

**RAPPAHANNOCK AREA
COMMUNITY CRIMINAL JUSTICE BOARD**

**Meeting Minutes
December 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 Bruce Strickland - Stafford Circuit Court
The Honorable Michael Levy - Stafford Circuit Court
Mr. Brian Layton - Chief of Police, Fredericksburg Police Department
Mr. Cliff Rose - Chief Magistrate 15th Judicial District
Ms. Lauren Whitley - Senior Public Defender
Ms. Natasha Cheek - Regional Manager, 15th District Court Services Unit
Mr. Mark Cole - Spotsylvania Deputy County Administrator

ABSENT

The Honorable Angela O'Connor - Stafford General District Court
Mr. Travis Bird - Spotsylvania Commonwealth Attorney
Mr. Kevin Ortegel - Executive Director, RAASAP
Mr. Randy Vosburg - County Administrator, Stafford County
Mr. Christopher Miller - King George County Administrator
Ms. Nichole Bennett - Program Manager, Regional Adult Education
Mr. Ed Simmons - Fredericksburg Chief Probation and Parole
The Honorable Georgia K. Sutton - Spotsylvania Juvenile & Domestic Relations Court
Mr. Joe Wickens - Executive Director, RACSB
Mr. Tim Baroody - Fredericksburg City Manager
Ms. Carla White - Rappahannock Juvenile Detention Center

OTHERS

Mrs. Kelly Hale – Director of Programs and Community Corrections, Rappahannock Regional Jail
Mrs. Jennette Munnely – Secretary, Rappahannock Regional Jail
Mr. Reginald Garrnett – Rappahannock Juvenile Detention Center
Ms. Jacque Kombuchi – Clinical Director, RACSB
Mr. Mark Whitley – Fredericksburg City Manager

Mr. Davy Fearon called the meeting to order at 4:05 p.m. on Thursday, December 7, 2023. Roll call was conducted:

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

Mr. Mark Cole	Present
Mr. Ed Petrovich	Absent
Mr. Cliff Rose	Present
Mr. Joe Wickens	Present
Mr. Tim Baroody	Present
Ms. Carla White	Present
Mr. Kevin Ortegel	Absent
Mr. Randy Vosburg	Absent
Mr. Christopher Miller	Absent
Ms. Nichole Bennett	Absent

The board did reach a quorum.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no public comments.

APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES, September 7, 2023

Mr. Fearon proceeded with the approval of the meeting minutes for September 7, 2023. Mr. Strickland made a motion to approve minutes; Mr. Layton seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS AND RRJ STATISTICS

Mrs. Hale provided the following statistics for RRJ:

Video Arraignment/Booking/Release statistics for the month of October, 2023: Fredericksburg Circuit Court-**41**, Fredericksburg General District Court-**55**, Fredericksburg Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court-**1**. Spotsylvania Circuit Court-**51**, Spotsylvania GDC-**85**, Spotsylvania Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court-**21**. Stafford Circuit Court-**61**, Stafford General District Court-**130**, Stafford Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court-**46**. King George Circuit Court-**10**, King George General District Court-**22**, King George Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court-**1**, other-**31**. The total numbers for the month of October were as follows: Video Arraignments: **555**, Other Status Hearings: **12**. Bookings: **840**, and Releases: **859**, for a total of: **1,699**. The Average Daily Count: **1112**. The Community Corrections Program totals were as follows: Pretrial Supervision: **896**, Community Based Probation: **719**, Veterans Docket: **6**, Behavioral Health Docket: **10**, Adult Drug Court: **36**, Juvenile Drug Court: **5**, Work Release: **8** and Electronic Monitoring: **0**, for a total of **1,680** individuals in Community Corrections programs.

RACSB UPDATE

Ms. Jacque Kombuchi presented the RACSB report and the diversion data for October 2023. The crisis stabilization program opened up this month. Sunshine Lady House has opened it's doors for crisis situations only.

MAGISTRATE UPDATE

Mr. Cliff Rose stated that they have two magistrates in training which leaves them with one opening. They continue to stay busy with numbers greater than in 2022.

DISTRICT 21 OVERVIEW

Nothing reported for District 21 Probation and Parole.

JUVENILE JUSTICE REPORT

Ms. Natsha Cheek presented the update for the Juvenile Justice Report. Staffing is better, but still an issue. They are down 7 positions. They have a Gang Intervention Program starting in early February for high-risk children. It will begin in Spotsylvania County.

OLD BUSINESS

No old business was presented.

NEW BUSINESS

No new business was presented.

ADJOURN

Ms. Natasha Cheek made the motion to adjourn the meeting, Mr. Bryan Layton seconded the motion. The December 7, 2023 CCJB meeting adjourned at 4:38 p.m.

The next meeting for the Rappahannock Area Community Criminal Justice Board will take place on Thursday, March 7, 2024 at 4:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted:
Jennette Munnely
Recording Secretary

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Meeting Agenda
2. Community Corrections & RRJ Statistics
3. RACSB Report
4. Juvenile Justice Report