

**RAPPAHANNOCK AREA
COMMUNITY CRIMINAL JUSTICE BOARD**

**Meeting Minutes
September 7, 2023
CCJB Meeting
RACSB
10825 Tidewater Trail
Fredericksburg, VA 22408**

PRESENT

Chairperson Mr. Davy Fearon - Executive Director, Rappahannock Area Office on Youth
Vice Chairperson Col. Kevin Hudson - Superintendent, Rappahannock Regional Jail
The Honorable Angela O'Connor - Stafford General District Court
The Honorable Michael Levy - Stafford Circuit
Mr. Brian Layton - Chief of Police, Fredericksburg Police Department
Mr. Cliff Rose - Chief Magistrate 15th Judicial District
Ms. Lauren Whitley - Senior Public Defender
Mr. Joe Wickens - Executive Director, RACSB
Ms. Natasha Cheek - Regional Manager, 15th District Court Services Unit
Mr. Ed Simmons - Fredericksburg Chief Probation and Parole

ABSENT

Mr. Mark Cole - Spotsylvania Deputy County Administrator
Mr. Tim Baroody - Fredericksburg City Manager
Mr. Travis Bird - Spotsylvania Commonwealth Attorney
Ms. Carla White - Rappahannock Juvenile Detention Center
Mr. Kevin Ortegel - Executive Director, RAASAP
Mr. Randy Vosburg - eg County Administrator, Stafford County
Mr. Christopher Miller - King George County Administrator
Ms. Nichole Bennett - Program Manager, Regional Adult Education
The Honorable Bruce Strickland - Stafford Circuit Court
The Honorable Georgia K. Sutton - Spotsylvania Juvenile & Domestic Relations Court

OTHERS

Mrs. Kelly Hale – Director of Community Corrections & Programs, Rappahannock Regional Jail
Mrs. Jennette Munnely – Secretary, Rappahannock Regional Jail

Mr. Davy Fearon called the meeting to order at 4:14 p.m. on Thursday, September 7, 2023.
Roll call was conducted:

Mr. Davy Fearon	Present
Mr. Kevin Hudson	Present
The Honorable Bruce Strickland	Absent
The Honorable Angela O'Connor	Present
The Honorable Georgia Sutton	Absent
The Honorable Michael Levy	Present
Mr. Ed Simmons	Present
Mr. Travis Bird	Absent
Mr. Brian Layton	Present
Ms. Lauren Whitley	Present
Ms. Natasha Cheek	Present

Mr. Mark Cole	Absent
Mr. Cliff Roase	Present
Mr. Joe Wickens	Present
Mr. Tim Baroody	Absent
Ms. Carla White	Absent
Mr. Kevin Ortegell	Absent
Mr. Randy Vosburg	Absent
Mr. Christopher Miller	Absent
Ms. Nichole Bennett	Absent

The board did reach a quorum.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no comments submitted.

COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS AND RRJ STATISTICS

Mrs. Hale provided the following statistics for RRJ:

Video Arraignment/Booking/Release statistics for the month of July, 2023: Fredericksburg Circuit Court-**29**, Fredericksburg General District Court-**52**, Fredericksburg Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court-**6**. Spotsylvania Circuit Court-**51**, Spotsylvania GDC-**88**, Spotsylvania Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court-**22**. Stafford Circuit Court-**70**, Stafford General District Court-**118**, Stafford Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court-**44**. King George Circuit Court-**24**, King George General District Court-**27**, King George Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court-**2**, other-**32**. The total numbers for the month of July were as follows: Video Arraignments: **565**, Other Status Hearings: **11**. Bookings: **851**, and Releases: **778**, for a total of: **1,629**. The Average Daily Count: **1025**. The Community Corrections Program totals were as follows: Pretrial Supervision: **901**, Community Based Probation: **691**, Veterans Docket: **9**, Behavioral Health Docket: **9**, Adult Drug Court: **32**, Juvenile Drug Court: **4**, Work Release: **13** and Electronic Monitoring: **2**, for a total of **1,661** individuals in Community Corrections programs.

RACSB UPDATE

Mr. Joe Wickens presented the RACSB report and the diversion data for the Third Quarter FY23. Sunshine Lady House is still closed due to workforce shortages. They are close to filling the 30 positions needed. They will be starting Mobile MAT program. They are expanding the co-response teams to Stafford and Spotsylvania.

MAGISTRATE UPDATE

Mr. Cliff Rose stated that he just swore in the 24th magistrate today. They are now fully staffed.

DISTRICT 21 OVERVIEW

Mr. Ed Simmons presented the District 21 overview. Total PO positions: **29**; **5** vacant PO positions; **1** vacant senior probation officer position. **2492** probationers and parolees on supervision. **303** level high cases; **1235** level medium cases; **244** level low cases; **278** cases pending intake; **1200** cases being supervised via ShadowTrack voice-verification. **135** gang/threat group members actively being supervised. **181** registered sex offenders on probation, parole, or conditional release. **11** sex offenders being monitored on GPS. **379** Major Violation Reports submitted in last three months. **84** Presentence Investigation Reports submitted to local courts in last three months. **2615** drug tests completed in the last three months. Decision Points, Sex Offender Awareness Program (SOAP), sex offender treatment, and sex offender treatment aftercare are offered in-house. DOC (Department of Corrections) hired a new director as of September 8, 2023, Chad Dodson.

JUVENILE JUSTICE REPORT

Ms. Natsha Cheek presented the update for the Juvenile Justice Report. Staffing continues to be a challenge. They have 8 out of 16 probation officers needed. **841** petitions completed. **224** juvenile intake petitions done, for a total of **1065**.

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

None

APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES, June 1, 2023

Mr. Fearon proceeded with the approval of the meeting minutes for June 1, 2023. Angela O'Connor made a motion to approve minutes; Carla White seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

ADJOURN

Mr. Cliff Rose made the motion to adjourn the meeting. The September 7, 2023 CCJB meeting adjourned at 4:44 p.m.

The next meeting for the Rappahannock Area Community Criminal Justice Board will take place on Thursday, December 7, 2023, at 4:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted:

Jennette Munnelly

Recording Secretary

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Meeting Agenda
2. Community Corrections & RRJ Statistics
3. RACSB Report
4. District 21 Overview

