

Minutes – CJC

CRIMINAL JUSTICE MEETING		
8.31.2015	1 PM	COUNTY BOARD ROOM
Meeting Called to order	Robert Eaton	
Attendees	Christa Grande, James Weidenbach, Keith Hiltz, Joanna Kulick, Amanda Popovich, Keith Hiltz, Terri Perry, Kent Tenney, Kathy Beeksma, David Beeksma, Kelly McKnight, Randy Young, Kathy Tuttle, Reba Rice, Kris Matson, Kerry Smith, Abbey Kelly, Tony Jones, Kevin Johnson, Mark Perrine, Dan Miller, Linda Olson, Terry Barningham, LaTricia Dugger, Erica Pydo, Teena Racheli, Mick Brennan, Eric Sharp, Aby Lints, Rachel Coughtry, Tony Jones,	

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Minutes were approved

New Members:

Linda Olson, Benevolence manager at the BRICK.
Amanda Popovich, Ashland School District
Chris Matson, Physician for Northlakes

Old Business:

Sub-committee reports:

Jail Population Review:

49 incarcerated; 9 females, 3 are housed in Bayfield county; 37 males

TAD report:

8 participants,

Probation/Parole

None

Adult Drug court report:

5 active Participants.

We received the SAMSA grant for the next three years. New referrals will be made.

Longrun report: We completed the clean sweep for Herbster, Iron River, and Grand View. We had 79 hours of community service completed.

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Truancy: the Truancy meeting is scheduled for 1:30 on Sept.15th in the county board room.

Children of Incarcerated Parents: Kiosks and videos are in place in the jail and the courthouse. The child exchange program is in place. The pamphlet needs to be updated.

CCR (Coordinated Community Response)

Christa Grande, the CCR is a combined tri-county response team, Ashland, Bayfield, and Iron counties. They are working on a Family Violence Intervention Plan.

New Business:

Reba Rice from Northlakes spoke about the upcoming opiate treatment program. Each case will have an individualized treatment plan for addicts. They might have medicated assisted treatment depending upon the severity and the need.

They have an excepted offer on the Maurice's building. It now is just a matter of completing the work before the move can take place.

Dr. Chris Matson was introduced. She will working with the grant program.

The program needs an advisory group; would the CJC be the appropriate advisory group for this program. Discussion ensued and it was decided that the Coalition on Emerging drugs would probably be the best fit for the Advisory committee because it has members from both counties.

Keith Hilts and Abbey Kelly spoke regarding the status of the AWARE grant. The grant was pulled from Ashland County but then it was given back with a probationary period to complete certain tasks by November 1st.

Harm Reduction – Rachel Coughtry updated the CJC committee on the status of this program. AIDS resource center has a van was in the Chequamegon area and is providing clean needles and information about treatment.

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Chequamegon Coalition on emerging drugs:

The Meth training will take place on October 9th at the Bad River Convention Center. Dr. Nortorangelo, Kelly McKnight, and other presenters.

The Sheriff Departments squad's and park and recreation vehicles have containers for dirty needles. Maslowski and Sunset have needle disposal lock boxes.

Round Robin:

Kevin Johnson, Veteran's officer Bayfield County, there are dollars available to help veterans who are homeless. This includes anyone who was in the military regardless of time in service and discharge status.

Dan Miller with WITC – WITC now has a criminal justice program

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County Imposed \$20 dollar Criminal Justice Prevention fee was tabled.

For our next meeting the Judge asked that we think about the following:

What change can we affect in the community?

What is the single biggest contributing factor to crime in the community?

Our next meeting will be Sept.29th, 2015' 1PM, in the county board room, second floor of the courthouse.