



AGENDA

**COUNTY OF KERN
COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS PARTNERSHIP (CCP)
CCP FULL MEMBERSHIP (Referred to as "CCP")
CCP EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (Referred to as "Executive Committee")**

5121 Stockdale Highway, Suite #100
Bakersfield, California 93309

Regular Meeting
Wednesday, March 15, 2023

8:30 A.M.

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CCP TO CONVENE

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ROLL CALL:

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CA-

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3) Chairperson's Report (Chief Merickel)

General update and/or information on AB 109 Realignment activities (Fiscal Impact: None) – **MAKE PRESENTATION; NO ACTION REQUIRED**

4) CCP Committee Member Announcements or Reports

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CA-

5) FY 2022-23 2nd Quarter – Data Trackers

Submission of data trackers for AB 109 funded departments/programs for FY 2022-23, October 1, 2022 through December 31, 2022 (Fiscal Impact: None) – **RECEIVE AND FILE**

6) Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC) FY 2022-23 Community Corrections Partnership AB 109 Planning Funds

Make determination for use of FY 2022-23 BSCC CCP Planning Funds (Fiscal Impact: \$200,000) – **DISCUSS; MAKE RECOMMENDATION TO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

CA-

7) Request to Amend Agreement #678-2022 with Bakersfield Recovery Services (BRS)

Request approval of an amendment to revise authorized signer to execute Agreement #678-2022 and revise men's sober living addresses (Fiscal Impact: None) – **DISCUSS; MAKE RECOMMENDATION TO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO AMEND AGREEMENT #678-2022 AND SUBMIT AMENDMENT TO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FOR APPROVAL**

CA-

8) Request to Amend Agreement #682-2022 with One Door Community Resource and Recovery Center

Request approval of an amendment to include a budget modification in the amount of \$11,550 from case management to transportation and to remove sections related to substance abuse and mental health services (Fiscal Impact: None) – **DISCUSS; MAKE RECOMMENDATION TO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO APPROVE AMENDMENT TO AGREEMENT #682-2022 AND SUBMIT AMENDMENT TO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FOR APPROVAL**

9) Funding Proposals for Additional FY 2022-23 Base Funds

Present and discuss proposals for additional FY 2022-23 Base funds (Fiscal Impact: \$4,323,504 Base) – **PRESENT PROPOSALS; MAKE RECOMMENDATION TO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO APPROVE PROPOSALS**

Department/Organization	Requested Allocation
Sheriff	\$1,697,840
Probation	\$1,537,438
Behavioral Health & Recovery Services	\$586,268
District Attorney	\$185,046
Community-Based Organizations (CBO) Program	\$118,031
Public Defender	\$92,523
Employers' Training Resource	\$59,664
Street Interdiction Team	\$29,400
Veterans Service	\$11,673
Contingency	\$5,620
Total Requested	\$4,323,504
Total Available	\$4,323,504

- a) Sheriff
Request funds for Americans with Disability Act (ADA) facility improvements in the jails (Fiscal Impact: \$1,697,840) –
- b) Probation
Request funds for office equipment, furniture, technology equipment, workstations, signs, facility repairs, and training (Fiscal Impact: \$1,537,438) –
- c) Behavioral Health & Recovery Services
Request funds for nursing registry and operating expenses at the Psychiatric Evaluation Center-Crisis Stabilization Unit (PEC-CSU) (Fiscal Impact: \$586,268) –
- d) District Attorney
Request funds for continued efforts related to AB 109 realignment services (Fiscal Impact: \$185,046) –
- e) Community- Based Organizations (CBO'S)
Request funds go into the CBO Fund for future programs and services for AB 109 individuals (Fiscal Impact: \$118,031) –
- f) Public Defender
Request funds for staffing cost and operational expenses (Fiscal Impact: \$92,523) –
- g) Employers' Training Resource (ETR)
Request funds for participant training opportunities and paid work experience (Fiscal Impact: \$59,664) –
- h) Street Interdiction Team (SIT)
Request funds for additional multi-departmental regional law enforcement task force operations (Fiscal Impact: \$29,400) –
- i) Veterans Service
Request funds for continued efforts related to serving the AB 109 population (Fiscal Impact: \$11,673) –
- j) Contingency
Funds to Contingency Fund for unexpected expenses and/or additional items the CCP chooses to fund (Fiscal Impact: \$5,620) –

