Meeting Minutes: Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC)
Date: Wednesday, June 11, 2025, 8:30 am – 10:00 am
Location: Hybrid – First Floor Conference Room at 200 College St or Virtual via Zoom

Welcome and Introductions: Jorge Redmond, JCPC Chair, welcomed participants and initiated introductions.

Review and Action of the JCPC Board Minutes: The board reviewed meeting minutes from April and May. Angie Garner motioned to approve the minutes, Angel Redmond seconded, all approved, the motion carried.

FY2025-2026 JCPC Chair/Vice-Chair/Committee Chairs (Planning, Monitoring, Allocations): Hannah Legerton summarized discussion points from the April meeting on FY2026 Executive Committee leadership positions including JCPC Chair, Vice-Chair, Committee Chairs.

- Jorge Redmond expressed interest in continuing as Chair;
- Angie Garner voiced commitment to the work of the Planning Committee Chair;
- Banta Whitner expressed an openness to serving as Monitoring Chair;
- Angel Redmond said that she is open to continuing on as Allocations Chair; and
- Brandon Priester shared his interest in continuing to serve as Vice-Chair for the coming year as well.

Jeremy Bricker motioned to approve the FY2026 JCPC Executive Committee as proposed, Shanon Martin seconded, all approved, the motion carried.

Program Updates: Robin Fraser explained a pending budget revision for Aspire that needed JCPC approval due to included salary line items. Banta Whitner motioned to approve the budget revision as proposed, Jeremy Bricker seconded, all approved, the motion carried.

NCDPS Court Juvenile Justice Update: Sylvia Clement, Chief Court Counselor shared updates, including:

- DJJ had a good day hosting a group of youth at Camp Grier earlier in the month, and expressed thanks to the JCPC for snacks
- Court Counselors attended the Asheville Police Department NC S.A.F.E. event on June 3rd at Tanger Outlets
- There has been a slight increase in numbers lately
- Assessments are going well
- They are waiting to hear back on the potential to fill a couple of positions

Area Consultant Update: Lorraine Williams

- Update on Critical Standards Violation Report

Public Comment/Announcements

Adjournment

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Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC) Members/Attendees
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	JCPC Board Membership	N.C.G.S. § 143B-846 specifies members be appointed by county commissioners to serve on local Juvenile Crime Prevention Councils. In certain categories, a designee may be appointed to serve.			
	Specified Member	**Representative**	**Title**	**In person**	**Virtual**
1	School Superintendent or designee	Shanon Martin	Director of Student Services & Title IX Coord., Buncombe County Schools		X
2	Chief of Police or designee	Craig Loveland	SRO Supervisor, Asheville Police Department		
3	Local Sheriff or designee	Jorge Redmond	Senior Attorney, Buncombe County Sheriff's Office	X	
4	District Attorney or designee	David Denninger	Assistant DA		
5	Chief Court Counselor or designee	Sylvia Clement	Chief Court Counselor	X	
6	Director, AMH/DD/SA, or designee	Angela Garner	Community Relations Regional Director, VAYA Health		X
7	Director DSS or designee	Rebecca Smith	Social Work Director		X
8	County Manager or designee	Dr. Noreal Armstrong	Chief Equity & Human Rights Officer		X
9	Substance Abuse Professional	Nicole Stallings	Peer Support Specialist		X
10	Member of Faith Community	Don Johnson	Chaplain, Buncombe County Detention/ABCCM		
11	County Commissioner	*Vacant*			
12	Youth Member (under 21)	*Vacant*			
13	*Member representing families of youth involved in justice system* OR Youth under 21	CiCi Weston	Executive Director, The Christine Avery Learning Center		
14	Juvenile Defense Attorney	Susannah Knox	Juvenile Defense Attorney		
15	Chief District Judge or designee	Susan Dotson-Smith	District Court Judge		X
16	Member of Business Community	Elizabeth Kraft	Member Manager, CURA LLC		X

17	Local Health Director or designee	Khadiya Ross	Program Manager II, Health & Human Services		X
18	Rep. United Way/other non-profit	Natasha Adwaters	Executive Director, Children First		X
19	Representative/Parks and Rec.	Angel Redmond	Facility Supervisor, Asheville Parks and Recreation	X	
20	County Commissioner appointee	Eric Robinson	Asheville Housing Authority		X
21	County Commissioner appointee	Jeremy Bricker	Area Director, Clarvida	X	
22	County Commissioner appointee	Co-Kema King	Student Affairs Case Manager, UNCA		
23	County Commissioner appointee	Michael Morrison	Senior Associate Attorney, Ford & Harrison LLP		X
24	County Commissioner appointee	Banta Whitner	LCSW, Ancestral Lineage Healing Practitioner	X	
25	County Commissioner appointee	Daysha Chaney	Student, UNCA		
26	County Commissioner appointee	Brandon Priester	Youth Business Services Representative, Land of Sky Regional Council		X
	Area Consultant	Lorraine Williams	NCDPS Community Programs Area Consultant	X	
	JCPC Staff Support	Hannah Legerton	Youth Justice Division Manager, BC	X	
	Justice Services Admin	Moniqua Alexander	Administrative Coordinator, Justice Services, BC		
	Justice Services Director	Regenia Herring	Justice Services Director, BC		
	JSD Business Administrator	Lindsay Holland	Justice Services Business Manager, BC		
	CAPE Support	Angelica Tyler	Administrative Coordinator, Justice Services, BC	X	
	Aspire - Buncombe	**Kim Castano**	**Robin Frasier**, Sergio Fernandez	X	X
	Buncombe County Teen Court	**Karen Peerson**	Jamie Lee Willocks	X	
	Earn and Learn Restitution	**Karen Peerson**	Juan Holladay	X	
	PIVOTPoint WNC	Matthew Nannis	Tai Kulenic		
	Umoja + UNETE	Michael Hayes	**Richard Caro**, Aaron Griffin		X
	Umoja + UNETE	**Norma Duran Brown**	Luisa Rodriguez, Jose Infanzon Chavez		X

Additional guests: