

COMMISSION ON CRIMINAL AND JUVENILE JUSTICE

ANNUAL MEETING MINUTES

Date:	Friday, October 12, 2001	Time:	8:30 am	Place:	Huntsman Cancer Institute, Board Room
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Members Present	Doug Bodrero, Dan Becker, Georgia Block, Afton Bradshaw, Mike Chabries, Gene Erchanbrach (for Sheriff Spanos), Bob Flowers, Steven Franks (for Marilyn Sandberg), Senator Karen Hale, Judge Kay Lindsay, Mark Nosack (for Gary Dalton), Leon Povey, Judge Sandra Peuler, Mike Sibbett, Mark Shurtleff, Greg Skordas, David Yocom
Members Excused	Sue Behle, Blake Chard, Rich McKelvie, John T. Nielsen
Staff	Camille Anthony, Susan Burke, Marvin Dodge, Gary Franchina, Ron Gordon, Mike Haddon, Jennifer Hemenway, Jo Lynn Kruse, Ed McConkie, Briant Smith, Russ Van Vleet, Doreen Weyland,
Guests	David Asay, Marty Asay, Bill Dinehart, Chris Zimmerman, Justice Christine Durham, Dean Jannah Mather

Agenda Item:	WELCOME AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES – Doug Bodrero
Notes:	<p>Chair Doug Bodrero welcomed everyone and introductions of Commission members and staff were made. Attention was given to the CCJJ logo and the benefits associated with identifying the logo in conjunction with CCJJ.</p> <p>Judge Sandra Peuler made a motion to approve the August 14, 2001 minutes. Second: Judge Kay Lindsay. The motion was unanimously approved.</p>

Agenda Item:	CRIME REDUCTION PLAN ACCOMPLISHMENTS 2001 – Camille Anthony, Mike Haddon
Notes:	<p>The Crime Reduction Plan has been a priority for the Commission for the past couple of years. The Plan has met a lot of the goals and has provided a good foundation with recognition to the Commission. The plan has been instrumental in providing the necessary tools for law enforcement in their strategic planning.</p> <p>Discussion was interactive in editing the Crime Reduction Plan goals and objectives and the edited document will be posted on the CCJJ web page.</p>

Agenda Item	CRIME REDUCTION PLAN PRIORITIES FOR 2002 Camille Anthony, Mike Haddon
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Notes:	<p>Homeland security will be the top priority for 2002. This priority will develop as the nation deals with terrorism. Another issue that needs attention is drugs. Coordinating between state agencies to improve/increase drug treatment capabilities.</p> <p>All legislation CCJJ will be pursuing in the next session will focus on one of the goals and objectives of the Crime Reduction Plan. In addition, any grant request will need to be written to show how they will accomplish some part of the Crime Reduction Plan.</p>
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Agenda Item:	CCJJ ANNUAL AWARDS – Doug Bodrero, Camille Anthony
Notes:	<p>Justice Christine Durham presented two awards to CCJJ. The first award is for CCJJ that funded the Parent to Parent video in conjunction with the Courts. The video delivers many messages on how to deal with children and the many issues they face. The New York Festival awarded the video one of its International Film and Video Awards. More than 3,300 entries from over 44 countries competed for this award and Utah’s Parent to Parent video received it. The second award is a recognition by journalists and the broadcast media in the form of The Communicator Award of Distinction, also awarded to the Parent to Parent video. The plaque is also in recognition of CCJJ’s support.</p> <p>Finally, Justice Durham received notification that CCJJ has received the Cindy Bronze Award. Cindy stands for Cinema and Industry Competition and in connection with this competition, it is awarded by the International Association of Audio Visual Communicators. In the public service and information category, there were over 3,700 entries and CCJJ received a bronze award for being in the top 15 percent of all of the programming that was reviewed.</p> <p>One of the project where the video is being used is the Utah State Judiciary, the Utah State Bar and the Independent Law Related Education project. A coalition, called a consortium named Education for Justice, has been formed. A presentation was made to the State Board of Education in June to propose a partnership between the consortium and statewide education. A resolution was passed approving the effort of getting law related education into the public schools in a systematic and developmental way in grades K-12.</p> <p>CCJJ ANNUAL AWARDS</p> <p>Doug Bodrero awarded Chris Zimmerman one of the Commission’s Annual Awards for his contributions to CCJJ in his position as Chairman of the Chiefs of Police Association in helping to progress the Crime Reduction Plan.</p> <p>Doug Bodrero awarded William K. Dinehart, former Legislative Fiscal Analyst, for his contributions to CCJJ and the entire criminal justice system. Camille Anthony presented to Doug Bodrero a letter and gift from the Governor and a certificate and gift from the Commission for his</p>

