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CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE (CAC)
Clark County
Department of Juvenile Justice Services
Harbor NLV-3001 N. Martin Luther King Blvd.
Telephonic Conference: (563)999-2090 Access Code 943-495

October 28th, 2021, at 9am

Advisory Members Present: Tiffany Tyler-Garner, Patrick Schreiber, David Doyle, Ricardo Villalobos, Christina Vela, and Lee Quick

Advisory Members Absent: Eric Gant, Ronald Coe, Dominika Washington, and Ilia Sanchez

Attendees: John Martin and Cheri Wright

Minutes completed by: Shannon Freire

- I. Call to Order – 9:04am**
- II. Public Comments**
- III. Approval of 7/7/21 CAC minutes**
- IV. Approval of Agenda**
- V. Receive the Director’s Report on the Activities of the Department of Juvenile Justice Services (DJJS)**
 - a. DJJS Statistics**
 - i. We are still working through the changeover from Familytracs to Caseload Pro, our new case management system. With the ability to collect data, there was miscommunication with the vendor. Reports should be available by 2022.
 - ii. We continue to focus on room time for youth and data around that including demographics, Probation Officer, etc.
 - iii. There has been an increase in detention population lately though still at a historically low count. We were at 86 this morning.
 - b. Budget/Personnel**
 - i. Bid for the second SMRC house will be out until November. The old house is finally torn down and will start construction too! It is on schedule to be done by Nov/Dec 2022. They are raising the fence for safety concerns and will add shaded areas for outside use.
 - ii. We submitted 5 proposals for American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding; Girls Programming, Vocational Program, TPOP Expansion, Harbor Mobile and Rural Response, and Harbor Crisis Response. A total of \$440 million dollars was allocated for Clark County.
 - iii. DJJS also submitted a BSC application for promoting equity, community, and wellbeing for youth of color. We were selected and are partnering with District Court, CCSD, Las Vegas Metro Police Department, and

DFS. We will work with 5 other jurisdictions across the nation on how to cross barriers within the youth juvenile justice systems and communities in reducing racial and ethnic disparities for youth of color.

c. Legislation

- i. Still working on implementing last year's legislation, mainly increase of training.

d. Juvenile Justice Probation Reform

- i. Forward Thinking is facilitated by line staff. It was launched at SMYC early this month. It has been well received by staff and youth.
- ii. Growth-focused case management update-Training will start in January. This system will work hand in hand with YLS as it is tailored specifically to youth's individualized needs.

e. Juvenile Justice Programming

- i. Workforce Connections is offering a Fellows Program to DJJS staff and vendors. This program will teach participants about Workforce Connections programs, eligibility and referral processes. In addition, the Fellows Program will familiarize participants with important community programs and resources. Participants will be able to bring this valuable information back to their teammates. The program is scheduled to start on Thursday, October 7th.
- ii. Family engagement efforts continue in all divisions and all our practices. Making parents and guardians feel like part of the team and that we are a support to them makes a big difference.
- iii. October 9th, Las Vegas My Brother's Keeper Alliance presented the Inaugural Young Men of Color Conference at UNLV. There were over 400 people in attendance! Stakeholders, parents, youth, etc. all attended. We hope to have a Women's conference in the future and keep this discussion going.

f. The Harbor Update

- i. Harbor locations will have served more than 20,000 youth by the end of the year!
- ii. School being back in person has increased our referrals. We have presented to school counselors and school social workers from all three regions for elementary, middle, and high schools.
- iii. The Harbor and The Truancy Prevention Outreach Program hosted a Fall Resource Fair at The Flamingo Harbor on Saturday, October 9th from 11am-3pm. Turnout was great.
- iv. The Harbor is undergoing a comprehensive Policy and Procedure review.
- v. We are currently planning The Harbor's 5-year birthday!!! We are excited to now have 5 locations across the valley.

g. Truancy Prevention and Outreach Program Update

- i. There has been 7,500 youth served at TPOP.
- ii. TPOP is now in 90 CCSD schools! We would love to serve all 400 one day.

VI. CAC Strategic Goals

a. Increase programming to improve client outcomes, using evidence-based practices and measuring performance

b. Reduce disproportionate minority contact through the use of targeted strategies and programs

c. Post juvenile justice services transition

- i. We completed our first pilot program to support youth transitioning from DJJS. Thank you DeDe Parker, from District Court, for your creative way to find funding for much needed housing.
- ii. The Adventure Program is continuing to motivate youth to attend school, work harder for good grades, increase good behaviors, etc. They recently camped in Utah and had a great time. It was a first time for many youth. They have also been ice skating, played dodge ball and many other fun events. People are getting to know each other at these events and building relationships. It is nice to see kids being kids and doing things they might not have the opportunity to do without this program.

h. Improve facilities to provide increased security and increased rehabilitative and vocational opportunities

VII. Informational Items

a. Identify emerging issues to be addressed by the Committee at future meetings

- i. Dave Doyle shared news from the governor's office; Nevada was given another extension for PSR. Thank you, Sarah Deerborn for keeping us involved. The transition will begin December first which gives us time for care coordination training in November.

b. Other information that may be of interest to the Committee and the public

c. Announcements

Date	Meeting	Time and location
3 rd Thurs monthly	DFS CAC	8:30-10am DFS Central Clark room, 121 S. Martin Luther King
11/18	Policy and Fiscal Affairs meeting	12:30pm in the Govt. Center, 6 th floor in the Joshua Conference Room
12/15	Harbor Executive Steering Committee	1-3pm The Harbor 861 N. Mojave Rd.
11/10	DJJS JDAI (JJ Detention Alternatives Initiative Committee)	12pm DJJS Director's Conference room

**SPRING MOUNTAIN HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL
2021 SCHEDULE**

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	TIME/Result
Friday	August 27			
Friday	September 3			
Friday	September 10	Word of Life	Spring Mountain	3PM/
Friday	September 17			
Friday	September 24	Pahranagat Valley	Alamo	7PM/
Friday	October 1	Green Valley Christian *	Spring Mountain	3PM/
Friday	October 8	Indian Springs *	Indian Springs	7PM/
Friday	October 15	Mountain View Christian *	Mountain View	TBD
Friday	October 22	Sandy Valley *	Spring Mountain	3PM/
Thursday	October 28	Beaver Dam *	Spring Mountain	2PM/
<i>Friday/Saturday</i>	<i>November 5/6</i>	<i>Playoff – vs. West #1 or #2 – TBD</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>TBD</i>
<i>Saturday</i>	<i>November 13</i>	<i>State Semi Final – TBD Neutral Site</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>TBD</i>
<i>Friday/Saturday</i>	<i>November 19/20</i>	<i>1A State Championship –TBD North Neutral Site</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>TBD</i>

- **Bold** – Denotes home games at Golden Eagle Field.
- *Italics* – Denotes State Playoff Schedule

VIII. Public Comments – N/A

IX. Adjournment – 9:40am