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## **17<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Criminal Justice Coordinating Council**

Chair: District Attorney Brian Mason

Vice Chair: Public Defender Emily Fleischmann

January 17, 2024

### **Meeting Minutes**

#### **1. Introductions and Attendance**

Brian Mason  
Emily Fleischmann  
Amanda Jones  
Johanna Siens  
Kyle Seedorf  
Simone Jones  
Jennifer Singh  
Steve O'Dorisio  
Matt Domenico  
Terrence Gordon  
Kim Messina  
Amanda Bailhache  
Don Quick  
Mike Clement  
Toni Wehman  
Karen Schweihs  
Tonya Isenbart

#### **2. 10.18.23 Meeting Minutes Approved**

Motion to Approve by Emily Fleischmann, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Steve O'Dorisio.

#### **3. Called for Public Comment- No Public Comment**

CJCC Meetings - Public Comment

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Meeting ID: 260 912 181 753

Passcode: 8hyCh4

#### **4. CJCC Membership Open Seats- Toni Wehman**

- Governance Officer Toni Wehman reviewed the current open seats on the CJCC- including Municipal Public Defender, Municipal Court Administrator, and 3 Community-at-Large Seats

#### **5. 2023 CJCC Annual Report Draft for Review- District Attorney Brian Mason**

District Attorney Brian Mason reviewed the re-starting of the CJCC process, the 2023 Fresh Start Day and the six subcommittees that make up the current CJCC.

Subcommittee Chairs reviewed their 2023 projects along with Governance Officer Toni

Wehman and CJCC Director Karen Schweih.

Motion to adopt the 2023 CJCC Annual Report was raised by Chief Judge Don Quick, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Emily Fleischmann.

**6. CJCC Project Updates provided by Karen Schweih**

- *Fresh Start 2024* will occur on Friday, May 10, 2024, from 9:00am to 2:30pm, with a break for lunch. Please hold calendar time until 4:00pm for the day. In-person and virtual courts will be offered. Fresh Start Planning Group meets on 2.9.24 at 12:00pm if you would like to participate.
- *Violence Prevention Action Team Grant (VPAT)* in partnership with Adams County Health Department
  - Grant Funding awarded for \$50,000 to develop a strategic plan to address youth and community violence prevention. This team will develop concrete steps to achieve our goals. Please let us know if you would like to participate.

**7. Subcommittee Updates**

- **Behavioral Health- Emma Pinter, Board Chair of Adams County Commissioners- Update provided by Karen Schweih**
  - Commissioner Pinter and Sheriff- update on the RFI and next steps towards building a crisis & detox center for the 17<sup>th</sup> JD.
  - Behavioral Health Competency Challenges
- **Alternative Sanctions- Don Quick, 17<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Chief Judge**
  - HB 23-1132- Update on coordination with municipal & state courts- Data Sharing Task Force  
<https://www.courts.state.co.us/Administration/Unit.cfm?Unit=cdstf>
  - Update on Competency Court/Docket- Coordinating staffing with judges, District Attorney's Office, and Public Defender's Office.
- **Crime Prevention- Gene Claps, Adams County Sheriff, update provided by Toni Wehman**
  - #FreeGunLockWeek and #LockYourGun Campaign 2023.
  - Firearm Safety Brochures created.
  - Medication-Assisted Treatment (MAT) Grant Application Submitted.
  - Adams County Jail meets minimum standards for MAT Program funded by county for 2024. Grant Application to add 50 more inmates to the MAT evidence-based program.
- **Juvenile Justice- Terrence Gordon, Thornton Chief of Police**
  - Juvenile Assessment Center Project- Developing a 501c3.
  - Developing 17<sup>th</sup> JD JAC By-Laws.

- RFI Response for remaining Link funds.
- Will be developing a governance board.
- **JEDI- Steve O’Doriso, Adams County Commissioner**
  - JEDI Memo- Statewide update on data collection process throughout the criminal justice system through Division of Criminal Justice.
  - Implicit Bias Training Survey created to determine current implicit bias training offered by each agency.

**8. Next CJCC Meeting**

- 11:30am- 1:00pm at the District Attorney’s Office on Wednesday, March 20, 2024

