

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL JUSTICE COORDINATING COUNCIL

SANTA FE COUNTY MEETING

February 2023 Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, February 28, 2023

Noon – 1:00 pm

In Judge Marlowe Sommer's Courtroom

225 Montezuma Ave, Santa Fe, NM 87501

Third Floor

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Chair: Judge Marlowe Sommer

Vice Chair: Rachel O'Connor

Judge Marlowe Sommer – First Judicial District Court

Rachel O'Connor – Santa Fe County

Kitren Fischer – Private Defense Bar

Jaime Goldberg – NM Sentencing Commission

Julie Ball – LOPD District Defender

Andrea Romero – Santa Fe County

Dr. Cave – Mental Health Partner

Elizabeth Peterson – Santa Fe County

Jessica Arballo – Santa Fe County Adult Detention Facility

Kateri Eisenberg – Staff Attorney First Judicial District Court

Brad Kerwin – LOPD

Sophie Andar – Youth and Family Services Programs

Labriana Belmontes – Adult Probation and Parole

Gabriel Ramirez – Probation and Parole

(additional people entered as the meeting progressed)

Minutes:

Jamie Goldberg from the NM Sentencing Commission came to discuss the grant application process. He spoke about the history of the First Judicial's grants with the sentencing commission, notably, the data project with Search and the DA/LOPD's retention and hiring grant. Jamie hopes that the grant pool will grow this year and estimates four million dollars will be available this year. The portal for applications opens on March 1, 2023 and all CJCC's may apply for multiple grants. The grants can be for any amount, some have been for as little as \$1,000.00 some for much more. The deadline is May 12, 2023 and awards are announced May 23, 2023. A fiscal agent needs to manage the grant.

Jamie also announced the CJCC State Convening to be held on April 18th and 19th.

Jamie answered some questions: The grant process will take between 2-3 hours and 11 out of the 13 judicial districts have received grants since the program started.

The CJCC broke into subcommittees to discuss Smarter Sentencing Training for the First Judicial, and Familiar Faces (frequent utilizers) in the judiciary.

Familiar Faces Minutes:

Kateri gave an update on reaching out to connections in Arizona. They were willing to meet to discuss their data sharing process.

Rachael O'Conner talked about the necessity for Forensic Assertive Community Treatment and estimated they would need a year of start up funding.

- The County is starting an internship program for individuals coming out of the jail.
- Would like to look into an App. to connect partners that would function differently than the Uniteus platform. I.E. not disclose medical information, but help with quick diversion.
- Julie Ball says that HIPPA applies differently depending on the defendant.'

Julie Ball says LOPD is stuck between a rock and a hard place when it comes to advocating for use of treatment guardians.

Dr. Cave was interested in getting program re-started and having involvement from the First Judicial Criminal Division Judges.

Other ideas presented were: Recruitment and Retention budgets for SFCD, detox center or detox wings.

Question was asked: If someone has a behavioral health issue how is that addressed right now?

- Weekly meetings about mental health
- Assessment happens on intake
- Jessica Arballo stated that she did not know what happens upon re-entry.
- Elizabeth Peterson says that is a community service provider needs an assessment on a patient, they can't bill Medicaid.
 - o Would like to talk to Mark Boschelli.