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**Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement
and Administration of Criminal Justice
Juvenile Justice & Delinquency Prevention Advisory Board
Meeting Minutes**

Clarion Inn and Suites Conference Center
501 N. Highway 190
Covington, LA 70433
Phone: 985-893-3580
December 5, 2018
9:00 a.m.

I. Call To Order

The quarterly meeting of the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Advisory Board was called to order at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, December 11, 2018, by Dr. John S. Ryals, Jr., proxy for Board Chairman Mr. Julio Galan.

II. Roll Call

Ms. LaShinna Irons conducted the roll call, and a membership quorum was present.

Board members or their representatives present included:

Dr. John S. Ryals, Jr., proxy for Ms. Amanda L. Calogero, Mr. Julio R. Galan, and Dr. Stephen W. Phillippi; Ms. ViEve Martin-Kohrs, proxy for Ms. Avrie G. Celestine; Mr. Ted Cox; Ms. Claire T. Daly; Ms. Marcella A. Elliott; Ms. Billie Giroir; Mr. Curtis Hooks; Ms. Dana Menard; Mr. Joshua Muller; Reverend Marc A. Napoleon; Dr. Darrell L. Renfro; and Dr. Tiffany R. Wilkerson-Franklin

LCLE staff in attendance:

Chief Jim Craft; Ms. Rutha Chatwood; Mr. Demetrius Joubert; Ms. Martha Addison; Ms. LaShinna Irons; Ms. Nakia Harris; Ms. Brittany Onezine; and Ms. Melanie Vick.

District Directors or their representatives in attendance:

Mr. Jeremy Edwards, Northwest Law Enforcement Planning District, Inc. and Red River Delta Law Enforcement Planning Council, Inc.; Ms. Marky Tucker, North Delta Law Enforcement Planning District, Inc.; Ms. Amanda Bourque, Evangeline Law Enforcement Council, Inc.; Ms. Wanda Johnson and Dawn Hawkins, Capital District Law Enforcement Planning Council, Inc.; Ms. Calli Peloquin, Southwest District Law Enforcement Planning Council, Inc.; Ms. Jody Moreau, Jefferson Parish Criminal Justice Coordinating Council and Metropolitan District Law Enforcement Planning Action Commission, Inc.; and Mr. George Lawrence, City of New Orleans/Office of Criminal Justice Coordination.

Guests that attended the meeting:

Mr. Lee Clemons, 26th Judicial District Attorney's Office; Mr. Jack L. Duty, CASA-Natchitoches; Ms. Leslie R. Chambers, Governor's Office; Ms. Leigh Anne Wall, Louisiana District Attorney's Association; Ms. M. A. Patterson, New Orleans Police Department; Ms. Carrie Dean, Office of Juvenile Justice Services; Ms. Desiree Cook-Calvin, Ms. Tina Haines, and Ms. Louise Gray, Orleans Parish Juvenile Court; and Ms. Sarah Omojola, Welcoming Project.

III. Adoption of Agenda (December 5, 2018)

Dr. Ryals called for a motion to accept the agenda as presented. A motion was made by Mr. Hooks, seconded by Rev. Napoleon, and the motion passed.

IV. Old Business

A. Consideration of September 26, 2018, JJDP Advisory Board Meeting Minutes

Dr. Ryals called for a motion to approve the minutes from the meeting held September 26, 2018. A motion was made by Ms. Menard and seconded by Mr. Hooks. The motion passed.

B. Other Old Business

Dr. Ryals called for Other Old Business, and there was none to discuss.

V. New Business

A. Consideration of JJDP Allocation

**District 9 - City of New Orleans Office of Criminal Justice Coordination
Representative: Ms. Tenisha Stevens**

Prior Grant Number	District Number	Program	Applicant Agency	Project Title	Funds Requested
4222	9	JF (2017)	Orleans Parish Juvenile Court	Teen Court Works Program	\$42,877
District 9 Total Allocation					\$42,877

Dr. Ryals called for a motion to approve the above allocation. A motion was made by Mr. Hooks, seconded by Rev. Napoleon. The motion passed.

Abstention:

Mr. Joshua Muller abstained on Orleans Parish Juvenile Court.

B. Consideration of JJDP (JF) Application

**District 9 - City of New Orleans Office of Criminal Justice Coordination
Representative: Ms. Tenisha Stevens**

Grant Number	District Number	Program	Applicant Agency	Project Title	Funds Requested
4222	9	JF (2017)	Orleans Parish Juvenile Court	Teen Court Works Program	\$42,877

Dr. Ryals called for a motion to approve the above application. A motion was made by Ms. Daly, seconded by Ms. Giroir. The motion passed.

Abstention:

Mr. Joshua Muller abstained on Orleans Parish Juvenile Court.

VI. Reports

A. Federal Issues/Updates

Mr. Joubert reported that he's received the 2018 applications and working on a budget. JJDP received \$620,000, which is a \$126,000 increase.

B. Juvenile Justice Federal Programs

Mr. Demetrius Joubert

Mr. Joubert mentioned that we hired a new employee, Shantia Jones; who will be the the new JDAI/DMC State Coordinator.

C. Governor's Conference and DMC Committee Reports

Ms. Menard reported that the contracts have been signed for the Marriott hotel in New Orleans for the 2019 Governor's Conference that will be held April 24th-26th.

D. Report from Judge Michelle Breaux

Ms. Rachele Gassert and Dane Bolin presented "Raise the Age Implementation". (See attached)

VII. Other New Business

Dr. Ryals called for other new business, and there was none to discuss.

VIII. Next Meeting

JJDP Board Meeting: March 20, 2019 @ 9:00 a.m.

Commission Meeting: March 21, 2019 @ 10:00 a.m.

Location:

Baton Rouge Marriott

5500 Hilton Ave, Baton Rouge, LA 70808

Phone: 225-924-5000

IX. Meeting Adjournment

There being no further business to conduct, Dr. Ryals called for a motion to adjourn. A motion was made by Mr. Hooks, seconded by Ms. Martin-Kohrs, and the motion passed. The meeting adjourned at 9:45 a.m.

Submitted by: LaShinna Irons