

CRIMINAL JUSTICE MANAGEMENT COUNCIL COMMITTEE
April 18, 2012
Law Enforcement Center – Room 1615

MEMBERS PRESENT:	Dennis Montabon, Keith Belzer, Tara Johnson, Judge Dale Pasell, Jim Nesbitt, Tom Locante, Steve Helgeson, Ann Quinlisk, Sharon Hampson, Troy Harcey, Rita Zindorf, Mike Desmond, Dick Mial
MEMBERS EXCUSED:	Ramona Gonzalez, Vicki Burke, Tim Gruenke, Jason Witt, Mike Johnson, Bob Lawrence, Bill Feehan, Michael McHugh
OTHERS PRESENT:	Steve O'Malley, Jane Klekamp, Doris Daggett, Bev Heebsh, Terri Pavlic

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 7:34 a.m.

APPROVAL OF MARCH 21, 2012 MINUTES OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

There were no additions or corrections to the March 21, 2012 CJMC minutes as presented and were approved by the Council.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment.

STATUS REPORTS – Nothing new to report from any of the departments.

JANUARY RETREAT FOLLOW-UP

At the January CJMC Retreat, one of the main topics was Employment Issues for Offenders. The CJPR Committee feels that the next step should be getting approval from the CJMC if this is something that should be undertaken. Some items discussed at the retreat were developing employment relationships, developing a protocol to continue to work with people in Justice Sanctions and the community to train people in the justice system, etc, so they can interview better, be more reliable employees, and how to reach out to employers to develop relationships. A great example of this is the YWCA model. We would need commitment from the Council to keep this as a main project throughout the year and keep this as an ongoing agenda item. Some steps to proceed are:

1. Tara Johnson will talk to the SHRM (Society of Human Resource Managers) group as a next step to see if there is some way they could help with this process.
2. Jane will talk to NIC to see if there are other councils who are working on this type of project and get ideas from them if possible.
3. Jane will compile a list of employment groups from every employment resource.
4. Mike Desmond will have conversations with employers in the area to see what they think about this concept.

COMMUNITY REINVESTMENT ACT

Jane distributed 2 articles regarding the Community Reinvestment Act. The District Attorney in Milwaukee County has been supportive of a Community Justice Reinvestment Act, which is a process where the state distributes money to counties when it can be demonstrated that someone is staying out of the prison system. There has been a push for local criminal justice coordinating councils to support the Community Justice Reinvestment

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Act. Jane will provide more information from Colorado, Washington, and any others she can find.

INFORMATIONAL/MISCELLANEOUS

Jane reminded members that if they have not yet completed their Collaboration Survey, please do so and she will tally for the next mtg.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- Jail programming report
- Employment Issues for Offenders

NEXT MEETING DATE: May 16, 2012

ADJOURN

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:15 a.m. to adjourn

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

Approved May 16, 2012, Recorded by Terri Pavlic