



# DENVER

## PUBLIC HEALTH & ENVIRONMENT

### CRIME PREVENTION AND CONTROL COMMISSION

JUNE 15, 2022

AGENDA	Discussion / Summary	Decisions and Action Items
<b>HANDOUTS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Agenda</li> <li>• May 2022 minutes</li> <li>• Denver Sheriff Department Jail Data Quarterly Overview Presentation</li> <li>• Sobriety, Wellness, and Outreach Court Program Impact Q&amp;A presentation</li> </ul>	
<b>ATTENDANCE – ZOOM MEETING</b>	<p>Taj Ashaheed (virtual), Amy Beery (virtual), Kristin Bronson (virtual), Candi CdeBaca (virtual), Elias Diggins (virtual), Paul Kashmann (virtual), DeAnna Maes (virtual), Greg Mauro (virtual), Beth McCann (virtual), Meredith McGrath (virtual), Alice Norman (virtual), Liz Ojeda (virtual), Deborah Ortega (virtual), Carol Peeples (virtual), Nicole Rodarte (virtual), Laura Rovner (virtual), Orlando Salazar (virtual), Deme Trujillo (virtual), Lynn Unger (virtual), Laura Wachter (virtual), Glenn West (virtual)</p> <p>Guests: Arrah Gallaher (virtual), Stacie Collins (virtual), Nikki Johnson (virtual), Elizabeth Friend (virtual), Daniel Van Schooten (virtual), Kara Napolitano (virtual), Ashlee Wedgeworth (virtual), Zach McDade (virtual), Ilyas El-Amin (virtual), Melanie Pitkin (virtual)</p> <p>Staff: Ahsaadyia Fryar (virtual), Candy Romero (virtual), Charlie Garcia (virtual), Kevin Kelly (virtual), Cindy Laub (virtual)</p>	
<b>MINUTES</b>	Ahsaadyia Fryar asked for approval of the May 2022 minutes. Carol Peeples moved to approve. Liz Ojeda seconded the motion. Minutes approved.	
<b>DISCUSSION/ UPDATES</b>	<p><b>Welcome Commissioners and guests</b></p> <p>Disabled chat for the meeting</p>	

**Denver Sheriff Department Jail Data Quarterly Overview Presentation - Lizzie Friend, Director of Performance, Management and Strategy, DSD and Zach McDade, Statistical Researcher Senior, DSD Performance, Management and Strategy**

- Current population both facilities 1,715
- Bookings YTD both facilities 10,000
- Released YTD both facilities 9,932
- Avg daily population both facilities 1,641
- Ave historic population 1/1/2017-5/30/2022, both facilities 1,794
- DDC avg population YTD 1,051
- COJL avg population YTD 610
- COVID-19 counts 2020-2022 both facilities
  - Current/active positive cases 41
  - Released positives 815
- Vaccinations administered 2/24/21-6/10/22, both facilities 5,361
- Use of Force Incidents (UOF) YTD, confirmed 409
- Inmate on inmate assaults YTD, both facilities 290 resulting in 28 injuries
- Inmate on staff assaults YTD, both facilities 92 resulting in 10 injuries
- Crisis Response Team (CRT) Contacts by Date 2/7-6/13/22
  - Total contacts 2303
  - Daily average 18.19
- CRT Contacts and Uses of Force 2/10/21-6/10/22, total is 37
- CRT Contacts by Alert and Requested Coding Changes 2/7-6/1/22
  - Current Mental Health Alert (pre contact) 2003
  - Requested Mental Health Alert (post contact) 2003

**Sobriety, Wellness, and Outreach Court Program Impact Q&A - Lynn Unger, Denver County Court Program Manager**

- The Wellness Program addresses the quick release process for individuals with municipal level cases and behavioral health needs by providing identification in the booking process and offering immediate connection at the Downtown Detention Center.
  - Any non-domestic violence case with a behavioral health need and/or on the ROC list is screened by the City Attorney
  - Voluntary
  - Individuals self-identify 1-6 goals to complete
  - Direct release to a Wellness Community Connector between the hours of 9am-8pm
  - No regular appearances in the criminal justice buildings, including court

- Completion of goals results in a dismissal of the case (deferred prosecution)
- Outreach Court
  - WHO: Individuals experiencing housing instability with low level violations and offenses
  - WHAT: Started on December 7, 2016, has handled over 3,720 cases for over 1,000 individuals
  - WHEN and WHERE:
    - Second Wednesday of every month, 7:30am at Denver Rescue Mission Lawrence Street Shelter
    - Fourth Wednesday of every month, 8:00am, Central Denver Public Library
  - WHY: Removing location and transportation barriers, meeting individuals where they are in a comfortable, familiar environment
  - HOW: Judicial Officer, CA, PD, DCC, DHS Outreach, Stout Street Foundation, WellPower, DPL Peers, FPNs
- Sobriety Court
  - WHO: Adults charged with 2nd and 3rd DUIs (misdemeanors)
  - WHAT: The mission of the Denver County Sobriety Court is to provide an effective, efficient, judicially supervised, accountable, systemic process to address addiction, offender success, and recovery
  - WHEN: Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 and Friday morning at 9:30
  - WHERE: Sobriety Court is held in the City and County Building, Courtroom 104B
  - WHY: Evidenced-based treatment court model. Increase community safety, reduce recidivism, improve participant lives and those around them.
  - HOW: Team-Mag Annis, District Attorney, State Public Defender, 2 County Probation Officers, Treatment Providers-IDEA and MHBH, Program Manager and Administrator
- Sequential Intercept
  - Intercept Zero: Community Services
  - I. Law Enforcement/Emergency Services
  - II. Jail
  - III. Court
  - IV. Re-Entry
  - V. Community Support
- Denver County Court
  - Wellness Program
  - Sobriety (DUI) Court
  - Helping Engaging Motivating (HEM)
  - Outreach Court
  - Driving Under Restraint (DUR) Navigators

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Forensic Peer Navigators</li> <li>○ Competency Diversion (CD)</li> <li>○ Resilience Empowerment Autonomy Community Hope (REACH)</li> </ul> <p><b>DUR (Driving Under Restraint) Program Impact Q&amp;A - DeAnna Maes, Denver County Court Chief Probation Officer - tabled</b></p> <p><b>Public Comment - none</b></p> <p><b>Closing Remarks – none</b></p> <p>Ahsaadyia Fryar motioned to adjourn. Deborah Ortega moved. Taj Ashaheed seconded the motion. Meeting adjourned.</p>	
<b>NEXT MEETING</b>	July 20, 2022, 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m., via Zoom	