- 10) Funding Proposals for Additional FY 2021-22 AB 109 Growth Funds
Present and discuss proposals for additional FY 2021-22 AB 109 Growth funds [Fiscal Impact: \$2,952,054 (\$3,280,060 less \$328,006 10% County Innovation Fund)] – PRESENT PROPOSALS; MAKE RECOMMENDATION TO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO APPROVE PROPOSALS
 - a) Behavioral Health and Recovery Services
Request to allocate additional Growth funds to pay for nursing registry and other operating expenses at the Psychiatric Evaluation Center-Crisis Stabilization Unit (PEC-CSU) (Fiscal Impact: \$370,354) –
 - b) District Attorney
Request to allocate additional Growth funds for continued efforts related to AB109 realignment activities (Fiscal Impact: \$387,612) –
 - c) CBO Program
Request to allocate additional Growth funds to the CBO Fund for future programs and services for AB 109 individuals (Fiscal Impact: Up to \$2,952,054) –
 - 11) Next CCP Meeting
 - Wednesday, June 7, 2023 – DISCUSS; ANNOUNCE
 - 12) ADJOURN AS CCP
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CONVENE TO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Executive Committee Members: Chief Merickel, Court Executive Officer Harber-Pickens (designee for Judge Bradshaw), District Attorney Zimmer, Public Defender Kang, Sheriff Youngblood, Director Kuwahara, Police Chief Terry

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CCP Meeting called to order by Chief TR Merickel at 8:30 a.m.

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ROLL CALL: All members present except for the following, Court Executive Officer Tamarah Harber-Pickens, District Attorney Zimmer (Joseph Kinzel for District Attorney Zimmer), Sheriff Donny Youngblood (Doug Jauch for Sheriff Youngblood), Police Chief Terry (Ryan Kroeker for Police Chief Terry) Supervisor Leticia Perez, Assistant CAO Teresa Hitchcock (Aaron Ellis for Assistant CAO Hitchcock) Superintendent Mary Barlow (Debra Plank for Superintendent Barlow).

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CA-

1) Minutes from CCP Special Meeting of October 5, 2022 - APPROVE

MOTIONED TO APPROVE

Public Comment:

NO ONE HEARD

Corson-Morillo: 12 – Ayes; 2 - Absent (Harber-Pickens, Perez)

MOTION PASSED

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DENISE NORRIS, FOUNDER AND EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, HEARD REGARDING HER ORGANIZATION, INSPIRE TO GO HIGHER, A NEW NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION IN THE COMMUNITY THAT SERVES PROBATIONERS AND FORMERLY INCARCERATED CLIENTS.

3) Chairperson's Report (Chief Merickel)

General update and/or information on AB 109 Realignment activities (Fiscal Impact: None) –

CHIEF MERICKEL ANNOUNCED THAT ALL CBO CONTRACTS HAVE BEEN APPROVED BY THE BOARD AND WILL BE EFFECTIVE ON JANUARY 1, 2023 IN ORDER TO CONTINUE SERVICES. HE THANKED ALL STAFF INVOLVED IN THE PROCESS.

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LINDA FINNERTY, VICTIM SERVICES COORDINATOR, ANNOUNCED HER RETIREMENT. THIS WILL BE HER LAST CCP MEETING. CHIEF MERICKEL CONGRATULATED AND THANKED MS. FINNERTY.

CA-

5) FY 2022-23 1st Quarter – Data Trackers

Submission of data trackers for AB 109 funded departments/programs for FY 2022-23, July 1, 2022 through September 30, 2022 (Fiscal Impact: None) –

MOTIONED TO RECEIVE AND FILE

Public Comment:

NO ONE HEARD

Corson-Morillo: 12 – Ayes; 2 - Absent (Harber-Pickens, Perez)

MOTION PASSED

- 6) Kern Behavioral Health and Recovery Services (KernBHRS) Recovery Station Presentation
Presentation by Ana Olvera, KernBHRS, regarding the Kern County Recovery Station (Fiscal Impact: None) – MADE PRESENTATION; NO ACTION REQUIRED

ANA OLVERA, BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND RECOVERY SYSTEM ADMINISTRATOR FOR SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER DIVISION PRESENTED REGARDING THE RECOVERY STATION PROGRAM WHICH IS DESIGNED WITH A SOBERING CENTER MODEL. THE RECOVERY STATION PROVIDES SCREENING AND LINKAGE TO SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES. MS. OLVERA SUMMARIZED THE VALUE OF THE RECOVERY STATION AS CRIMINAL JUSTICE PREVENTION AND DIVERSION: PREVENTS CRIMINAL JUSTICE INVOLVEMENT, PREVENTS RECIDIVISM FOR LOW-LEVEL OFFENSES, REDUCES COSTS AND TIME ASSOCIATED WITH ARRESTS AND INCARCERATION, INCREASES SAFETY FOR INDIVIDUALS IN THE COMMUNITY, AND PROVIDES OPPORTUNITY TO CONNECT TO TREATMENT SERVICES AND OTHER RESOURCES.

