

# **Wake County Juvenile Crime Prevention Council**

## **Thursday, March 16, 2023, 12:00pm-2:00pm**

### **Virtual**

## **Agenda**

### **Meeting Called to Order/Introductions/Quorum Confirmed**

An official quorum was conducted at 12:09PM. Sharif Deveaux, Chair; Dr. Jonathan Glenn, Vice-Chair; Darryl Blevins; Ashleigh Dunston, Julie Little, Amber Israel-Berryman, Mary E Anderson, LaShawn Hewitt, Wayne Wallace, Ann Godwin, Eric Johnson, Kimberly Newsome, Maximilian Shafir, Natalie Mabon, Donald Pinchback

### **Meeting Minutes Reviewed and Council Vote**

Sharif announced the motion to adapt minutes to acknowledge LaShawn Hewitt as in attendance on the last council meeting held 01-19-2023, the council members present agreed on the motion with 11 council members voting "Yes". The motion carried, and the January minutes were approved.

### **Old JCPC Business**

Funding Chair Darryl Blevins addressed the council on the recommended DPS funding deliberations for programs that took place on March 3<sup>rd</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> during the program interview process:

- **The admin** budget approved at \$14,255 the vote count "12 yes"
- **Corral Riding Academy** approved for \$130,500 in funding, the council vote results 12 to 0 "Yes"
- **Parenting Wisely** approved for \$149,155 in funding, the council vote results 12 to 0 "Yes"
- **Juvenile Diversion Team** approved for \$152,476 in funding, the council vote results 12 to 0 "Yes"
- **Restitution and Community Service** approved for \$331,590 in funding, the council vote results 12 to 0 "Yes"
- **Second Round** approved for \$54,000 in funding, the council voted 12 to 0 "Yes"
- **Wrenn House** approved for \$115,000 in funding, the council voted 12 to 0 "Yes"
- **Teen Court** approved for \$259,208 in funding the council voted 12 to 0 "Yes"
- **Skills 4 Academic Success** approved for \$123,719 the council voted 12 to 0 "Yes"
- **4- H Spaces** approved for \$181,888 for funding, the council voted 8 "yes" to 4 "abstains"
- **4-H Spaces Too** approved for \$162,922 for funding the council voted 8 "yes" to 4 "abstain"
- **Empowered Citizens** approved for \$100,000 for funding the council voted 11 "yes" to 1 "no"
- **Art of Hustling forward** approved for \$75,000 for funding the council voted 10 to 0 "yes"
- **Lassiter Edu. Foundation** was presented to council to not be approved for funding, as they did not meet all requirements. The council voted 10 "yes" to 1 "abstain" to not fund the program.

### **Committee Updates**

- Executive Committee- No additional updates

- Program Support and Accountability- No additional updates
- Community Relations- No additional updates
- Funding- No additional updates
- Racial Equity- No additional update

### **JCPC Program Updates**

- Amy Spaulding of Haven House talked about the increased number of clinical assessments with 29 in January and 35 in February.
- Patricia Cardoso addressed the struggles and challenges for Haven House members to assess and refer youth to proper care and treatment facilities due to the extremely long wait times and hold ups in the county. Many youth needs are not being met as result.
- Charlenzo Belcher with 4-H youth Development made an announcement that March 24<sup>th</sup>, the program will be hosting a parent workshop on substance use prevention for teens in the county.

### **DPS Updates**

- Chief Court Counselor Donald Pinchback did not have any important details at the moment to address to all in attendance.
- JCPC Area Consultant David Carter announced the department in the works producing a firearm safety campaign, which will provide gun locks, proper handling and other safety tips when it comes to handling and discharging your firearm safely.

### **Announcements**

No announcement was made by members of the public attending the meeting.

### **Next JCPC Meeting**

Date: April 20, 2023 (special meeting) 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Location: Virtual

### **Meeting Adjourned**

With no further announcements coming to the floor, the meeting was adjourned by Chairman Sharif Deveaux 1:45 PM