

JRAC meeting minutes

Location: Bluffton Courthouse

Date: December 17, 2024

Time: 11:30 AM

Attendees: Probation Officer, Chair, Greg Werich

Wells Superior Court, Vice Chair, Judge Andrew Antrim

Wells Circuit Court, Secretary, Judge Kenton Kiracofe

Jenny Broderick, Parks Center

Wells County Sheriff, Scott Holliday

Director of Wells County Community Corrections, Blake Poindexter

Brian McClish, Ossian Police Department

Vicki Andrews, Wells County Council

Stephen Pastorie, Wells County Probation

Agenda items

1. Minutes were presented

Blake Poindexter made a motion to accept as submitted. Seconded by Scott Holiday. Minutes were passed unanimously.

2. Quarterly Electronic Monitoring Report

Director Poindexter has completed the quarterly report of electronic monitoring which was submitted through INCite. A copy of the report was distributed prior to the meeting to the committee. Discussion was had regarding the proposed report. Judge Antrim made a motion to accept as submitted. The motion was seconded by Vicki Andrews. Report was passed unanimously.

3. Mental Health

No updates.

4. Sequential Intercept Mapping

No updates.

5. Future JRAC Activities

Discussion was had on the issue of future meetings. Judge Antrim proposed continued meeting over the lunch hour.

6. New Business

Jenny Broderick advised that Park Center was working on developing a reentry program at the Wells County Jail. She also advised that Park Center had increased its capacity to allow more meeting times.

Amy Horton from Justice Counts made a presentation to the Committee. Justice Counts seeks the exchange of data regarding offenders from JRAC committee members. For example, data on arrests from law enforcement; data on the number of incarcerated individuals at the local jail; number of convictions from the courts; and number of offenders on community supervision under probation and community corrections.

No other new business was discussed, and the meeting was concluded.

Next meeting is scheduled for February 18, 2025 at 11:30 in the Wells Superior Court jury room.