

CRIMINAL JUSTICE COORDINATING COUNCIL
Minutes – April 16, 2015

Call to Order. Chair Nelson called the meeting of the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council to order at 3:01 P.M. in the Courthouse Conference Center on the second floor of the Rock County Courthouse-East.

Committee Members Present: Eric Nelson, Supervisor Billy Bob Grahn (alt. for Supervisor Sandra Kraft), Lance Horozewski, William Rankin, Heath Bierman (alt. for Charles Jones), Deputy Chief John Olsen (alt. for Chief David Moore), Steve Howland, Max Arriaga, Jim Neitzel (alt. for Troy Enger), Troy Enger, Charmian Klyve, Commander Erik Chellevoid (alt. for Sheriff Robert Spoden) and then Angela Moore at 3:09.

Committee Members Absent: Judge Daley, Regina Dunkin, Lorenzo Henderson, Marv Wopat and David O’Leary.

Staff Members Present: Elizabeth Pohlman McQuillen, Criminal Justice System Planner/Analyst; Tracey VanZandt, HR Secretary; Josh Smith, County Administrator; Kate Flanagan, Mental Health/AODA Division Manager.

Others Present: Neil Deupree; Ethel Below; Officer Brian Foster, JPD; Sara Gerar, Janesville Psychiatric Clinic; Amy Edwards, JPC; Justin Marko, JPC.

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

Approval of Minutes of March 19, 2015. Supervisor Grahn moved approval of the minutes, second by Ms. Klyve. ADOPTED.

Update on AODA Funding and Officer Foster’s Heroin Project. Supervisor Grahn started the discussion. He housed a heroin addict over the weekend. He stated that this person was not from Janesville and not familiar with the area. Supervisor Grahn emptied a bag of drug paraphernalia on the table. The addict was able to obtain everything in this bag in that three day time span and this is with having never been previously to Janesville. This should show what kind of problem that is currently happening in our community. Supervisor Grahn stated that we need to support Officer Foster in his efforts. Supervisor Grahn made a motion to create a flowchart for commitment to emergency services (either help from individuals or agencies). There was discussion on this motion but no second or vote.

Officer Foster stated that things have declined quickly since he reported at our March meeting. He is taking addicts in for assistance and they are being told they cannot be seen until Friday. Why? People will argue that there is a bigger demand but Officer Foster feels we need one unified effort.

Ms. Klyve read the HSD year to date budget numbers. She stated that part of the problem is there is a six week waiting list for Suboxone treatment through the Janesville Psychiatric Clinic. This can only be prescribed by a Doctor of Psychiatry and they are limited to 100 patients. Janesville Psychiatric Clinic states that their Doctor just doesn’t have enough hours in the day. They need another doctor that can prescribe Suboxone. Ms. Flanagan stated that she agrees that there is a lack of coordination. Officer Foster asked if HSD could get signed waivers from clients that want help so Officer Foster can keep them accountable. Officer Foster would only be contacted if client moves, tests dirty or misses an appointment. It was asked if the jail could house these addicts. Commander

Chellevoid stated that there are always many cells filled with dope sick guys. Mr. Rankin asked if the addicts are being asked if they have insurance or being advised of the Affordable Care Act while in jail. Yes, this is always done. Mr. Horozewski said that the AODA Steering Committee is already working on this issue and has a flow chart in progress. This issue is better handled within the AODA Steering Committee. They are open meetings. Ms. Pohlman McQuillen feels that local providers have fallen off with interest on AODA committee. Can CJCC reach out to the local providers and re-energize?

Discussion Regarding Grover Norquist's Criminal Justice Reform Efforts. Mr. Horozewski provided handout. No discussion.

Update on EBDM Initiative. EBDM is underway. Kick off meeting was on Wednesday, April 15, 2015. Not many judges were able to attend first meeting due to personal/work conflicts. Mr. Nelson handed out EBDM PowerPoint presentation and reviewed briefly. Ground rules were also established at the kick off meeting. Everyone is very optimistic about the initiative.

Discussion Regarding DNA Collection upon Arrest. Commander Chellevoid states this is currently being done. It is not necessarily running smoothly. It is a work in progress. The law is still being interpreted. Five updates have come out since April 1. There has also been discussions about how this affects juveniles. This does increase the booking process but things will get better as process is streamlined.

Discussion Regarding Law Enforcement Concerns. None.

Consideration of Future Areas for CJCC Focus/Action. None.

Citizen Participation and Announcements. Mr. Deupree made announcement that CIT training is going on right now. 32 officers are currently being trained.

Future Meeting Date: Thursday, May 21, 2015, 3:00 P.M., Courthouse Conference Center, 2nd Floor Courthouse East

Adjournment. Ms. Klyve moved adjournment at 4:18 P.M., second by Commander Chellevoid. ADOPTED.

Respectfully submitted,

Tracey VanZandt
HR Secretary

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