

Governor's Juvenile Justice Commission

Executive Subcommittee

Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, April 8, 2025, 2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Virtual meeting

Chair: Diane Rondini Vice Chair: Aidan Raney

Executive Committee Members Present:	Commissioner Diane Rondini, Commissioner Carl Ashley, Commissioner Edjron Pearson, Commissioner Aidan Raney
Members Not Present:	
DOJ Staff:	Kiley Komro, Matt Allord, Jess Reindl

Convene and Roll Call

The Executive Subcommittee convened at 2:30 p.m. Quorum was present. Chair Diane Rondini welcomed members to the meeting.

DOJ Updates

Staff

There were no staff updates.

Compliance

Matt Allord reported that DOJ is waiting for a response from OJJDP regarding the definition of adult inmate. DOJ is finishing up compliance audits. DOC ODF announced that they reapproved a Waukesha Juvenile Detention Center collocated with their county jail. The jail administrator will serve as the superintendent as well. The facility will have 14-bed capacity. Allord has scheduled a meeting with the Jail Administrator Amy Vaughn to discuss the JJDP core requirements.

Allord responded to Commissioner questions about bed capacity, building location, and staff capacity. The building is not new construction. DOC has approved the facility to operate; however, the facility does not anticipate accepting kids soon.

Legislation

Komro shared that the Budget Letter was approved by the PLC Subcommittee and distributed to the legislature and governor. The memo regarding a bill to decriminalize prostitution for minors is being edited. A workgroup was formed to discuss the bill package regarding emergency detention and civil commitment of minors and consider whether the PLC Subcommittee should weigh in.

Allord responded to Commissioner questions about the Governor's stance on the LHS/CLS commitment statute. Allord contacted the Governor's office 4/4/25 and had not heard back by the meeting time.

Grants

Kiley Komro reported that two awards were made for the School-Based Restorative Justice grant. Three grant announcements were open for applications: the Positive Youth Development grant, Indian Tribes grant, and non-competitive Youth Crisis Stabilization and Reentry grant.

Minutes

Chair Diane Rondini asked for a motion to approve the January 14, 2025, Executive Subcommittee Meeting Minutes.

Motion to Approve January 14, 2025, Executive Subcommittee Meeting Minutes

Motion was made by Commissioner Edjron Pearson and seconded by Commissioner Aidan Raney to approve the January 14, 2025, Executive Subcommittee Meeting Minutes.

The motion passed on a voice vote.

GJJC May 13, 2025, Meeting Agenda Review

Kiley Komro reviewed the May 13 GJJC Quarterly Meeting Agenda and logistics for in person location.

Commissioner and Membership Engagement

Komro reviewed attendance records for the GJJC and its subcommittees. The subcommittee members discussed engagement efforts to reengage disengaged members and remind individuals of the by-laws procedures related to resignation and removal.

Position Development Process

Chair Rondini expressed an interest in having a procedure outlining how the GJJC responds to or comments on legislation and other policy issues to help ensure such actions are completed in a timely manner.

The members emphasized the importance of workgroups including members with special interest or expertise in the issue.

Public Comment

There was no public comment.

Announcements

Komro reported the Youth Voice Commission is recruiting new members.

Adjourn

Chair Rondini asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting.

Motion to Adjourn the Meeting

Motion was made by Commissioner Aidan Raney and seconded by Commissioner Edjron Pearson to adjourn the meeting.

Motion passed on a voice vote.

Meeting adjourned at 3:30 p.m.

Upcoming Meetings

2025 Executive Subcommittee Virtual Meeting Dates: 2:30-3:30 PM

- July 8, 2025
- October 14, 2025

2025 GJJC Quarterly Meeting Dates: 9:00 AM-12:00 PM

- May 13, 2025 (in person)
- August 12, 2025 (virtual)
- November 11, 2025 (virtual)