

Minnesota Sentencing Guidelines Commission

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COMMISSION WORKSHOP AND MEETING

WHEN: June 18, 2015
Noon to 4:00 p.m.

WHERE: Capitol Complex
Minnesota Judicial Center, Room G-31
25 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.
St. Paul, MN 55155

AGENDA

1. Welcome and Introductions
– *Justice Chris Dietzen, MSGC Chair, and Nate Reitz, MSGC Director*
2. Business Meeting
 - a. Approval of May 21, 2015, Meeting Minutes
(Action Item)
 - b. Recognition of Outgoing Chair
 - c. Election of Chair *Pro Tem* for the July 15, 2015, Public Hearing
 - d. Public Comments
 - Members of the public may speak for up to three minutes each as governed by the Chair.
3. History and Goals of the Guidelines
– *Prof. Richard Frase, University of Minnesota Law School*
4. Applying the Guidelines
– *Linda McBrayer, MSGC Staff*
5. Break

6. Sentencing Practices
– *Kathleen Madland, Anne Wall and Jill Payne, MSGC Staff*

7. Sentencing Practices and Prison Populations
– *Grant Duwe, Ph.D., Minnesota DOC Research Director*

8. Break

9. Commission's Role in Sentencing Policy
– *Nate Reitz, MSGC Director*

10. Facilitated Discussion and Planning
– *Nate Reitz, MSGC Director*
 1. Do you see a problem?
 2. If so, what do you see as the solution?
 3. What do you want to be on the agenda in the next year?
 4. What would you like to see in the January 2016 Report to the Legislature?

Next Meeting Dates:

DATE/TIME	LOCATION	TENTATIVE TOPIC
Wed. July 15, 2:00pm	State Office Building, Room 200	Public hearing; no quorum required, attend if possible.
Wed. July 22, 2:00pm	MN Judicial Center, Room 225	Follow-up meeting to approve or reject modifications. Quorum required.