

SPOKANE REGIONAL LAW AND JUSTICE COUNCIL MINUTES - 08/08/2018

Chair: Commissioner Al French		Vice-Chair: Justin Bingham	
Meeting Date: 08/08/2018		Meeting Location: SRHD Room 140	
		Start Time: 12:00 p.m. Adjourn Time: 1:00 p.m.	
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Chief Craig Meidl	<input type="checkbox"/>	CMeidl@Spokanepolice.org	Spokane Police
Judge Maryann Moreno	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MMoreno@Spokanecounty.org	Superior Court
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Judge Tracy Staab	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TStaab@spokanecity.org	Muni Court
Cheryl Tofsrud	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CTofsrud@Spokanecounty.org	Pre-Trial Services
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Annette Ingham for Erin Williams		AIngham@spokanecounty.org	Pros. Victims witness Coord
Gloria Ochoa-Bruck for Mayor Condon		GOchoa-Bruck@spokanecity.org	City of Spokane

AGENDA:

1. Welcome
 2. Approval of June 13, 2018 Minutes
 3. Approval of June 22, 2018 Minutes
 4. Announcements
 - Maggie Yates starts on Aug. 22
 - EnVision Center update
 - SRLJC bylaws update (In September)
 5. Mental Health Diversion program – Kristina Ray
 6. SRLJC Future Focus Areas
 - RCW 72.09.300
 7. Adjourn
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Notes:

- Motion to approve minutes from June 13, 2018 as written made by Larry Haskell, 2nd by Steve Bartel. Motion carried unanimously.
- Motion to approve minutes from June 22, 2018 as written made by Larry Haskell, 2nd by John McGrath. Motion carried unanimously.

Announcements:

- Maggie Yates (new Law & Justice Administrator) will be starting on August 22, 2018.
- Envision update given by Kelly Keenan, city of Spokane. Co-location of social services currently being piloted in the Work source building. To be moved into social services section of future RCRC building.
- By-laws – Draft will be sent out to SRLJC prior to next month’s meeting. Will also be posted on Website. There will be a public comment period, to be determined.
- Bonnie Bush (Juvenile Court director), is retiring and introduced her successor, Tori Peterson, who will be taking Bonnie’s position. Welcome Tori! Bonnie will be profoundly missed!

Item #5 – Mental Health Diversion – Kristie Ray

This diversion program was created out of 2015 senate bill. Uses DSHS grant funds involving Pretrial services and the Behavioral Health Organization to provide specific ongoing case management.

Program has been very successful.

(Robust conversation and question and answer period).

Item #6 – SRLJC Future focus: RCW 72.09.300

Discussion on jail and future needs.

Next Month:

- Sheriff Knezovich requested to be put on the agenda for next month.
- Carmen Pacheco-Jones requested to be put on the agenda for next month.
- By-laws update will be presented.

Next Meeting: 9/12/18

Scribe: Karen Westberg – Law & Justice Staff Asst.