Portland, OR 97214 503-823-1040 Heather.updike@multco.us</p>
<p>Federal Title 4E Update</p> <p>Christina McMahan Juvenile Services Director</p>	<p>Christina shared a handout describing issue (see below). There is currently an RFP out and 7 counties have volunteered to be pilot sites -- an advisory group will select the finalists. We do need to infrastructure to implement the claiming piece and it was suggested to review the outcomes of each site responding to the RFP to ensure sites are successful before being considered. Christina will take these issues forward to the taskforce working these issues and will continue to discuss this with the Juvenile Justice Council Executive Committee.</p>	<p>If you have questions or need more information, contact:</p> <p>Christina McMahan Juvenile Service Division Director 1401 NE 68th Street Portland, OR 97213 (503) 988-3460 Christina.mcmahan@multco.us</p>
<p>Agency Updates & Annie E. Casey Foundation "Deep End" Initiative</p>	<p>The judiciary is implementing cuts and will be announced soon which involve a 3.5% cut by May 1st. Ecorp will go forward as it was recently approved.</p> <p>Oregon Youth Authority is experience cuts and the hiring has slowed down -- Colette Peters has been appointed the new director. They currently have an RFP out to fund residential beds as they lost 100 correctional beds due to budget cuts.</p> <p>The Department of Community Justice is still in budget talks for both adult and juvenile services -- Scott Taylor and Christina McMahan are meeting with the Chair's office -- the Chair's budget should be out in May or early June.</p> <p>There was a suggestion to review the revised system hydraulics after the May budget fallout so we know what will be impacted.</p> <p>Rick Jensen stated the Annie E. Casey Foundation is funding a Deep End initiative that focuses on "right kid - right place". Bart Lubow from the foundation has currently visited Multnomah County and has invited us to participate in working the "deep end" of the system. This will entail a</p>	<p>If you have any questions about this council, contact:</p> <p>Tina Edge Multco System Reform & Community Placement Specialist 1401 NE 68th Avenue Portland, OR 97213 503 988-3083 Tina.a.edge@multco.us</p>

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	<p>collaborative approach by several system partners starting with a conference this summer. Two sites will be selected to do the work and become model sites for others.</p> <p>A letter signed by system partners needs to get to the foundation by the end of the month to be considered.</p>	

Facilitator: Christina McMahan / Judge Waller

Recorder: Tina Edge

Next meeting ...
April 16 , 2012 (Monday)
 12:00noon - 1:30pm
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