

LARIMER COUNTY COMMUNITY CORRECTIONSADVISORY BOARD MINUTES

September 19th, 2023



Members Present: Lorenda Volker, Matt Cloven, Allyce Lobdell, Patti West, Katrina Mangan, Greg Otte, Tom Hulse, Matt Landers, Matt Cloven, David Koons, Melissa Divido, Edward Seegrist, Matt Landers, Emily Humphrey, Heather O'Hayre, Judge Susan Blanco, and Sara Steen, Christine Miller, Michael Allen, Staci Shaffer, Sid Simonson, Steve Pietrafeso, and Sara Steen.

Staff Present: Emily Humphrey, Tim Hand, Alexis Ongley, Alex Danielson, Misty Perry, Jake Hupp, Miguel Lalond, and Mario Munoz.

Guests: Cire Brown, (Intern) Sheriff's Office.

Absent: Commissioner Kristen Stevens, Jeff Swoboda, and Gordon McLaughlin.

Notes: Theresa Servin

Meeting was called to order at 12:00 pm by Tim Hand

- **Recognitions and Announcements**

- Tim Hand recognized Matt Landers (DA's office) for recently winning the Attorney of the Year award. Congratulations, Matt!
- The Warrant Clearance Event will take place at Timberline Church on October 7th.
- 10 clients joined Emily Humphrey for a half marathon with Green Events.

- **Conrad L Ball Banquet**

- Please RSVP as soon as possible, along with your meal choice.
- Thank you, Alex Danielson, Alexis Ongley, and Nora Thompson for al of your efforts in bringing the Award ceremony together.
- J. R Hall, the keynote speaker, will take a tour of LCCC on September 29th, before the banquet.

- **Advisory Board Vacancies/ Elect Secretary**

- Melissa Divido is invited to attend the executive board lunches and advisory board meetings for 6 months after a new chair has been elected. The past chair's presence will aid in the transition period.
- The advisory board will be accepting nominations for the Executive Team. The commitment requires members to meet once a month.
- Executive team members, or admin team supports, provide help with events, and offer tie breakers during voting, when necessary.

- **Community Corrections Conference**

- Alexis Ongley is scheduled to present on Gender Responsive programming during this year's Community Corrections Conference.
- Misty Perry and her RDDT team are scheduled to present mental health management in corrections.
- Early bird pricing ends October 20th.

- The conference will take place during November 1st and November 2nd in Lakewood, CO.
- **Staff BBQ/ Client BBQ**
 - Tim Hand stated the Staff BBQ and Cornhole tournament were enjoyed by all CJA staff this year. Congratulations to Emily Humphrey and Bryan Schissler, for winning the cornhole tournament this year.
 - A client BBQ is scheduled for October 23rd.
 - Link to Cornhole / Staff BBQ pictures:
 - <https://photos.app.goo.gl/Aqw4Ax9fE5GcputY8>
- **Construction Updates**
 - LCCC will be moving into Phase II of its renovation.
 - On September 25th and 26th, staff members will move in order to accommodate renovations.
 - October 4th, 5th, 6th clients will be moved back into the dormitory area. Clients will benefit from more personal space.
 - The control room and break room will undergo renovation, as well.
 - A Phase II facility tour will be scheduled for November.
- **House Bill 1326**
 - House Bill 1326 provides training for individuals involved with fentanyl crimes.
 - Due to the online training being free and effective, Alexis Ongley will send out more information about the training to Advisory Board Members.
- **Community Corrections Coalition Meeting at Grand Junction**
 - The coalition went through the bylaws in depth and updated a few sections from coalition members. Mark will be following up on this item at the next coalition meeting.
 - The coalition celebrated Dana Hersch for her retirement from 38 years of service with community corrections as their assistant director over security and the transport unit. Dana has been a part of the coalition for the last ten years and served in the secretary role. The new assistant director, Jake Hupp and security leadership participated in team building exercises while attending the coalition and met with their counterparts for a tour at Mesa County Community Corrections. These connections have been vital over the years between the two agencies and items discussed included the Pace audit, Core Security audit, and process and client management.
 - Tim Hand discussed the changing needs of graduated IRT clients and housing. ¾ housing, such as sober living, provides opportunities for clients to stay successful after leaving treatment. Housing opportunities allow clients to save money and live in healthy environments to ensure sobriety as housing opportunities are essential for clients' long-term success.
 - Mesa County Leadership provided an in-depth analysis and entry process around their ¾ housing model and they were able to provide the coalition with a framework around how they make this model work in their county and for their clients based on their individual needs.

Meeting Adjourned at 1:00 pm by Tim Hand

Next Meeting will be held on October 17th, 2023