

**CRIMINAL JUSTICE COORDINATING COUNCIL**  
**Minutes – July 18, 2013**

**Call to Order.** Chair Gubbin called the meeting of the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council to order at 4:02 P.M. in the Courthouse Conference Center on the second floor of the Rock County Courthouse-East.

**Committee Members Present:** Tom Gubbin, Judge Daley (at 4:14 P.M.), Lorenzo Henderson (at 4:15 P.M.), Charles Jones, Charmian Klyve, Chief David Moore, Eric Nelson, Lance Horozewski, Perry Folts (for David O’Leary), William Rankin, and Marv Wopat.

**Committee Members Absent:** Max Arriaga, Regina Dunkin, Rich Gruber, Steve Howland, Sandy Kraft and Sheriff Spoden.

**Staff Members Present:** Elizabeth Pohlman McQuillen, Criminal Justice System Planner/Analyst.

**Others Present:** Ty Bollerud, Candy Schenck, Dolly Slappey, Colleen Wisch , Ozell Golden, Ethel Below, and Lynda Owens.

**Approval of Agenda.** Ms. Klyve moved approval of the agenda, second by Mr. Wopat. ADOPTED.

**Approval of Minutes from June 20, 2013.** Mr. Horozewski moved approval of the minutes, second by Mr. Nelson. ADOPTED.

**Systems Mapping Update.** Chair Gubbin said they are still in the process of populating the boxes left to right and when this is completed, they will bring it back to the Committee. Ms. Pohlman McQuillen said they are working with Dara Mosley from IT and the jail staff to obtain data to populate the boxes. They will be working with the District Attorney’s Office after that. Ms. Pohlman McQuillen said 2012 calendar year data would be used.

**Pretrial Monitoring, Proxy, and Assessment Update/Discussion.** Ms.Pohlman McQuillen said she went back to connect with her colleagues around the state to ask them how are they saving money and how using these tools benefit their systems. She said only two responded and several are on vacation. Ms. Pohlman McQuillen said she will connect with many of these people in a few weeks and will talk with them at that time.

**COMPAS/Risk Assessment Tool Example** Chair Gubbin distributed a handout of a completed COMPAS assessment and briefly went through some of the areas and then collected the handout. He said our hope is to gather information and see what and how we want to incorporate this tool for us.

**CJCC Annual Report to the Community** Ms. Pohlman McQuillen distributed the Summer 2013 Report to the Community. Chair Gubbin asked if the newsletter would be on the website and Ms. Pohlman McQuillen replied she would take care of that. Ms. Pohlman McQuillen said she would get a copy to the PS & J Committee and the County Board.

**Evidence-Based Practice Summit Update** Ms. Pohlman McQuillen distributed an overview of this information. She said the National Institute of Corrections (NIC) will hold a summit in the state of Wisconsin and if we were interested in attending, we would have to send a letter of interest. This is a two-day workshop full of valuable information as to why we should implement the Evidence Based Decision Making (EBDM). There is a significant amount of work required if Rock County wants to move its system down this path in the future. The documentation Ms. Pohlman McQuillen distributed touched on the key points of the larger EBDM document and asked the Committee to review this and be ready to discuss at future meetings. Ms. Pohlman McQuillen mentioned that she has been in talks with Nick Sayner from Justice Point in Milwaukee to talk with the committee about their pretrial programs. Ms. Pohlman McQuillen said the statewide CJCC will be meeting on the 30<sup>th</sup> and there will be a presentation from the National Institute of Corrections about the EBDM initiative and summit. She feels Rock County could be a real contender in this and wants the group to be talking about this at its future meetings. Mr. Nelson stated he felt that Rock County would also be a contender and he wants us to improve and said we have a good group to make this happen.

### **Grants Update.**

**TAD Grant.** Ms. Pohlman McQuillen said we should be receiving the same amount of funding as we have in the past. She also said there is \$1 million extra in the state budget for TAD and \$500,000 for new drug courts. There is a TAD symposium on August 23 in Madison.

**Federal Drug Court Grant.** Ms. Pohlman McQuillen said this funding will be ending at the end of August and the drug court would be working with Human Services to obtain residential AODA treatment and mental health services for some of its clients.

**CJCC Grant.** Ms. Pohlman McQuillen said this is moving along and will be completed in September. Zia Partners will be in Rock County on September 23 all day.

**CIT Grant.** Ms. Pohlman McQuillen said this is set for the second week in September.

**Discussion Regarding Law Enforcement Concerns.** Chief Moore mentioned we are still seeing heroin issues. Mr. Wopat expressed concern over an AIDS group out of Milwaukee, which distributes clean needles and giving prescriptions for Narcan. Mr. Wopat is questioning the legality of the distribution of prescriptions. He also commented on the waiting lists for treatment, the need for more treatment places in Rock County—half-way houses and secondary houses are not around. He said he had received two phone calls from mothers regarding their children needing treatment and they were unable to receive help. Chair Gubbin mentioned he and Ms. Pohlman McQuillen can do some research to see what may be available in the area. Mr. Rankin inquired if Drug Court has enough slots for everyone. Chief Moore stated that juveniles start using with prescription drugs and go from there. Judge Daley said drug treatment court is for adults in Rock County, not juveniles. Mr. Wopat mentioned Rockford has Rosecrance. Mr. Horozewski said Ashland County has a Juvenile Drug Court. Mr. Bollerud inquired about the cost of drug court. Ms. Owens commented the jail staff takes necessary medications away from the inmates and they need this. Mr. Nelson mentioned that some inmates are addicted to substances and we do not have a mental health court that would address many questions. (Ms. Klyve left at 4:50 P.M.)

**Discussion Regarding Future Areas for CJCC Focus/Action** Mr. Wopat suggested half-way houses, secondary homes, and a heroin treatment center. Mr. Wopat said it could be two weeks to

a month before a heroin addict can get admitted for treatment. When the addict is ready, treatment needs to be available. Mr. Horozewski said there's a bill in the works for 17 year olds to go back into the juvenile justice system he thinks the CJCC should discuss, as well as the new provision in the state budget for taking DNA upon arrest.

**Citizen Participation and Announcements.** Mr. Bollerud had numerous questions regarding an eligibility payment program regarding fines, income eligibility, and garnishment of wages and shelter income eligibility on how to pay fines. He had suggestions for changing a form. Chair Gubbin said he would meet with him after the meeting. There was a question from one of the citizens in regards to her adult child, on probation, who was ordered to be on medication from the judge, and why is the probation officer not enforcing this? Who is liable? This person is a danger to himself and the community if he does not take his medication. Chair Gubbin said he would speak with her after the meeting.

**Future Meeting Date: To Be Discussed and Determined.** Chair Gubbin said he hasn't heard much feedback regarding the time of the meetings, Sheriff Spoden prefers 3:00 P.M. Chair Gubbin said the next CJCC meeting is Thursday, August 15, 2013, at Rock Valley Community Programs, Inc., 203 W. Sunny Lane, Janesville at 3:00 P.M.

**Adjournment.** Chair Gubbin adjourned at 5:17 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Sue Zastoupil  
Human Resources Secretary

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