

Meeting of the Community Corrections Partnership (CCP) and its Executive Committee (CCPEC)

Draft Minutes

Thursday, October 12, 2017
10 am-12 noon
San Francisco Civic Center Courthouse
400 McAllister Street, Room 617
San Francisco, CA 94102

Members Present: Lauren Bell for Chief Adult Probation Officer Karen Fletcher (Chair), Angelica Almeida for Department of Public Health Director Barbara Garcia, Cristine DeBerry for District Attorney George Gascón, Jerel McCrary for Domestic Violence Consortium Executive Director Beverly Upton, Paul Miyamoto for Sheriff Vicki Hennessy, Diana Oliva-Aroche for Mayor Ed Lee, Sunny Schwartz for Five Keys Charter School Executive Director Steve Good, Simin Shamji for Public Defender Jeff Adachi

Members Absent: Jeffrey Mori, Chief William Scott, Noelle Simmons

1. **Call to Order and Introductions.**

Lauren Bell called the meeting to order at 10:09am. She stated that she is sitting in place of Chairperson Karen Fletcher in her absence. She asked the other members to introduce themselves.

2. **Public Comment on Any Item Listed Below as for “Discussion Only.”**

Lauren Bell asked for public comment there was none.

3. **Review and Adoption of Meeting Minutes of February 16, 2017 (discussion and action).**

After members reviewed the minutes, Sunny Schwartz moved to adopt the minutes of the February 26, 2017 meeting, Simin Shamji seconded. There was no public comment and the motion passed.

4. **Staff Report (discussion only): Updated rosters, Meeting schedule, Update on translation services, CASC update, Introduction of Geoffrea Morris, Adult Probation’s Women’s Gender Responsive Services Coordinator (discussion only)**

Karen Shain informed members that the nonprofit seat of the Committee is vacant. That seat is designated for a nonprofit organization serving formerly incarcerated individuals. Interested agencies are encouraged to apply.

Karen Shain announced that the Community Correction Partnership meetings will now only take place once a year, instead of twice a year as they have been.

The need for interpretation services had been discussed February 16th, 2007 meeting. Karen Shain provided the members an update of her investigation of what interpretation services were available to the justice system and affiliated city agencies, but stated that she had hit a wall. Lifeline remains the City’s interpretation service provider, and Karen has not encountered a solid solution. Lauren Bell stated that technology may assist. Cristine DeBerry expressed the need for department wide translation services and the need for dedicated translator classification. Cristine DeBerry suggested

that the Community Corrections Partnership support the creation of a new classification for interpretation services. Diana Oliva-Aroche suggested that data be collected to substantiate the need to begin that process.

Geoffrea Morris introduced herself as the Women's Gender Responsive Services Coordinator.

5. Report from Public Policy Institute of California (PPIC) (discussion only) PPIC presented their preliminary findings on San Francisco and statewide county study (Multi-County Study)

Mia Bird presented preliminary data from PPIC's Multi-County Study with a focus on San Francisco justice data. She reminded members that that the multi-county study was done in conjunction with the Board of State and Community Corrections and covered twelve California counties. The goal of the study was to assess the effects of AB109 and Prop 47 on correctional populations and recidivism. As a result of the data received from the twelve counties, PPIC has been able to complete five research projects that are available on their website. She gave members a preliminary set of data regarding San Francisco and said that PPIC is working on a dashboard that will allow the CCP full access to San Francisco's data. The dashboard is not yet completed, and PPIC would like to return to San Francisco when it is ready.

Members thanked Mia and her colleagues for their presentation and stated that they are anxious to see all of the data and the dashboard when they are completed.

6. Expenditure of Local Innovation Fund (discussion and possible action)

At its last meeting, the CCP decided that it would seek approval for the CCPEC to oversee local criminal justice innovation fund expenditures. The Board of Supervisors must approve the CCPEC as Local Innovation Funds Oversight Committee. Christine DeBerry moved. Simin seconded. Motion passed. Karen Shain was directed to bring the resolution to the Board of Supervisors for approval.

7. LEAD and Proposition 47 Grant Updates (discussion only)

Angelica Almeida of DPH to give an update on LEAD (Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion). She summarized the program's objective and stated that the launch will focus on the areas around Civic Center and 16th and Mission Bart stations. She stated that a San Francisco contingent went to Seattle to observe and learn from the founding programs operations. She said the goal for LEAD is to serve up to 215 individuals with co-occurring offenses. Robin Handler was introduced as the LEAD Program Manager. Angelica stated that the present the focus has been on training law enforcement and that the tentative start date for the LEAD program is October 23.

Angelica Almeida then answered questions from the partnership members, and stated that a person with active warrant will be booked and may not enter the LEAD Program and that the LEAD program will also have dedicated full time District Attorney and Public Defender. She also clarified that people under the influence are not precluded from the program.

A Prop 47 Grant Update was given by Angelica Almeida. She stated that the funds will be used to increase capacity of treatment beds at Salvation Army, Harbor House. There will be curriculum specific to the TAY population. The launch date will be later in October or early November, as operations continue to be finalized.

8. Roundtable Updates on the Implementation of Public Safety Realignment (AB109) and other comments, questions, and requests for future agenda items (discussion only).

Lauren Bell asked if there were any updates by members and there were none.

9. Public comment on any item listed above, as well as items not listed on the Agenda

Lauren Bell asked for public comment and there was none.

10. Adjournment.

The next meeting s set tentatively for August 16, 2018. There was a motion to adjourn by Cristine DeBerry, seconded by Diana Oliva-Aroche. Meeting adjourned at 11:33am.

