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# FCCC and FC-JRAC Advisory Board

Floyd County Community Corrections and Justice Reinvestment Advisory Council

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*Regular Meeting: July 11, 2022 – 12 PM at Prosser*

## Minutes

- I. Welcome
- II. Attendance and Announcements
  - a. Denise Beckwith proxy for Kelly Deuser. Judge Stiller proxy for Magistrate Flanigan, Matt Lorch proxy for Michelle Marquand, Denise Konkle proxy for John Schellenberger
  - b. Evan Bardach no longer at prosecutor's office. Judge Stiller filling role as vice chair. Judge Stiller suggests election of officers to take place in October as planned, but be appointed immediately rather than in January. Matt Lorch makes motion, Denise Konkle seconds. Motion passed unanimously.
  - c. Laura Elliott appointed as secretary.
- III. Minutes from 4/18 meeting
  - a. Denise Konkle motions to approve minutes. Denise Beckwith seconds. Passed unanimously.
- IV. Project LEAD/System of Care
  - a. July 1 changes several laws
  - b. Subcommittee for Project Lead formed at last meeting.
    - i. System of Care: connection of service providers, used to identify gaps in services within the community
    - ii. Comprehensive opiate substance abuse program funding comes from BJA and JRAC, COSAC grant used to identify gaps
    - iii. Applying for another grant for \$100,000 in addition to 200k grant
    - iv. Approximately 53 referrals thus far, 23 people have gotten assistance
    - v. Referrals go to Ann Carothers and Amanda Omar to connect clients to resources
    - vi. This is a one-time pilot for Floyd County. 91 other counties are trying to implement this program.
    - vii. Serves those that are pretrial and post-conviction
    - viii. Generally voluntary and not a court-mandated program. This program offers immediate assistance for low level clients, typically people with mental health and substance abuse issues that cycle through justice system.
    - ix. Project Lead can be in addition to probation, but in that instance Project Lead would not provide case management. Clients would report to FCCC or probation in order to avoid duplication of services.
  - c. Stiller: We only have 4 meetings a year, we should utilize email to add to agenda, etc.
  - d. System of Care currently working in collaboration with about 35 agencies.
- V. Jail Update provided by Sherriff Loop
  - a. David Furman resigned from Sheriff's Dept. Brett O'Loughlin is new jail commander. Kara Hodges appointed as inmate liaison and is there to help inmates in crisis.
  - b. Kelley Stafford, LCSW is jail therapist. FCJ has grant from IDOC for men's recovery dorm. Recovery dorm consists of AA, substance recovery, and cognitive behavioral therapy. Kelley has started women's recovery groups. The jail is working in connection with Yvonne Haub with Floyd County Community Corrections for cognitive behavioral programming. Peer recovery

group started for inmate workers due to not having access to classes during work hours. All officers trained in mental health first aid. Kelley is going to also train all officers coming through academy in mental health first aid.

- c. Kara's work includes inmate case management, assisting inmates with health insurance, and referring inmates to substance use treatment outside of jail.

VI. Director Randelia requests permission from the board to create line item and use funding for department firearms. Sherriff Loop makes motion, Mr. Lorch seconds. Motion is approved unanimously.

- a. Brittany Webster asked if there would be any issues with insurance. Sherriff Loop stated that FCCC would fall under county insurance. De-escalation training was discussed, and Sherriff Loop stated that FCCC could participate in Sherriff's Department training.
- b. Judge Stiller requested that a policy should be in place for those employees that carry a gun/use a vehicle. Director Randelia agreed and said that they already have a policy created and he will provide that to the board in the next meeting.

VII. Director Randelia requests permission to purchase 2 new vehicles through project income. Sherriff Loop makes a motion, Brittany Webster seconds. Motion is approved unanimously.

- a. Reverend Pimpleton asked if the vehicles will be outfitted with lights and radios like police officers. Director Randelia stated no, they would not, but police would be called if they were needed. Reverend Pimpleton stated that he was concerned for the safety of the supervision officers, and Director Randelia stated that FCCC is getting training, guns, and vests.

VIII. FCCC Budget

- a. Director Randelia based this budget on assumption that all grant money requested will be awarded from DOC. All grant money requested is not usually awarded and budget will be amended based on funds granted.
- b. Sherriff Loop makes motion that FCCC Director has discretion to make changes to budget once final numbers are received without Board approval. Matt Lorch seconds the motion. Motion is passed unanimously.
- c. Judge Stiller agrees to write letters of support for grant requests.

IX. FCCC Director states the 2021 annual reports are not clear, but he is working to clarify. Annual report was submitted to commissioners. DOC, and board. Sheriff Loop states email of annual report should suffice and if commissioners want him on agenda they can do that.

X. New Laws July 1: Now a lot of stringent laws in electronic monitoring.

- a. Discussion about whether new laws will require updates to SOPs. If so, that will be prepared by October meeting
- b. FCCC is addressing changes by meeting with Sherriff's Department. Discussion about possibility of needing more officers in the future and staff to dedicate more time to FCCC surveillance work.
- c. Denise Beckwith makes point that the state seems to be trying to keep juveniles out of detention and will likely mandate more electronic monitoring. Daraius Randelia states that FCCC loses money on supervising juveniles and they require more surveillance.

XI. Please email if there is an interest in stepping into chair or vice chair role. Judge Stiller is happy to continue role as chairperson.

XII. Meeting adjourns at 1:15 p.m. Brittany Webster made motion to adjourn. Denise Beckwith seconded. Vote is unanimous.

XIII. Next regular meeting date is October 17 at noon