	<p>contributions to the Commission. Doug has resigned, effective the end of the Annual Meeting, to take a position in Florida with IIR.</p> <p>Commissioner Bob Flowers presented to Doug Bodrero an Olympic badge for his contribution to the Department of Public Safety.</p>
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Agenda Item:	CRIMINAL AND JUVENILE JUSTICE RESEARCH CONSORTIUM Camille Anthony, Russ Van Vleet, Jannah Mather
Notes:	<p>Jannah Mathers, Russ Van Vleet and Camille Anthony provided an update on the Criminal and Juvenile Justice Research Consortium. The Consortium is changing the emphasis within the Graduate School of Social Work. The intention of the Consortium is to develop a work force that will come into the criminal justice system much more prepared to be a part of the correctional system and the criminal justice system than in the past. They are trying to enhance the Commission’s ability to provide research to the system as it is needed. The academic piece is a little more difficult to understand. The Consortium members are working to create a curriculum that will begin to develop a professional work force.</p> <p>The Commission identified the following areas for course development:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Domestic Violence Intimate Partner Homicides At Risk Assessment Tools in Violent Situations At-Risk Kids (Teachers able to identify.) Safe Environment for <i>Misfit</i> Social, Mental, Emotional Disorders Criminal Justice System Planning & Program Development Strategic Planning in Criminal Justice Program Evaluation Research Analysis Data Gathering Management Budget Analysis Public Administration ADR/Mediation In-field Training & Shadowing – 1000 Hours Law Enforcement – Interview Small Children Common Sense Sexual Violence

Agenda Item:	ELECTIONS – Camille Anthony
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Notes:	<p>With Doug’s announcement that he is stepping down as chair, it is necessary to vote a new chairperson for the Commission.</p> <p>Mike Chabries made a motion to appoint Mike Sibbett as Interim Chair until such time as a citizen representative is appointed to the Commission. In addition, Dan Becker remain as vice-chair and the same individuals be retained on the Executive Committee: Dave Yocom, Mark Shurtleff, Bob Flowers, Blake Chard, Mike Chabries and, if approved, Mike Sibbett. Second: Georgia Block. The motion was unanimously approved.</p>
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Agenda Item:	2002 OLYMPICS, CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM ROLE – Commissioner Bob Flowers
Notes:	<p>Commissioner Flowers provided an update on Olympic security matters. He indicated for the first time, many state, local, and federal agencies are working together in sharing intelligence. The intelligence is progressing and the Public Safety Command is set up and operating. This is a first class operation and they will provide the highest level of security during the Olympics. Utah will see between 3-4 million additional people during the two-week period.</p> <p>Security officials are available to meet with school districts, teachers, parents, etc. who are worried and concerned on how to discuss the fears of security with their children. It was suggested a brochure be developed and distributed to parents to help them deal with the fears of their children.</p> <p>Camille added that a committee from courts and prosecution has been formed, David Schwendiman from the US Attorney’s Office and Mike Wimms from the Attorney General’s office. Camille has arranged for a briefing Monday, October 22, 2:00 pm at the Capitol, regarding the whole prosecution courts piece.</p>

Agenda Item:	SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS
Notes:	<p><u>Information Technology – Jennifer Hemenway</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The technology sub-committee with both local and state members continues to meet and guide the process of implementing technology projects throughout the state. 2. We are working on completing a new technology plan and have hired a consultant to expedite the planning process. To complete this plan it will be necessary to conduct a study of local criminal justice agencies including chiefs, sheriffs and prosecutors to understand their priorities and desires. In addition, each state agency will also be contacted for their input into the planning process. Future grant awards will be shaped to our new technology plan 3. We have applied and receive funding for two additional technology grants. The first is NCHIP for \$530,000 and the second is a NGA grant for

\$650,000. Both grants were submitted with the approval of the executive committee and the technology sub-committee, each grants includes projects at both the state and local level.

