



**COLONIAL COMMUNITY CRIMINAL JUSTICE BOARD**

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**Meeting Notes:**

Colonial Community Criminal Justice Board

May 7, 2018

**Location:**

Charles City Community Center  
8320 Ruthville Road  
Providence Forge, VA 23140

**Members Present:**

Judge Wade Bowie

Susan Bruno

Thomas J. Byrne

Bill Coad

David Coe

Sean Dunn \*

Todd Duval

Dennis Ivey (designee for Ron Montgomery's expired seat)

Joe Jackson

Adam Kinsman, Vice Chair

Joe McLaughlin

Charles Moss, Chair

Patricia Paige

Steven Reandean

Brad Rinehimer

Andrew Trivette \*

Rob Tyler

Kelly Waddell

\*Although present, arrived too late for quorum or votes

**Members Absent:** Chad Green  
Judge Colleen Killilea  
Judge Mike McGinty  
Virginia Munoz  
Jenny Pauls  
Tony Pham

**Staff:** Hal Diggs, Director CCC  
Jack Fitzpatrick, Criminal Justice Planner

**Guests:** Maj. Tony Dallman, JCC-PD

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

The quarterly meeting of the Colonial Community Criminal Justice Board was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Chair Charles Moss.

**2. ANNOUNCEMENT OF QUORUM**

Criminal Justice Planner Fitzpatrick was asked to call the roll. Following that, a quorum was declared by Mr. Moss.

**3. ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

Mr. Moss welcomed new members Todd Duval and Captain Dennis Ivey, who is serving as designee for Major Montgomery.

**4. APPROVAL OF FEBRUARY 5, 2018 MEETING NOTES**

A motion was made by Brad Rinehimer, seconded by David Coe, to approve the minutes as presented. The Board approved the minutes.

**5. REPORT OF THE CHAIR**

No report.

## 6. APPOINTMENTS and ELECTIONS

Mr. Moss noted that Todd Duval has been appointed to the Board by Charles City County and that he also will serve in our state mandated position of “a public defender or an attorney who is experienced in the defense of criminal matters.”

## 7. COMMITTEE REPORTS

**a.) Juvenile Justice Committee Report:** Joe reported that Jack provided the synthetic drugs presentation to 8 members of the Williamsburg Community Health Foundation on 2/13/2018. Attendee Kyra Cook is a member of the W-JCC School Board and was asked to advocate for links to the videos being placed on the school websites.

Jack has been in contact with Tabb High School and is awaiting a date to present Certificates of Appreciation to three Tabb High School seniors who competed in the “No 2 Distracted Driving” competition promoted by Hall Automotive Group and Cox Communications. The Tabb students won the grand prize of \$3,500 to split among themselves and \$3,500 for the school. CCCJB member (and York County Supervisor) Chad Green will present if his schedule permits.

At the request of L.H.S. parent Kyra Cook (and W-JCC School Board Member), Jack has sent an email to Ms. Pat Thompson, at LHS, to offer the class for this semester.

No additional public safety videos will be attempted for this school year due to the proximity of the end of William and Mary’s school year.

**b.) CIT & Opioids Committee:** Committee Chair David Coe provided a handout with statistics from the Colonial CITAC from 2012-2018. He noted that—after being the busiest CITAC in the Commonwealth when factored hour-by-hour—it appears that we have finally plateaued and will not be the busiest. Also noteworthy is that the hours of officer time relieved by the CITAC continues to increase. The total number of officers/deputies trained by the local CIT is 316.

The opioid numbers are up in some areas of the region and down in others. We are still seeing both synthetic (pills) and heroin abuse. The Historic Triangle Drug Prevention Coalition will be invited to present to this Board in August.

Hal asked if David had any numbers from the Suboxone program. David advised that after having started a few months ago, the program has grown to the point that they now average 6 new admission per week and all have the goal of weaning completely off of drugs. There are currently 12 active clients. Due to the Commonwealth’s opioid numbers, we have qualified for \$5-5.5 million in federal funds and can begin accessing the funds. It is noted that \$12 million was requested by localities in Virginia. The Suboxone clinic is now being advertised inside all WATA busses as well as on the outside of two of them. The Williamsburg Health Foundation is currently providing funding for up to 10 medically indigent clients (\$5,000/year).

David noted that he has raised the issue of a local Drug Court or Mental Health Court previously and thought it worthwhile to raise it again today. The Colonial Region now has the numbers to support such an effort. David is not pushing for either court one way or the other but thinks it would be good to discuss the issue. Todd noted that it is generally more challenging when the judges have to travel to various courthouses than it is in jurisdictions where they sit in only one location. Susan was formerly employed in an area which held

drug courts and noted the importance of having a judge who supportive of the effort. Additional discussion continued.

**c.) Re-Entry Committee:** Jack reported on behalf of Committee Chairperson Jenny Pauls:

- The DMV Connect program served 8 additional inmates during their March DMV Connect visit. An additional visit was made on May 5<sup>th</sup> for which the numbers are not yet available. A total of **240** inmates have been served by the program at VPRJ.
- A Literacy 4 Life volunteer has been approved as a VPRJ volunteer to reopen the One Stop Resume' computer center which has remained closed since February. Additionally, several members of Saint Martin's Episcopal Church are considering volunteering for the One-Stop.
- The VPRJ—GED (General Equivalency Diploma) program was closed for a few months but resumed full operation in mid-February. The program has a 64% passage rate in their testing over the last five years.
- Two volunteers from Goodwill Industries are interested in providing a monthly intensive re-entry program and are in the process of VPRJ volunteer approval.
- The volunteer with Saint Bede Church has been asked to expand their Bible Study to include female groups and have two volunteers who are awaiting approval to begin service.
- The Community Of Faith Mission (COFM) Winter Shelter program reports that it served 114 people this year (the highest number ever), with 2,700 shelter night stays (5% higher than last year), the numerical breakdown is similar to the last several years in that 68% were male, 32% female, and 31% were guests who had been served at least once previously by the shelter program. The age range was from 2-76 years old.

**d.) Finance Committee:** Hal took the opportunity to thank the members of the Board for their support in his recent funding request from the localities. It appears that the two new positions that were requested will be funded. He reiterated that workload on the Pre-Trial side has increased by 80% and Probation 15% since the last staff increase.

## **8. REPORT OF CCC AGENCY DIRECTOR**

No report.

## **9. UNFINISHED/NEW BUSINESS**

Hal supported the Justice Board recognition effort and suggested that Richard Pennycuff (JCC-PD) and Amy Jacobson (CCC) be considered for their efforts with the Alliance on Violence Against Women (AVAW).

## **10. CLOSING REMARKS & ADJOURNMENT**

With no further business, Charles Moss asked for a motion to adjourn. Adam Kinsman made the motion and Bill Coadá seconded. Meeting was adjourned at 7:32 p.m.

The next meeting will be held Monday, **August 6, 2018**, in the City of Poquoson.