

**THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA
STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

**D-307-CV-2019-01611
(Miscellaneous)**

IN THE MATTER OF: THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE COORDINATING COUNCIL

**AGENDA
THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT
CRIMINAL JUSTICE COORDINATING COUNCIL**

**APRIL 21, 2021
NOON TO 1:00 P.M.**

Chair: Judge Joel Cano, Doña Ana County Magistrate Court
Chief Judge Manuel I. Arrieta, Third Judicial District Court

AGENDA:

Called to order at 12:00 pm

Roll Call

| Agency | Member |
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| <i>Third Judicial District Court</i> | Chief Judge Arrieta, Stacey Madson, Samantha Woodward, Lindsey Saiz, David Borunda, Tiffany McMinn, |
| <i>Dona Ana Magistrate Court</i> | Judge Cano, Bernice Ramos |
| <i>Anthony Municipal Court</i> | Antonio Cervantes |
| <i>Hatch Municipal Court</i> | Absent |
| <i>Las Cruces Municipal Court</i> | Judge Goldbaum |
| <i>Town of Mesilla Municipal Court</i> | Absent |
| <i>Sunland Park Municipal Court</i> | Absent |
| <i>Third Judicial District Attorney's Office</i> | Gerald Byers |
| <i>Law Office of Public Defender</i> | Kristofer Knutson |
| <i>Dona Ana Sheriff's Department</i> | Sheriff Kim Stewart, John Day |
| <i>Las Cruces Police Department</i> | Chief Paul Brock |
| <i>New Mexico State Police Department</i> | Absent |
| <i>New Mexico State University Police Dept</i> | Absent |
| <i>Sunland Park Police Department</i> | Absent |
| <i>Anthony Police Department</i> | Chief Ordonez |
| <i>Mesilla Marshall's</i> | Absent |
| <i>Hatch Police Department</i> | Absent |
| <i>Dona Ana County Codes Enforcement</i> | Absent |
| <i>Dona Ana County Detention Center</i> | Bryan Baker |
| <i>Dona Ana County Defense Bar</i> | Michael Stout |
| <i>Mesilla Valley Regional Dispatch</i> | Robert Milks |
| <i>CYFD</i> | Absent |

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| <i>City of Las Cruces</i> | Absent |
| <i>Dona Ana County Compliance</i> | Yolanda Salas |
| <i>Memorial Medical Center</i> | Absent |
| <i>Community Service Corps</i> | Mary White |
| <i>Behavioral Health</i> | Joel Diemer |
| <i>La Casa</i> | Pat Acosta |
| <i>Department of Finance & Administration</i> | Absent |
| <i>Adult Probation and Parole</i> | Gina Franco |
| <i>VIVITROL/MAT</i> | Absent |
| <i>Aprendamos Intervention Team</i> | Daniel Hurtado |

1. Approval of March Minutes

- Approval of February and March minutes postponed to May
- Motion passed by acclimation

2. David Borunda, CEO Third Judicial District Court [5 minutes]

- *Legislative Updates*
 - House Bill 2 passed
 - The courts are still waiting on information about the cannabis act and the related expungement cases.
 - Nmlegis.gov

3. Honorable Chief Judge Arrieta

- *Budget Updates*
 - The CJCC does not have a budget and is not funded.
 - The Data Platform approved for use last year has not been implemented.
 - Pre-Trial Services have been approved for four new positions and new offices are being set up.
 - They plan to start Pre-Trial Services on a soft rollout by July 1.

4. Bernice Ramos, Court Manager Magistrate Court

- *Officers printing duplicate copies of signed warrants-resulting in warrant being served several times to the calendar*
 - Judge Cano: Bernice Ramos wants a meeting with all law enforcement agencies.
 - Bernice Ramos: The Magistrate Court judges are taking calls regarding warrants and using the shared email address for warrant signing. The warrants are then printed multiple times, and there have been several instances where a defendant was arrested on the same warrant multiple times.

- Do not print the warrant more than once. The original warrant is the one that is initially printed.
- Robert Milks: Concerned that officers print the warrant multiple times because MVRDA can't verify every single warrant.

5. Rose Ann Vasquez, LC3 Behavioral Health Collaborative Coordinator (in DAC) [5 minutes]

- *Describe organizations' roles in our behavioral health arena*
- *Discuss how collaboration between the two organizations' programming and initiatives, and the CJCC, will benefit the community's efforts to enhance the provision of behavioral health services, law enforcement activities, and the courts' interaction with cases involving behavioral health considerations*
- *Discussion [5 minutes]*
 - a. Healthypasodelnorte.org/lc3
 - b. Judge Cano: The nation is experiencing mass shootings and some of these can be traced to someone who could benefit from mental assistance. Could this agency help law enforcement officers?
 - c. Rose Ann Vasquez: They are taking in the national environment and it is diligent to bring in law enforcement officers. The point of being at the CJCC meeting is to try to bring all justice partners together.

6. Scott Patterson, Statewide Behavioral Health Manager – NM Administrative Office of the Courts

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- *Discussion [5 minutes]*
 - a. Sequential Intercept Model
 1. Response to individuals who are high users of the system
 2. Concerned with being able to engage with how to respond in a more trauma-responsive manner for those with mental health issues
 3. The goal is to provide interventions that will reduce involvement in the criminal justice system.
 4. Michael Stout: curious about what the aspirations are for CJCC and how they can be of practical use for this area?

5. Patterson: Come in as active participants for processes that the courts / LC3 suggests. Show up to the table for these discussions and invite people to the table to have meaningful conversations about what is and what isn't working.
6. Stout: There is a challenge because there are people with different views and experiences – has Mr. Patterson worked with other CJCC councils?
7. Patterson: Start speaking the same language, or realize they're not speaking the same language.

Joel Diemer: requests to put an item on agenda for May to discuss how the CJCC moves forward in regards to the mental health discussions.

Mary White: requests that Community Service Corps be a part of the conversation next month.

Judge Cano: CJCC is developing a strategy or subcommittee to disseminate information to the public.

Marie Telles: happy to collaborate with anyone regarding mental health and to be added to the agenda next month as a presenter for more information on services provided.

Meeting adjourned at 1:04 pm

Next Meeting May 19, 2021