

Department of Corrections Task Force on Justice Involved Woman and Girls

Chair: Ana Negrete

Vice-Chair: Vicki Hunter

Meeting Date: Wednesday August 9th, 2023,

Time: 10:00-12:00pm

Zoom Link:

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AGENDA

10:00 to 10:30 (30 Mins): **Welcome, Roll Call for all Members and Discussion**

- Culture of Task Force- Ana
- Membership: Confirmations needed and open seats
 - Missing representation
 - People directly impacted- what do we mean by this?
 - People of Color
 - Survivors of the juvenile system
 - Limitations/Exclusions Previously Identified
 - People on probation
 - If we are saying, we want to increase of folks who are systems involved what are we asking or who are we thinking of if we say no to people on active supervision? Probation Officers? Adult/Juvenile/Gender Specific?
 - Exclusions at the discretion of the commissioner
 - Roles and Responsibilities
 - Oath of Office-Chelsey
 - What we are and are not.
 - Advisory Group- expectation that we can and should be advising.
 - Activism as a member of the Task Force
 - How do we address concerns from the community or that we learn about in the course of our work outside of the task force?
 - Formal Channels
 - Identification of Systemic Issues
 - Documentation
 - Data Privacy
 - Other Areas we need to discuss?
 - Attendance Expectations

10:30 to 10:50 (20 Mins): **Subcommittee Breakout Session**

- Girls
- Holistic Health:
 - Healthy Start
 - Transgender Policy
 - Abortion Policy
- Reentry

10:50 to 11:00 (10 mins): **Subcommittee Report Out by Subcommittee Chair**

11:00 - 11:30 (30 Mins): Executive Session/Reports and Updates

- Report From DOC Commissioner Schnell/Nan
 - Body Scanner Use
 - Data Report
 - Staff Trained
 - Barriers to Use
 - DRT
 - Opportunities to Join the Discussion/Seat at the Table
 - Any changes-updates?
 - Any placement that is doing well on reducing/eliminating DRT?
 - Issues Involving Juvenile Justice
- Who if anyone has replaced Curtis Shanklin? Where are they on the process of hiring if the position is being rehired?
- Report from Shakopee/Jeff Spies
- Ombuds- Margret Z- Any barriers that she would like support on?

11:30 to 11:55 (25 mins) Debrief and Concerns

- What did we hear?
- What are our concerns about what we heard?
- Who should address the areas of concern?
- Public comments or concerns?

11:55 to 12:00 (5 Mins): Wrap up/Take Away Actions

Next Task Force Meeting: Scheduled the second Wednesday of every month from 10AM- 12P<

Wednesday, September 13th, 2023

Wednesday October 11th, 2023

Wednesday November 8th, 2023

Wednesday December 13th, 2023

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