Camille Anthony and Ed McConkie – Cross Education

The subcommittee is working with the courts and law enforcement on gathering information on how many offenders have mental disabilities. A presentation with the sub-panel of the subcommittee to district and juvenile court judges. We had a parade of experts and providers come before the subcommittee.

There is one piece of legislation tied to this effort and that is regard to capitol punishment of those who are mentally retarded. It was suggested that Utah prohibit the execution of those individuals as some states have. The bill being discussed now by the Attorney General's office and SWAP would create a mitigating factor to consider at sentencing.

Ron Gordon – Victims of Crime

Ron Gordon reported that the Victims Council's main focus this year has been a victim notification system. It is being piloted in the Department of Corrections. It is a telephone based system that will allow victims of crime to register a telephone number where they can receive calls to be notified of transfer and status of an offender; when an offender is released, when an offender is paroled, work release, etc. Hopefully, this system can be statewide and integrated with all of the county jails in the future. The program is being funded through CVR. The pilot program is expected to be operational by the end of the year.

Juvenile Expungement – Ron Gordon

Ron Gordon distributed the recommendations from the Juvenile Expungement Subcommittee. Highlights of the report:

- minimum age 18;
- require petitioner to file with petition a copy of criminal history report;
- prosecuting attorney's office and victim to be notified 30 days prior to hearing;
- have the court consider if the petitioner has completed programs;
- whether setting aside the adjudication will depreciate the conduct; and whether failure to set adjudication may result in disabilities disproportionate to the conduct;
- provide the court with added discretion; allow fingerprints to be expunged;
- prohibit expungement of aggravated murder and murder; and
- create an expedited process for expunging non-judicial adjustments.

Dan Becker made a **motion** to approve the juvenile expungement recommendations in concept until the subcommittee brings draft legislation back to the Commission for review. Second: Georgia Block. **The motion was approved with Greg Skordas and Afton Bradshaw opposing.**

Susan Burke – Juvenile Justice

Legislation: The Utah Board of Juvenile Justice did vote to support the Juvenile Expungement bill in concept. The Board also voted to support the bill to transfer Youth Services to the Divison of Youth Corrections.

Do The Write Thing Challenge: This is the second year for this campaign inviting 7th and 8th grade students to write about the causes and solutions to

	<p>youth violence. This year's campaign has expanded statewide to include all middle school students, not just those enrolled in alternative middle schools.</p> <p><i>Parent to Parent Video:</i> Susan has copies of the video for anyone wishing to receive one. The Board also provided funds for a Spanish translation of the video.</p> <p><i>Non-Secure Housing for Juveniles During the Olympics:</i> Issues were brought to the Board on whether facilities were available to deal with juveniles if they are arrested and needed to be held in a non-secure location during the Olympics. A study was completed that identified Park City, Heber Valley and Snow Basin as needing non-secure facilities. Local government has provided a facility at each site for no cost. The Board is currently identifying who will be responsible for staffing those facilities.</p>
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Agenda Item:	LEGISLATION AND BUDGET PRIORITIES FOR 2002 Ron Gordon, Camille Anthony
Notes:	<p>Ron Gordon provided a list of legislative topics that may come up at the next session.</p> <p>Camille Anthony reported on budget issues from the Governor's Office. The hold backs for fiscal year 2002 of \$93 million are now permanent. Revenue estimates post September 11, puts the state's budget for the current year at \$177 million lower in the current year than anticipated.</p> <p>Even with the hold backs becoming permanent, the state needs to find an additional \$84 million. The Governor is suggesting using one-half of the rainy day fund, leaving \$24 million still needed to be taken out of state government. The short term strategy will be to scale state government services to a level we can afford. The agencies need to come up with an additional \$10-25 million. There are three exceptions including public safety, public education, and higher education.</p> <p>The long-term strategy will be to restore integrity to the general fund. The general fund has had money diverted from it to subsidize programs. We need to look at requiring users of services to pay for them, not be subsidized by sales tax or the general fund. An additional piece of the long-term strategy is to make services available online. If people want to do business with state government, they may have to pay a higher fee. Another issue that will be addressed includes the remote sales tax on internet purchases.</p>

Agenda Item:	WRAP UP – Doug Bodrero, Camille Anthony
Notes:	The next meeting will be December 18, 2001.