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Greetings Commissioners:

Hope all is well with everyone!

We continue to work towards compliance with PREA throughout the state including state youth correctional facilities, juvenile detention centers and county level camps. I have conducted PREA 101 and Then Some Training for Elko County Juvenile Detention, Leighton Hall in Winnemucca, Nevada Youth Training Center and Red Rock Academy. The feedback has been positive and the training meets the PREA Standard for staff Training. Other facilities are currently scheduling training dates to ensure that all staff working in juvenile facilities are trained on PREA. We completed a Vulnerability Assessment at NYTC in April that took 2.5 days. Dave Laity, Unit Manager for Youth Parole assisted me in completing the assessment and the results will be shared with the facility. I recently completed training for "Conducting PREA Investigations" and Securing Evidence and the Scene in a PREA Allegation" through National Institute of Corrections. We have not heard back from the PREA Grant application that was submitted in March of 2014.

The first three quarters of State Fiscal Year 2014 is complete and included within your packet. We will discuss in more detail during the meeting.

We recently completed the second quarter SB 107 Report that included January through March of 2014. The report contains room confinement data from each juvenile detention center and state youth correctional facility. As with any new data collection and reporting, we continually have discussion to streamline the data collection process as well as the reporting format. I believe we have created an informative summary that is included in your packet.

It has been confirmed that the JABG grant will be eliminated in Federal Fiscal Year 2014. This is the grant that we utilize to provide training and curriculum for evidenced based programming in our state youth correctional facilities and accountability based programming for Clark, Washoe and one rural area each year. There is no doubt the elimination of JABG will leave us with gaps in services throughout the continuum of our system. There had been discussion that our Title II Formula Grant would be increased with additional funding for

PREA activities and Program Area 2 of JABG, which allows a portion of the grant to be utilized on state operated youth correctional facilities, however, at this time our base amount remains at \$400,000. I have been actively seeking new funding streams to apply and hopefully secure for our statewide juvenile justice system.

We are currently working on securing contracts to provide technical assistance in three main areas. First, we are working with the National Center for Juvenile Justice (NCJJ), the research division for the National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges (NCJFCJ) on completing our Statewide DMC Assessment that is a new requirement for our Title II Formula Grant. NCJJ has participated in the DMC statewide Task Force Phone Meeting to discuss our next steps. Secondly, I have been working with Dr. Tomassone from New Jersey Juvenile Services on conducting a site visit to all three of our youth correctional facilities to provide training and recommendations on alternatives to utilizing room confinement. Dr. Tomassone is considered an expert in juvenile justice reform and will be visiting Nevada this summer. Finally, the Data Subcommittee of the Supreme Court Commission is working on identifying a new juvenile justice statewide database. We are currently working with Arizona Department of Juvenile Corrections to explore the data system they currently use. A team of juvenile justice members will be visiting Arizona in July to explore adopting their system.

In closing, I would like to take this time to thank all of you for your dedication and hard work on the committees and the Commission.

Respectfully,

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