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JUVENILE JUSTICE STATE ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING

June 13, 2014

10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Department of Transportation, Airport Conference Room #4
400 Rodger Boulevard, 7th Floor Inter-island Parking Structure
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Review Juvenile Justice State Advisory Council (JJSAC) December 18, 2013 Minutes Attachment A
- III. Trauma Informed Initiative Presentation
- IV. Office of Youth Services (OYS) Executive Director's Briefing
- V. Juvenile Justice State Advisory Council (JJSAC)
 - A. Membership – Expiring June 30, 2014
 - B. Subcommittee Reports
 1. Compliance Committee
 - (a) State of Hawaii 2013 Compliance Report
 2. Ethnic & Cultural Diversity Committee
 3. Prevention & Accountability Committee
 4. Youth Committee
 - C. 2013 Annual Report - Draft
- VI. Grants Management
 - A. Federal Awards
 - B. Legislative Bills
- VII. Conferences, Trainings, Workshops
 - A. National Youth Conference Report – August 3-4, 2013
 - B. OJJDP Training – June 17-18, 2014
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- VIII. JJSAC Agenda
- IX. Announcements
- X. Next Tentative Meetings
 - Friday, September 12, 2014 – JJSAC Executive Committee Meeting
 - Friday, September 26 – JJSAC Quarterly Meeting
- XI. Adjournment

The meeting is open to the press and public. For more information, contact Leimomi Fernandes-Otake, Office of Youth Services Juvenile Justice Administrative Assistant at phone #(808) 587-5700.



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MINUTES

Present: Jay Kimura, Chair
Dexter Artienda, 1st Vice Chair, Youth Committee Chair
Melinda Montgomery, 2nd Vice Chair, Prevention & Accountability Committee Chair
Christina Andersson-Reichert, Prevention & Accountability Vice Chair
Judge Aley Auna Jr.
Elizabeth Browning
Judge (ret.) William Fernandez
Sterling Lee
Tai-An Miao, Ethnic & Cultural Diversity Committee Chair
Ronald Nakamichi, Compliance Committee Chair
Lieutenant Rade Vanic for Captain J Pedro
Marsha Yamada

Absent: Kristina Maugalei-Nardo
Laverne Moore
Patricia Niibu
Vanessa Pulido
Elijah Spriggs-Kahalewai

Staff: David Hipp, OYS Executive Director
Ed Chargualaf, OJJDP Program Coordinator
John Paekukui, JJ Program Compliance Monitor
Leimomi Fernandes-Otake, JJ Administrative Assistant

I. Call to Order

Chair Kimura called the meeting to order at 10:15 a.m. and thanked members for their attendance.

**II. Review Juvenile Justice State Advisory Council (JJSAC)
December 18, 2013 Minutes**

Attachment A

Chair asked for the December 18 2013 minutes review and adoption. Christina Andersson-Reichert motioned to adopt the December 18, 2013 minutes, Judge William Fernandez seconded, and the motion was passed unanimously. No discussion.

III. Trauma Informed Initiative Presentation

Chair welcomed guests from Judiciary and Pua Foundation to do Trauma-Informed Care Initiative (TII) presentation. Dr. Toni Bissen presented the results of the TII at HYCF and highlighted what they did at the Women's Correctional facility. Setup training tools at HYCF and the Detention Facility, and surveyed staff to

find out about trauma-informed care, and what training and tools use. Toured the facilities and based on what learned, completed the findings. Hoomalahia was the third facility and measured the response if it was a place of healing.

Conducted interviews with kids at the facilities and met the staff at staff meetings. Findings indicate the staff are not all on same page as to how to deal with youth, especially those youth who experienced trauma. Proposed 3 recommendations: (1) To transform facility to a place of healing. Working on collaborative partnerships with the Family Court and DOH for a plan for Judge Browning. Adriane Abe noted training underway, 2 sessions at the Detention Facility, with DOH as a partner, and HYCF is almost system wide trained. Staff learning what thought was acting out, is really trauma because something triggered the youth brain to the moment when the trauma happened. The difference is the staff response to react to the behavior versus getting the youth deeper into the jjs.

