SOLANO COUNTY

Community Corrections Partnership Meeting Public Safety Local Plan Development Minutes July 11, 2012

Present:

CCP Committee Members

Chris Hansen, Chief Probation Officer*
Don du Bain, District Attorney*
Lesli Caldwell, Public Defender*
Birgitta Corsello, County Administrator
Patrick Duterte, Director, Health and Social Services*
Halsey Simmons, Health & Social Services
Christiana Smith, Employment & Eligibility Services
Andy Williamson, Substance Abuse Administration
Richard Word, Chief of Police, Vacaville*
*Executive Committee Member

Non-Member Participants

Donna Robinson, Probation Ron Grassi, CAO Cathy Raymos, Sherriff's Office Tom Ferrara, Sheriff's Office Gary Elliott Sheriff's Office Belinda Smith, BOS Kelley Baulwin- Johnson, Probation Dennis Bunting, County Counsel Jim Nules, Aladdin Bail Bonds Roger Maryatt, Unity Hall Ron Grassi, County Administrator's Office Tonya Kent, Hope and Restoration Transitional Home Keith Bloomfield, Sheriff's Office Natalie Woodard, ADAB Member District 1 Tarita Moehrke, SPPOA Ed Weed, CFI Jay Speck, SCOE Raymond Courtemanche, Mission Solano Erin Hannigan, City of Vallejo Kay Bosick, Youth and Family Services

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 3:00 p.m. Chief Hansen welcomed and requested introduction of members.

Approval of Agenda

Patrick Duterte made a motion to approve the agenda. The motion was seconded by Lesli Caldwell. No opposition. Motion carried.

Approval of Minutes

Patrick Duterte made a motion to approve the minutes. The motion was seconded by Don du Bain. No opposition. Motion carried.

Public Comment

An opportunity was provided for members of the public to address the committee on matters not listed on the Agenda. No comments.

Data Report (See Handout - PowerPoint) - Probation Department and Sheriff's Office Statistics

Donna Robinson presented statistical information pertaining to the Postrelease Community Supervision (PRCS) population for the month of June 2012.

- 298 Offenders under supervision for PRCS
- 3 Grants expired; 5 Grants revoked
- 38 Failed to report to Probation since October 2011
- 26 Transferred out of Solano County since October 2011
- 8 Transferred in since October 2011
- 15 Required to report to Probation (June 2012)
- 32 Packets received (June 2012)
- 5 bench warrants ordered; 7 warrants cleared (June 2012)
- Cities w/highest PRCS: Vallejo 37%; Fairfield 34%; Vacaville 15%;
 Suisun 6%; Dixon 7%; Rio Vista & Benicia 1%
- Risk Level of Re-offending: Very High 13 %; High 57 %; Medium 17%; Low 1% Pending Assessment: 12%
- Ethnic Profile: African American 43%; Caucasian 36% Hispanic 16%; Other 5%
- Gender Profile: Male 91%; Female 9%
- Committing Offenses (Males) Theft, Drugs and Weapon Charges
- Committing Offenses (Females) Theft, Drugs, and Forgery/Check Fraud

The Probation Department is currently entering cases into the Supervised Release File (SRF) system. Once all offenders are entered, the SRF system will be used prior to requesting a bench warrant. Offenders who fail to report to Probation or abscond from jurisdiction will be entered in the SRF system for up to 60 days. If the offender is not contacted by law enforcement within the 60 day timeframe, a warrant will be initiated at that time. The Probation Department plans to have all offenders entered in the system and procedures in place by August 2012.

Gary Elliott provided statistical information pertaining to the jail population as a result of Public Safety Realignment for the month of June 2012.

- Jail Population: 892
- Parolees (3056): 149 in custody represents 16.7% of jail population
- 1170(h) (N3's): 155 in custody represents 17.3 % of jail population
- PRCS: 24 in custody represents 2.7% of jail population
- Statistical information was presented on compliance checks as of January 24, through June 5, 2012

Data Subcommittee Report

Gary Elliott provided information from the Data Subcommittee. On July 10, 2012, representatives from the Department of Justice (DOJ) attended the Data Subcommittee meeting and discussed the SRF data sharing system. The DOJ was impressed with the number of packets entered into the system. Solano County will participate in a three-county pilot project with DOJ to understand challenges of data collection at the local level.

DRC and Substance Abuse/Mental Health Subcommittee Report (See Handout-DRC and MH/Substance Abuse Subcommittee Report)

Patrick Duterte reported the Day Reporting Center and Substance Abuse/Mental Health Subcommittee met on June 29, 2012 and July 10, 2012 to identify challenges, develop a vision, and set goals and objectives which encompass a continuum of care. The committee affirmed the eight core elements of the DRC Framework. The Probation Department will assume oversight and administrative responsibilities for the DRC in Solano County.

Donna Robinson reported on the future progression of the DRC. The Subcommittee established four operational workgroups which will be responsible for obtaining detailed information on the core elements of the DRC. The workgroups will work independently and provide updates to the CCP. Please see below contact information for those interested in participating in a workgroup:

Workgroup	Contact Person	Phone Number	Email
Cognitive Behavioral Groups & Drug Testing	Donna Robinson Probation	707-784-7614	dlrobinson@solanocounty.com
MH/Substance Abuse Assessments, Treatment and Benefit services	Patrick Duterte Health and Social Services	707-784-8412	poduterte@solanocounty.com
GED/High School, Job Readiness and Vocational Training	Mitch Mashburn Sheriff's Office	707-421-6103	mhmashburn@solanocounty.com
Housing:	Lloyd Gieg Reentry Council	707-557-3165	genesishouse@scronline.com

Chief Hansen thanked Donna Robinson and Patrick Duterte for the coordination of the DRC and MH/Substance Abuse Subcommittee Report. Chief Hansen also recommended that each workgroup interview the Probation Officers who actually have caseloads. The PRCS staff will participate in the workgroups.

Committee Comments

Birgitta Corsello recommended outreach with community partners to make sure that they are involved in the process. In addition, she cautioned any committee operating under the Brown Act to be in compliance.

Patrick Duterte distributed two handouts entitled "AB109 Placement and Referral Breakdown – Substance Abuse and Mental Health"

Chief Hansen questioned the validity of having Mental Health treatment at the DRC or to refer clients back to Mental Health.

Belinda Smith recommended spelling out acronyms on future documents.

The next scheduled meeting is August 8, 2012 at the Solano County CAC Building, 675 Texas Street, 6th Floor, Conference Room 6004 from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 3:45 p.m.