

Law & Justice Council of Thurston County
Minutes – November 19, 2015

In Attendance:

Voting Members	Voting Members	Nonvoting	Nonvoting
Bud Blake	Cheryl Selby	Bob Bartusch	David Schneider
Mike Fenton	Art Starry	Barbara Burgener	Susan Strong
Ken Garmann	Eileen Swarthout	Robin Campbell	Ronnie Wuest
Scott Hanauer	Jon Tunheim	James Dixon	
Carol Murphy	Kalo Wilcox	Mark Freedman	
Dusty Pierpoint		Anne Larsen	
Daryl Rodrigues		Cliff Moore	
Michael Steadman		Bob Ritchie	

Meeting was called to order by Jon T. at 4:30 pm. The September 17, 2015 minutes were approved.

Updated Announcements:

Mark F. announced ground breaking will begin soon for the Triage facility.

Jon T. announced the county is moving forward with Pretrial Services.

Speakers and Presentations:

Evan Farber from Dispute Resolution Center gave a presentation on how they engage with District Court and successfully divert hundreds of civil cases from their small claims docket. See attached.

Mike Fenton from Thurston Juvenile Court reported to the committee on how the juvenile courts are attending to trauma and ACES, and how over time they have transformed their approach to crime and to engagement in programming, and how these principles may tend to make our work with adults and young adults more effective.

Scott Hanauer and Jim St.Ours from Community Youth Services gave a presentation about ACES and Trauma Informed Care and a presentation regarding CYS's Juvenile Diversion Unit. See attached.

Ronnie Wuest from Friendship Diversion Services gave a brief presentation on the diversion services offered through Friendship. See attached.

Discussion regarding the presentations from this meeting was tabled and moved to the January 21, 2016 meeting do to the time.

The next meeting is Thursday January 21, 2016.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:15 pm.