Joann Liupaono, a former Women's Correction Facility inmate at the time started the TTI in the facility, 1 of 9 women chosen to participate. An opportunity to develop the program, training with peers, and 6 years later, went outside the facility to work as outreach to the schools with the Women's Monologue. Staff are not informed of the trauma and being locked in a cell is not a good thing. Women learned hitting was wrong and shocked, because they grew up with it. Dr. Bissen's hope and larger vision is to make all facilities a place of healing versus punishment. David Hipp thanked Liupaono for sharing and he met her in prison.

Training to expand to other services, probation officers, judges and staff to make aware of the triggers of the trauma from strip search for a gang rape to yelling. Trauma is high with kids and 80 % has been traumatized before the age of 10 or before the age of 16. Abe noted to roll out into the jjs. Melinda Montgomery noted Kauai judge attended a TTI in the mainland and now see a huge change; kinder, suspend community services and more team meetings.

Hipp mentioned the Waianae Middle School pilot program from project Kealohole to service girls on site. Liupaono noted the trauma experienced is a history of abuse from witness of violence of the mother beaten which has a profound impact on the youth. Dr. Bissen mentioned the transformation to what to do, understanding traumatized, get to change, solution, mind of programming, resources and the elements contributing to the transformation. Action: Leimomi Fernandes-Otake to disseminate handouts to members.

IV. Office of Youth Services (OYS) Executive Director's Briefing

Hipp summarized reports to the Juvenile Client Services Administrator in each circuit and the Legislature. Also noted the importance of HB 2490 relating to juvenile justice, the allocation of \$1,260,500.00 and encourage support to release the funds. Asked for champions to advocate for the HB 2490 and to enhance relationships. The shift of focus to the front end with probation to prevent re-entry into the jjs.

Hipp informed of new Warden Mark Patterson at HYCF from the Women's Correctional Facility, who knows corrections and is in tune to rehabilitation. Hipp noted the new pilot Girl's Court in Kauai to begin in July.

V. Juvenile Justice State Advisory Council (JJSAC)

A. Membership - Expiring June 30, 2014

Ed Chargualaf noted Dexter Artienda term ends June 30, 2014, made recommendation and Artienda to reapply.

B. Subcommittee Reports

1. Compliance Committee

Ron Nakamichi reported met on June 5, 2014 in Oahu and Sgt. Barry Tong coordinate site visit of the new security system. After the meeting, site visit the Juvenile Justice Center in Kalihi.

a) State of Hawaii 2013 Compliance Report

Nakamichi reviewed the Hawaii 2013 Compliance Report and asked for a motion to approve the State Hawaii 2013 Compliance Report. Marsha Yamada motioned to approve the State Hawaii 2013 Compliance Report, seconded by Judge Fernandez, and the motion was passed unanimously.

Nakamichi reported committee training discussion for police officers with contact. OYS grant training opportunity from OJJDP technical assistance, who is partnering with Civics First to offer at no cost the Effective Police Interactions with Youth patrol officers. Recommended letter from Hipp to the Chief of Police to solicit a commitment and number of staff.

Nakamichi summarized discussions on PREA and Ho`opono Mamo. Also briefed the county reports and issues. HPD continues to have Micronesian issues, but thanks to OYS Micronesian meetings coordinated by Chargualaf and Kaleve Tufono-Iosefa, as well as meetings with Jaque Kelley-Uyeoka of Hale Kipa, noticed a decrease in numbers. Sheriff office numbers are down in Kauai. MPD Chief is leaving for a position in Hilo and MPD POI completed a JDAI presentation. Hipp reported OYS funding a second MPD program. Judiciary reviewed the HB 2490 with focus on not sending juveniles for misdemeanors to HYCF per PEW's recommendation; Maui working on a diversion program and numbers are down. Also judiciary working on statewide forms.

2. Ethnic & Cultural Diversity Committee

Tai-An Miao reported implementing Ho`opono Mamo in District 5, the Kalihi and Moanalua area. Discussions of the subcommittee to an advisory role versus hands-on and a transition to an evaluation of the program. The group is made up of 15 active organization and 25 attendees. Conducting presentations to build awareness of the program and OHA is funding \$200K for the cultural component.

