

Juvenile Justice Advisory Committee

January 7th, 2019

3:00PM-4:30PM

Transportation Building, Boston

Minutes

JJAC Attendance: Chair Ruth Budelmann, Vice Chair Cecely Reardon, Mariellen Fidrych, Judy Bevis, Glen Daly, Peter Forbes, Elizabeth Englander, Kanchana Fernando, Marlene Sallo, Michelle Bloomer, Christy Charlst, Janelle Ridley, Jeff Butts, Margie Daniels, Robert Ferullo, Sheila Gallagher

EOPSS Attendance: Kevin Stanton, Samantha Frongillo, Patricia Bergin

Agenda:

1. Welcome and Introductions – Ruth Budelmann, Chair
2. Approve September Meeting Minutes – Ruth Budelmann, Chair
3. Presentation on the MARC program – Elizabeth Englander
4. JJAC Informational Brochure
5. The FY18 Three Year Plan Priorities, Goals and Objectives (refresher)
6. Reauthorization of the Juvenile Justice and Prevention Delinquency Act

Handouts: FY18 Three Year Plan, Binders, Agenda, Meeting Minutes

Chair Budelmann and members introduced themselves. A **motion to approve the September minutes** was made.

Chair Budelmann introduced Elizabeth Englander, who gave a presentation on the MARC program.

All members received a copy of the JJAC brochure and discussed edits to be made. Kevin Stanton is confirming that we have the most up to date information regarding the re-authorization. Members were told to email Samantha Frongillo with any feedback and that the brochure will be finalized at the next meeting.

Mr. Stanton informed members that the second half of the FY18 Three Year Plan is due February 28 and that we hope to provide members the remaining funds available to decide whether we want to do a renewal year of the Summer Youth Grant Program, at the next meeting. Patricia Bergin informs members that OGR is working with JDAI and others to compile the updated DMC data for the FY18 Three Year Plan. Mr. Stanton informed members that OGR is working on adding language into the grant application requiring

police departments to provide some of this data in their reports. Cecely Reardon asked whether a vote on the FY18 Three Year Plan would take place. Mr. Stanton informed members that a vote is unnecessary since there won't be any drastic changes made to the plan.

Discussion was had on the re-authorization of the Juvenile Justice and Prevention Delinquency Act. Ms. Reardon informed members that it has taken 16 years for an updated re-authorization and that it will be interesting to see how the new requirements in racial and ethnic disparity will be interpreted.

Chair Budelmann informed members that we are holding off on the creation of subcommittees until the JJAC is fully staffed. The JJAC will then discuss what subcommittees are needed and what requirements the Governor's Office has.

Chair Budelmann walked members through the contents of the new binders that they were given and informed them that they would be provided with any new and necessary documents.

The meeting was adjourned.