COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS PARTNERSHIP
455 County Center, Room 101, Redwood City
Thursday, September 12, 2013

MINUTES

Present Members:
John Keene, Chair
Becky Arredondo
John Digiacinto
John Joy
Susan Manheimer
Adrienne Tissier
Beverly Johnson
Steve Wagstaffe

Absent Members:
Anne Campbell
Stephen Kaplan

Other Attendees:
Joan Rosas, County Office of Education
Louise Rogers, Health System Department

1. Call to Order
Meeting was called to order.

2. Public Comment
 Speakers recognized by the Chair
Martin Fox, Veterans Advocate
Jay Laefer, ACLU, North Peninsula Chapter

3. Old Business
M: Tissier/S: Digiacinto to approve the minutes of May 14, 2013. The minutes of May 14, 2013, were approved unanimously, as corrected.

4. New Business

Chair Welcome:

- John Keene, Chief Probation Officer, talked about his future plans for the Probation Department, which will entail a strong community partnership with law enforcement, systems partners within the county; and community-based organizations. He emphasized that Probation will be an advocate and focal point for public safety in San Mateo County by holding people responsible for their actions as well as offering opportunities to provide rehabilitative services.
Chief Keene acknowledged the retirement of Deborah Torres, Human Services Agency, and thanked her for more than 38 years of service as a strong advocate for the residents of San Mateo County.

**Update on AB109 Offender Populations:**

- Chief Keene provided information on the status of the implementation of the Social Solutions database and indicated he expects to go live by the end of the year. A key component of the Social Solutions database will be the ability to share information with system-based partners.
- Probation will focus more on cognitive behavior therapy (CBT) through the use of programming and group settings. Individualized plans such as interactive journaling will utilize evidenced-based practices in a more targeted approach that will allow Probation officers (POs) to address client needs as well as their specific risks to reoffend.
- Greg Munks, Sheriff, reported that the Sheriff’s Office continues to feel the effects realignment its jails. Currently 22% of the jail population is comprised of AB 109 inmates.
- Sheriff Munks reported that the Sheriff’s Office continues to work on their Strategic Implementation Plan (SIP) with Resource Development Associates (RDA). The kick-off will be September 26. The new jail management system will roll out in January 2014.
- Beverly Beasley Johnson, Department Head of the Human Services Agency (HSA), reported that HSA continues to provide key public benefits to the reentry population. She stated that Marissa King will assume the duties of Supervisor at Service Connect while Kristi Baker is on maternity leave.
- John Joy, Human Services Agency Director, reported that 550Jobs! continues to have a 90% show-up rate for referrals from Service Connect. The staff at 550Jobs! collaborate with Child Support Services (CSS) to ensure that shared clients are given options to remain gainfully employed and meet their financial obligation with CSS on a regular basis.
- Louise Rogers, Health Systems Deputy Chief, reported that a study on medical/health access recently commissioned by their agency, found that 20% of the clients were frequent users of the emergency department. She stated that the challenge is connecting people to primary care when it makes sense instead of having them use the emergency room. She also noted that their tracking data indicates approximately 70% have shown a prevalence of alcohol and 20% with a mental health need.
- Ms. Johnson briefly talked about the Code for America mobile phone app currently being developed for the County, which will allow the user to input a search word/phrase, and the results will populate a list of available resources within the user’s geographical area.

**Proposal to form a working group to revise CCP outcome measures:**

- Chief Keene facilitated a discussion about the next phases of realignment, and the impact of the 1170(h) population on the County. He emphasized that some of the outcome measures defined in the current Local Implementation Plan (LIP) need to be look at for possible modifications or changes that would be more consistent with the current needs of the County.
- Chief Keene would like to convene a workgroup of current stakeholders to examine the outcome measures for possible modifications.

M: Tissier/S: Manheimer to create a working group to look at LIP outcome measures. The motion was approved unanimously.

**Next Meeting:**

- Next meeting will be in January 2014

**ADJOURNMENT**