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# DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

DIVISION OF CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES  
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## PUBLIC NOTICE

### MEETING OF THE NEVADA STATE JUVENILE JUSTICE OVERSIGHT COMMISSION SAG Committee AGENDA

**DATE:** Thursday, September 22, 2022

**TIME:** 2:00 pm

#### Zoom Meeting

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- *"For Information" items are informal in nature and may include discussion and ideas.*
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- *"For Possible Action" items may be voted on or approved by members of the commission.*

## AGENDA

1. **Call to Order: Welcome and Introductions** – Pauline Salla Smith
2. **Roll Call** – Leslie Bittleston
3. **Public Comment and Discussion** (*Action may not be taken on any matter brought up under this Agenda item until scheduled on an Agenda for a later meeting*)
4. **For Possible Action:** Approval of 02/07/2022 Meeting Minutes (Attachment 4A) and 06/09/2022 Meeting Minutes (Attachment 4B) – Pauline Salla Smith
5. **For Information:** Evidence Based Resource Center Next Steps – Standing Item – Andrew Wachter
6. **For Information and Discussion:** DCFS Updates – Leslie Bittleston (Standing Item)
  - Formula Grant FY 21
    - i. Compliance Manual was approved by OJJDP effective 8/1/22
    - ii. FY 21 Funds should be available by 9/1/22
    - iii. Sent out request for applications for additional grant funds 8/2/22 (Attachment 6)
      1. Continued to fund the same sub grants
      2. Outline of funds available
      3. Applications Received/Status
  - Annual Compliance Report
    - i. Submitted Compliance Report on 7/22/22
      1. 89% reporting compliance from secure facilities
      2. Zero sight/sound separation violations
      3. DSO is .32 per 100,000, reported 2 DSO violations and 3 uses of a VCO
      4. Jail removal is 2.96 per 100,000; 9 placements of juveniles in adult jails were reported
    - ii. Improvement areas
      1. Reporting from adult jails and lockups
  - Formula Grant FY 22 Application submitted 07/25/2022
  - Strategic Planning Committee Update
    - i. Bench Book/Bench Cards for training on Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention Act changes in 2018
    - ii. Drafts to go through both committees
    - iii. Next Meeting is October 3, 2022
7. **For Discussion:** Legislative Updates – Leslie Bittleston
  - The following reports have been completed/sent to the Legislative Council Bureau.

- i. SB 356 – Step 1 is problem overview (Attachment 7A)
    - 1. Working with a staffing agency to complete step 2
  - ii. SB 385 – (Attachment 7B)
  - iii. SB 398 – (Attachment 7C)
- NAC 62 Updates (SB 108)
  - i. Pending NAC 62B draft from LCB
- NAC 62H Update (AB 472)
  - i. Received draft from LCB, but over the 2-year mark, so pending a determination from the Legislative Commission

**8. For Information and Discussion: Data Presentation – DCFS Staff**

- SB 107 Room Confinement – Dan LaBarbera
  - i. Statewide (Attachment 8)
  - ii. County Detention Facilities (Attachment 8A)
  - iii. State Facilities (Attachment 8B)
- Use of Force – Dan LaBarbera
  - i. Statewide (Attachment 8C)
- YLS Commitment & Parole Termination Data – Leslie Bittleston
  - i. Commitment Data (Attachment 8D)
  - ii. Termination Data (Attachment 8E)

**9. For Discussion: County Training Request – Pauline Salla Smith (On hold item)**

- Topics
  - 1. JJOC Strategic Plan and status
  - 2. NAC updates and the importance of data collection, presentation, and uses
  - 3. Programs and outcomes to make educated decisions to determine the validity of programs for families
  - 4. Evidence based program requirements

**10. For Possible Action: Discuss and Decide Upon Next Steps – Pauline Salla Smith**

- Specify Agenda Items for the Next Meeting
- Confirm Next Meeting Date(s)/Time(s)

**11. Public Comment and Discussion (*Action may not be taken on any matter brought up under this Agenda item until scheduled on an Agenda for a later meeting*)**

**12. Adjourn**

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3. Grant Sawyer Building, 555 Washington Avenue, Las Vegas, NV 89101
4. Elko Juvenile Court, 665 W. Silver Street, Elko, NV 89801
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