



Dane County

Minutes - Final Unless Amended by Committee

Criminal Justice Council

Consider:

Who benefits? Who is burdened?

Who does not have a voice at the table?

How can policymakers mitigate unintended consequences?

Thursday, September 22, 2022

12:15 PM

Virtual Zoom Meeting: See top of agenda for
instructions

A. Call To Order

Staff: Colleen Clark-Bernhardt, Lindsay Menard, Isabel Anadon, Sarah Jensen

Meeting called to order by ESQUEDA at 12:20 pm.

Judge Hyland attending on behalf of Judge Remington.

PARISI JOINED AT 12:23PM.

PARISI LEFT AT 1:10PM.

OZANNE LEFT AT 1:10PM

**Advisory Members Present: RICHELLE ANDRAE, TROY ENGER, BRENT PLISCH,
and JOHN PATTERSON**

**Advisory Members Excused: CATHERINE DORL, TODD MEURER, and SATYA
RHODES-CONWAY**

Present 6 - KALVIN BARRETT, CARLO ESQUEDA, JOHN HYLAND, PATRICK MILES,
ISMAEL OZANNE, and JOE PARISI

B. Consideration of Minutes

[2022
MIN-284](#)

MINUTES OF THE AUGUST 25, 2022 CRIMINAL JUSTICE COUNCIL
MEETING

Attachments: [2022 MIN-284](#)

[8.25.22 CJC Registration Forms](#)

A motion was made by OZANNE, seconded by BARRETT, that the Minutes be
approved. The motion carried by a voice vote.

C. Presentations

None

D. Reports to Committee

1. Probation and Parole Holds: Department of Correction, Hearings, and Appeals

Presented by Troy Enger and Rachel Pings, Department of Corrections

Review of first presentation. There are currently over 9,000 people on supervision from Dane County. In 2022 in Dane County, the average length of stay of a person who is incarcerated with a DOC P&P hold is 18.3 days. In previous years, the average stay was over 30 days.

Review of second presentation. There are 50 days between the time that hearings are requested and hearings are scheduled. 60% of hearings are ultimately cancelled, and 75% of hearings that are not cancelled are rescheduled for a variety of reasons. There are 10 reasons that revocation hearings can be rescheduled (see attached presentation). Requests for revocation hearings in Dane County have decreased significantly.

Discussion ensued regarding opportunities for programming to increase releases rather than sending people to jail/revocation; about the role of police reports in investigating potential violations; and about the number of people who are on supervised release versus how many people are revoked. Additional research should examine who is incarcerated in the Dane County Jail on an out-of-county warrant.

[2022
PRES-129](#)

REVOCATION HEARINGS

Attachments: [2022 PRES-129](#)

2. OA Regarding the Criminal Justice Council

The Criminal Justice Council (CJC) reviewed and discussed 2022 OA-028; the ordinance amendment would change the membership of the CJC. Discussion ensued regarding the proposal. There was discussion adding community members at subcommittee meetings, rather than at executive-level council meeting and the role of voting members versus advisory members. Discussion between lived experience of incarceration, versus as a victim also occurred. If this proposal proceeds, importance of incorporating organizations that work with victims directly. However, this poses challenges with Marcy's law on sharing victim information.

CJC members are potentially interested in creating a unified statement in response to the ordinance as an action item at a future meeting.

[2022 OA-028](#) AMENDING CHAPTER 15 OF THE DANE COUNTY CODE OF ORDINANCES, REGARDING THE NAME AND MEMBERSHIP OF THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE COUNCIL

Sponsors: HUELSEMANN, BARE, WRIGHT, WEGLEITNER, GLAZER, PELLEBON, GRAY, COLLINS, CHAWLA, DOYLE, JOERS, SMITH and RATCLIFF

- Attachments:** [2022 OA-028](#)
[2022 OA-028 SUB of Chair Miles 09-12-2022](#)
[2022 OA-028 SUB of Sup. Huelsemann 09-13-2022](#)
[2022 OA-028 SUB of Sup. Pellebon](#)
[2022 OA-028 As Amended by PPJ 09-28-2022](#)
[2022 OA-028 Fiscal Note](#)

3. Familiar Faces Initiative –Technical Advisor Availability

Presented by Clark-Bernhardt

Through participation in the Familiar Faces cohort, Dane County can meet with national technical assistance providers. CJC members should attend the calls/meetings that are pertinent to their work.

[2022 PRES-115](#) Ongoing Training and Collaboration as a part of the Familiar Faces National Network

Attachments: [2022 PRES-115](#)

E. Action Items

1. Potential Action on Dashboard Vision for Future

Presented by Clark-Bernhardt and Cornelius

Discussion of the development of CJC data accessibility, sharing, and mission occurred. Discussion of data that is currently available on the CJC website, followed by discussion of what could be included. Discussion of creating a phased-in approach to build dashboards. Discussion about importance of incorporating community feedback into what metrics should be included on the dashboards.

A motion was made by ESQUEDA, seconded by MILES, that the phased-in workplan to build data dashboards be approved. The motion carried unanimously.

[2022 PRES-126](#) CJC DASHBOARD

Attachments: [2022 PRES-126](#)

F. Future Meeting Items and Dates

Next meeting will be on November 10th at 12:15pm. This is rescheduled from October 27th at 12:15pm.

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

Meeting adjourned at 1:58PM.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Sarah Jensen, pending subcommittee approval