

CRIMINAL JUSTICE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

September 8, 2010

Administrative Center Room 3220

11:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Dennis Montabon, John Perlich, Brian Barton for Tim Gruenke, Elliott Levine for Ramona Gonzalez, Jane Klekamp, Steve O'Malley

MEMBERS EXCUSED: Steve Helgeson, Bill Hammes, Tom Locante, Steve Doyle

OTHERS PRESENT: Terri Pavlic

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 11:42 a.m.

APPROVAL OF AUGUST 11, 2010 MINUTES OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE MANAGEMENT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The August 11, 2010 CJMC Executive Committee minutes were approved as submitted.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment.

EVIDENCE BASED DECISION MAKING

Jane reported that we did not get the technical assistance grant regarding Evidenced Based Decision Making from the NIC that we applied for. It was discussed whether or not we could still send people to the training in Washington DC, but cover the expense ourselves. Jane does have an e-mail into them to ask if this would be possible, but we're still waiting to hear back. Even though we did not get this grant, the group feels it is still important to do training on evidence based practices to each of the specific areas in the system (City of La Crosse Police, Onalaska Police, Sheriff, DA, DOC, Judges, Jailers, Justice Sanctions) and make sure that they are on board with this project. The framework is laid out in the workbook so we can also work on this on our own. The other thought was to have the trainers come here to train all of the different areas.

Judge Perlich proposed:

1. Determine if we can send someone to Washington D.C. If they will allow this, we will send some of our people for training.
2. Talk to Mark Carey
 - a. Ask him if we can do this project on our own
 - b. Outline of how to do it
 - c. Recommend training session

Judge Perlich also suggested doing a presentation to the CJMC regarding how punishment doesn't change a person's behavior and reaffirming these principles to the Council.

DISPROPORTIONATE MINORITY CONTACT

Bob Lawrence and Joe Smith – from the City of La Crosse Police – went to a training that the State held regarding Disproportionate Minority Contact. Jane has contacted Lindsey Draper from the Office of Justice Assistance to ask if they were holding any more trainings. Mr. Draper, Jane & Bob Lawrence have been discussing the possibility of bringing the trainer to La Crosse County to do the training, with maybe even having Bob Lawrence & Joe Smith helping with it.

ADJOURN

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 12:45 p.m.

Next Meeting Date: October 13th at 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 in the Administrative Center Room 3220.

The above minutes may be approved, amended or corrected at the next Council meeting.

Recorded by Terri Pavlic