



Clinton County Justice Coordinating Commission
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MEETING MINUTES

DATE: January 21, 2016
TIME: 3:30pm
LOCATION: CCC – Main Campus Room 139

Members Present: Rick Lincoln, Dan Srp, Jack Wolf, Dave Porter, Kelly Greenwalt, Craig Eberhart, Phil Tabor, Mark Lawson, Kim Hess, Mike Wolf, John Deckert, Jen Graf, Gabe Gluba.

Members Not Present: MHSA.

Staff Present: Margaret Kuhl, Coordinator; Tara Sbertoli, Recorder.

Guests Present: Todd Noack, John Iven, Dianne Prichard, John Rohlf, Dave Vickers, Tom Determann.

Quorum: Present (13)

I. Welcome & Call Meeting to Order

The meeting was called to order at 3:30pm by Chair Kim Hess. A quorum was present. A warm welcome to Jennifer Graf, our newest Citizen Member. A motion was made by Dave Porter to approve the December 19, 2015 and January 7, 2016 meeting minutes and seconded by Mark Lawson.

II. Financial Report

Balance as of today is \$36,807

III. Jail Project

Sheriff Lincoln and Margaret Kuhl update the commission and those present on our proposed jail project. At the January 7th Meeting the commission decided to recommend a bond referendum vote date of May 3rd. Since the Board of Supervisors have retained Ehlers and Clooney as bonding firm. Currently Margaret and other members are working on a 90 plan to pass along information to the public. Tours and outreach presentations are ongoing as well.

IV. Committee Reports

Court Issues – 2-9-16 next meeting

Jail Facility – See III

MHSA – Still working on the Lincoln Prairie in Springfield, IL for juveniles.

V. Coordinator Update

Currently Margaret and other members are working on a 90 plan to pass along information to the public. Law Center tours and outreach presentations are ongoing as well as, county staff project informational sessions. SIMS grant was completed, however we did not receive this grant. Summit grant was due January 15th, announcement should be made by end of January. ITAIC meeting tomorrow, and ISAC Spring School is March 10 & 11 and it was suggested that she attend. Jennifer Graf made the motion for



Margaret to attend and Dan Srp seconded the motion.

VI. CIT Informational Training

Impressive training currently being used in other counties in Iowa. Includes a mobile crisis outreach response team to assist officers. CIT includes hotline to team and public hotline to assist families. The program holds a 80-90% success rate. Johnson County goal is to have officers train other people. We will be obtaining more information.

VII. Life Connections

Todd Noack did a short presentation and handed out information regarding Peer Recovery Services. And the new facility – Peer Run Respite Home in DeWitt. Challenges with these programs include (1) transportation. When transportation is not available to those in need those in need of assistance have minimal options, limited education, opportunity and no funding – so they over medicate, self-medicate or wait for a full blown crisis. The new facility is located at 509 4th Street, in DeWitt. Hospitalization for a mentally ill patient average daily cost is \$1200 vs \$273 in a respite home. Information meeting and opportunity to address public concerns will be held on January 26th from 5 to 7.

VIII. Open Forum – Possibly revisiting room and board fees and reviewed annually.

Facebook page group to include: Margaret, Dan, Jennifer and Tara – need to set up administrators and daily posts.

IX. Adjournment Meeting adjourned at 4:48pm hours

Next meeting: February 18, 2016 3:30pm

Tara Sbertoli