

SPOKANE REGIONAL LAW AND JUSTICE COUNCIL MINUTES – 5/13/20

Chair: Commissioner Al French

Vice-Chair: Justin Bingham

Meeting Date:
05/13/20

Meeting Location:
Virtual Meeting

Start Time: 12:00 p.m.
Adjourn Time: 1:30 p.m.

Members:

| | | Email | Organization |
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| Chair: Commissioner Al French | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Afrench@Spokanecounty.org | County Commissioner |
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| Steve Bartel | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | SBartel@Spokanecounty.org | Risk Manager |
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| Tim Fitzgerald | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | TFitzgerald@Spokanecounty.org | County Clerk |
| David Ganas | <input type="checkbox"/> | DBGanas@DOC1.WA.GOV | Dept. of Corrections |
| John Haley | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | jwhaleyjr@comcast.net | Community Rep. |
| Larry Haskell | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | LHaskell@Spokanecounty.org | County Prosecutor |
| Commissioner Josh Kerns | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | JKerns@spokanecounty.org | County Commissioner |
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| Tom Krzyminski | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | TKrzyminski@Spokanecounty.org | County Public Defender |
| Commissioner Mary Kuney | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | MKuney@spokanecounty.org | County Commissioner |
| Judge Richard Leland | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | RLeland@spokanecounty.org | Municipal Court Rep |
| Chief Craig Meidl | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | CMeidl@Spokanepolice.org | Spokane Police |
| Judge Maryann Moreno | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | MMoreno@Spokanecounty.org | Superior Court |
| Carmen Pacheco-Jones | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Carmen.pacheco-jones@yahoo.com | Community Rep. |
| Tori Peterson | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | TPeterson@Spokanecounty.org | Juvenile Court |
| Judge Jeff Smith | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | JSmith@Spokanecounty.org | District Court |
| Director Mike Sparber | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | MSparber@Spokanecounty.org | Detention Services |
| Cheryl Tofsrud | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | CTofsrud@Spokanecounty.org | Pre-Trial Services |
| Chief Mark Werner | <input type="checkbox"/> | MWerner@spokanecounty.org | Municipal Police Rep. |
| Erin Williams-Hueter | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | ewilliams@lcsnw.org | Community Rep. |
| Mayor Nadine Woodward | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Mayor@Spokanecity.org | Mayor of Spokane |

Proxies:

Mike Ormsby for Mayor Woodward.

Present:

Maggie Yates, Regional Law & Justice Administrator

Agenda:

1. Introductions
2. Approve minutes
3. Council Business: Chair & Co-Chair Nominations
4. Stakeholder Updates
 - a. Presiding Judges
 - b. Clerk of Court
 - c. Detention Services
 - d. Law Enforcement
5. Questions/Comments
6. Adjourn

Minutes:

- Item #1: Commissioner French, Chair, opened the meeting. Welcome/Introductions.
- Item #2: Motion to approve the minutes from February 12, 2020 made by John Haley (Community Representative). Seconded by Erin Williams-Heuter (Community Representative). Motion carried unanimously.
- Item #3: Council Business: Chair & Co-Chair Nominations
 - Motion to nominate Commissioner Al French as the Chair of the Spokane Regional Law & Justice Committee made by John Haley (Community Representative) Seconded by Justin Bingham (City of Spokane Prosecutor). Motion carried unanimously.
 - Motion to nominate Justin Bingham as the Co-Chair of the Spokane Regional Law & Justice Council made by County Clerk Tim Fitzgerald. Seconded by John Haley (Community Member). Motion carried unanimously.
- Item 4: Stakeholder Updates
 - The following criminal justice stakeholders provided updates on responses to COVID-19 that their respective departments have taken.
 - Judge Harold Clarke, Superior Court.
 - Judge Jeffery Smith, District Court.
 - Judge Matt Antush, Municipal Court.
 - Tim Fitzgerald, County Clerk.
 - Director Mike Sparber, Detention Services.
 - Chief Craig Meidl, Spokane Police Department.

Meeting adjourned.