



Dane County

Minutes - Final Unless Amended by Committee

Community Justice Council - Pre-Trial Services Subcommittee

Consider:

Who benefits? Who is burdened?

Who does not have a voice at the table?

How can policymakers mitigate unintended consequences?

Wednesday, December 14, 2022

12:15 PM

Virtual Zoom Meeting: See top of agenda for
instructions on how to join the webinar or call in
by phone

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testimony.

A. Call To Order

Staff: Sarah Jensen and Tamarine Cornelius

Chair McNamara called the meeting to order at 12:18 PM.

Ozanne joined at 12:24 PM.

Frank-Loron left at 12:45 PM.

Present 8 - COLLEEN CLARK-BERNHARDT, CATHERINE DORL, TROY ENGER, CARLO
ESQUEDA, JEFF KOSTELIC, NICK MCNAMARA, ISMAEL OZANNE, and
KERRY PORTER

B. Consideration of Minutes

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A motion was made by KOSTELIC, seconded by CLARK-BERNHARDT, that
the Minutes be approved. The motion carried by a voice vote.

C. Reports to Committee

1. Introduce new Director of Pretrial Services and talk about the new Department of Pretrial Services

Presented by Frank-Loron and Esqueda

Introduction of Frank-Loron, the new Director of Pretrial Services. County Board 2022 OA-028 formalized membership of CJC subcommittees; Frank-Loron is now a voting member.

D. Presentations

1. Advancing Pretrial Policy and Research (APPR) Presentation

Presented by Orleny Rojas, APPR

Introduction of Advancing Pretrial Policy and Research (APPR) and its partnership with the CJC. Discussion regarding public engagement about pretrial justice. This meeting item is the third discussion APPR has held with stakeholders and/or community members. Discussion ensues regarding importance of evidence-based decision-making in pretrial and empirical studies on court appearance and rearrest outcomes. Subcommittee members discuss Dane County's use of electronic monitoring. Discussion of national use peer support in pretrial process and its efficacy. Interest in improving coordination across agencies in the judicial decision-making across agencies with referrals to different programs and community organizations. Interest in understanding how livestreaming in-custody initial appearance hearings impact pretrial outcomes and decision-making.

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2. Community conversation/townhall in January

The CJC and APPR are partnering to host a community conversation/townhall on January 31, 2023. This is still in the planning process, and will incorporate discussion of national, state, and local practices.

E. Action Items

1. Potential motion about adding the Director to the CJC-PT membership

Potential motion about adding the Director to the CJC-PT membership.

This action item is no longer necessary, as discussed in item C1.

F. Future Meeting Items and Dates

Next meeting: February 8th at 12:15pm

Future meetings will be hybrid in the City-County Building (room TBD).

Future Meeting Items: Discussion of report on weekend initial appearance (IA) with insight from stakeholders on analytic approaches from on-the-ground perspectives

G. Public Comment on Items not on the Agenda

None

H. Such Other Business as Allowed by Law

None

I. Adjourn

A motion was made by ESQUEDA, seconded by OZANNE, that the meeting be adjourned. The motion carried unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 1:09 PM.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Sarah Jensen, pending Subcommittee approval