**TEAM JUSTICE MINUTES**

**June 6, 2025 (In-Person & Via Zoom)**

**Members Present:** Mark Masterson (Chair), Kristin Peterman (Vice Chair), Shantel Westbrook (Secretary), Peter Shay (At-Large), Dr. Loren Hatfield (ZOOM), Judge Richard Macias, Lt. Clayton Barth, Terri Moses, Sonya Miller, Tiffinie Irving, Josef Hamilton (ZOOM), Karensa Schiffel (ZOOM)

**Members Absent:** Christian Cory, Denise Donnelly-Mills, Jazmine Rogers, Jae Hedrick

**Staff:** Mario Salinas, Steve Stonehouse, Lesa Lank, Chris Morales, Julee Meslin, Samantha Mount, Stacy Bell, Christina Schrage, Karla Seymore (ZOOM), Kevin Cocking (ZOOM), Alex Allbaugh (ZOOM)

**Guests:** Rachel Sambrano (ZOOM), Janice Wright (ZOOM), Elisa Thompson (ZOOM), Shelbi Huitt, Tyler Williams, Alex Wren and Dr. Delores Craig-Moreland

1. **Introductions and Announcements –** Mark Masterson appointed Peter Shay as the new At-Large Board Member. The board was notified that the virtual meeting would be transitioning from Zoom to Microsoft Teams starting in July.
2. **Team Justice Recognition of Terri Moses** – Terri Moses was recognized for her 26 years of service on the Juvenile Corrections Advisory Board.
3. **ACTION ITEM: Approval of Team Justice Minutes from the 4/4/25 meeting –** **Peter Shay made the motion to approve the minutes and the board unanimously approved.**
4. **ACTION ITEM: Approve 4th Quarter Budget Amendment Report for KDOC –** Julee Meslin presented two budget amendments to the board and went over the provided handouts. A request was made to transfer funds from office supplies to salary and benefits in the Regional Grant. Another request was made to transfer funds from benefits to client incentives in the Reinvestment Grant. **Terri Moses** **made the motion to approve the 4th Quarter Budget Amendment Report for KDOC and the board unanimously approved.**
5. **ACTION ITEM: Approve SFY26 JDC Behavioral Health Grant Application** – Stacy Bell presented the SFY26 JDC Behavioral Health Grant Application and went over the provided handout. The grant would assist in funding DOC personnel, Seventh Direction, and COMCARE. The total budget would allot $706,913.21 for these services. Sedgwick County has completed 312 GAINS assessments while the other counties have completed 361 assessments, which is the basis of adding back in one additional ISO II FTE. **Clayton Barth made the motion to approve the SFY26 JDC Behavioral Health Grant Application, with technical modifications, and the board approved. Shantel Westbrook abstained from the vote.**
6. **Crossover Youth Research Update –** Alex Wren presented an update for the Crossover Youth Research provided by WSU and went over the provided handout. The goal of this research is to gain an understanding of the youth who are in, both, the foster care and juvenile justice systems in Kansas with severed parental rights. There will be three phases of the research which will include tracking to determine any underlying groupings within the population, interviews with the 15-20 youth in the study, and interviews with the staff of DCF and JDF. There will be updates presented to the board throughout the research, and a conclusive presentation around June 2026.
7. **JJOC Evidenced Based Programs Account Update –** Steve Stonehouse presented the JJOC Evidenced Based Programs Account Update and reviewed the handout. Funding will be cut by $10,000,000 and reallocated to the State general fund. By FY 2028 or 2029, the state as a whole will be allocated approximately $2,900,000, which is less than what Sedgwick County receives at this time.
8. **KDOC Juvenile Services SFY 2026 Funding Update –** MarioSalinas discussed the KDOC Juvenile Services SFY26 Funding Update and went over the provided handouts. Although there was mention of a 1.5% KDOC cut, it was later clarified that KDOC would be exempt from this budget reduction. SCDOC received the final award with flat funding from previous years. KDOC denied $100,000 of funding for legal representation.
9. **Data and Program Updates** – Mario Salinas provided an overview of data through June and reviewed the provided handouts.
10. **Other Business** – The collaborative discussions pertaining to MAP juveniles are in the works.

**Meeting Adjourned**

**The next meeting will be held on July 11th, 2025 (Juvenile Detention Facility, 700 S. Hydraulic, 2nd Floor).**