Chargualaf discussed the transition of the task force, how to retain the partnerships and the significance of the HPD and prosecuting attorney for the CCI, Ho`opono Mamo. The City & County of Honolulu is ready and working with the 3 subcontractors, Susannah Wesley, Wayde Lee and Epic Ohana.

Hipp thanked Miao and Karen Umemoto for their vital role with the community presentations and implementation of the CCI into the Ho`opono Mamo Assessment Center.

3. Prevention & Accountability Committee

Montgomery reported completed site visits of neighbor island programs; MPD POI program, and Kauai Youth on Probation and Kauai High School Alternative In-school Suspension program. Met in Hilo and site visit of BIJIAC. Committee responsible for updating the OYS OJJDP Performance Quarterly Report and made the form more user friendly. The purpose to track if the provider is on task with the project and will expend the funds. If not, will allocate the funds to another program. Thus, the members are tasked to visit their island programs. Montgomery completed site visit of the Teen Court program provided by Hale Opio. Committee also developed an OJJDP Provider Site Visit Checklist form for contract monitoring.

4. Youth Committee

Dexter Artienda reported working on planning strategy to connect with other members and effort towards recruitment. Hope to use social media because difficult to meet as a group. Artienda to work on action plan with Chargualaf. Artienda briefed on the CJJ National Youth Conference targeted for Fall.

C. 2013 Annual Report - Draft

Chargualaf reviewed the content of 2013 Annual Report, which is the second annual report submitted to OJJDP since 2002. Also noted the importance of the Hawaii JJSAC within the jjs; highlighted the accomplishments; OJJDP's profile to protect our youth; compliance and DMC efforts; Ho`opono Mamo;

recommendations; JJSAC contact information; programs funded with number of youth served; acknowledged partnerships; and impacted with pictures such as which do you prefer for our kids. Chargualaf asked for motion to approve the draft 2013 Annual report for printing. Judge Auna motioned to approve the 2013 Annual Report, seconded by Artienda, and the motion was passed unanimously.

VI. Grants Management

A. Federal Awards

Chargualaf reviewed the 2 major grants: (1) the Formula grant has \$804,225 unspent funds and moving existing projects forward, and (2) the JABG grant has \$360,877 unspent funds and also funding existing projects such as MPD POI. Concerned about future funding and allocation because the JABG grant is eliminated for 2014. Another concern is DMC overrepresentation in the system which the programs are designed to address, but the funds are decreased. Then PREA penalizes OJJDP funds by 5% if not in compliance, but no money for PREA. The 2013 Annual Report shows the federal grant funding and how the allocations are reduced for Title V (eliminated), Formula (\$200K less) and now JABG.

B. Legislative Bills

Chargualaf echoed Hipp's briefing and the importance of HB 2490 for the governor to sign.

VI. Conferences, Trainings, Workshops

A. National Youth Conference Report - August 3-4, 2013

Artienda reported on the 2013 National Youth Conference, advocacy for youth engagement and the prison pipeline.

B. OJJDP Training - June 17-18, 2014

Chargualaf reported training on the 4 core requirements and the issue of the addition of the guidance on jail removal. Also facility classification concerns for Kauai and the Big island because of staff interpretation of statutes, guidelines not in writing, and then the change of OJJDP staff.

C. CJJ Annual Conference - June 18-21, 2014

Chargualaf reported the focus to meet with the Hawaii Congressional Members to educate on jjs and Hawaii's issues because the appropriation keep going down or eliminated. Personal meetings with Representative Colleen Hanabusa, Representative Tulsi Gabbard and Senator Mazie Hirono.

VII. JJSAC Agenda

No comments or additions.

VIII. Announcements

No announcements.

IX. Next Tentative Meetings

Friday, September 12, 2014 - JJSAC Executive Committee Meeting

Friday, September 26 - JJSAC Quarterly Meeting

X. Adjournment

Judge Fernandez motioned to adjourn the meeting, and seconded by Miao. There being no further discussion, the meeting was adjourned at 12:40 PM.

Respectfully submitted,



Leimomi Fernandes-Otake, Juvenile Justice Administrative Assistant