- 7) Funding Proposals for FY 2021-22 AB 109 Growth Funds
Present and discuss proposals for FY 2021-22 AB 109 Growth funds [Fiscal Impact: \$3,733,501 (\$4,148,334 less \$414,833 10% County Innovation Fund)] – PRESENTATIONS MADE

Public Comment:

DENISE NORRIS, FOUNDER AND EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR FOR INSPIRE TO GO HIGHER, HEARD REGARDING A REQUEST FOR INFORMATION ON HOW TO GET STARTED AS A CBO PROVIDER.

a) Probation

Request to allocate Growth funds to purchase and install mobile data computers, purchase patrol vehicles, and other items to enhance AB 109 operations/activities and allocate remaining funds to the CBO Program for future programs and services (Fiscal Impact: \$1,141,100) –

MOTIONED TO RECOMMEND TO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO APPROVE GROWTH FUND REQUEST AS PRESENTED BY PROBATION

Public Comment:

NO ONE HEARD

ROLL CALL VOTE: Merickel – Abstain; Harber-Pickens – Absent; Zimmer (Joseph Kinzel for Zimmer) – Yes; Kang – Yes; Youngblood (Doug Jauch for Youngblood) – Yes; Kuwahara – Yes; Terry (Ryan Kroeker for Terry) – Yes; Olvera – Yes; Morillo – Yes; Corson – Yes; Perez – Absent; Hitchcock (Aaron Ellis for Hitchcock) – Yes; Barlow (Debra Plank for Barlow) – Yes; Finnerty – Yes

Kinzel-Morillo: 11 – Ayes; 1 – Abstain (Merickel); 2 – Absent (Harber-Pickens, Perez)

MOTION PASSED

b) Behavioral Health and Recovery Services

Request to allocate Growth funds to sustain operations of the Recovery Station and supplemental housing support for AB 109 population (Fiscal Impact: \$1,650,000) –

MOTIONED TO RECOMMEND TO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO APPROVE GROWTH FUND REQUEST AS PRESENTED BY BHRS

Public Comment:

NO ONE HEARD

ROLL CALL VOTE: Merickel – Yes; Harber-Pickens – Absent; Zimmer (Joseph Kinzel for Zimmer) – Yes; Kang – Yes; Youngblood (Doug Jauch for Youngblood) – Yes; Kuwahara – Abstain; Terry (Ryan Kroeker for Terry) – Yes; Olvera – Abstain; Morillo – Yes; Corson – Yes; Perez – Absent; Hitchcock (Aaron Ellis for Hitchcock) – Yes; Barlow (Debra Plank for Barlow) – Yes; Finnerty – Yes

Corson-Ellis: 10 – Ayes; 2 – Abstain (Kuwahara, Olvera); 2 – Absent (Harber-Pickens, Perez)

MOTION PASSED

c) CBO Program

Growth funds to the CBO Fund for future programs and services for AB 109 individuals (Fiscal Impact: Up to \$3,733,501) –

MOTIONED TO RECOMMEND TO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO APPROVE GROWTH FUNDS REQUEST FOR THE CBO PROGRAM FOR FUTURE PROGRAMS AND SERVICES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$942,501

Public Comment

NO ONE HEARD

Kuwahara-Finnerty: 12 – Ayes; 2 – Absent (Harber-Pickens, Perez)

ROLL CALL VOTE: Merickel – Yes; Harber-Pickens – Absent; Zimmer (Joseph Kinzel for Zimmer) – Yes; Kang – Yes; Youngblood (Doug Jauch for Youngblood) – Yes; Kuwahara – Yes; Terry (Ryan Kroeker for Terry) – Yes; Olvera – Yes; Morillo – Yes; Corson – Yes; Perez – Absent; Hitchcock (Aaron Ellis for Hitchcock) – Yes; Barlow (Debra Plank for Barlow) – Yes; Finnerty – Yes

MOTION PASSED

8) Employers' Training Resource (ETR) Carryforward Proposal of Unexpended/Carryforward FY 2021-22 AB 109 Funds

Jeremy Shumaker, CAO Manager, presented ETR's request to carryforward FY 2021-22 Growth Funds for personnel costs, educational materials, training, and subsidized employment opportunities and supportive services for AB 109 clients (Fiscal Impact: \$695,226) –

MOTIONED TO RECOMMEND TO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO APPROVE CARRYFORWARD GROWTH FUNDS REQUEST AS PRESENTED BY ETR

Public Comment:

NO ONE HEARD

ROLL CALL VOTE: Merickel – Yes; Harber-Pickens – Absent; Zimmer (Joseph Kinzel for Zimmer) – Yes; Kang – Yes; Youngblood (Doug Jauch for Youngblood) – Yes; Kuwahara – Yes; Terry (Ryan Kroeker for Terry) – Yes; Olvera – Yes; Morillo – Yes; Corson – Yes; Perez – Absent; Hitchcock (Aaron Ellis for Hitchcock) – Abstain; Barlow (Debra Plank for Barlow) – Yes; Finnerty – Yes

Olvera-Corson: 11 – Ayes; 1 – Abstain (Aaron Ellis for Hitchcock); 2 – Absent (Harber-Pickens, Perez)

MOTION PASSED

9) Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC) FY 2022-23 Community Corrections Partnership Survey for Receipt of \$200,000 in AB 109 Planning Funds

Presentation by Vaughn Griffeth, Probation, regarding the BSCC FY 2022-23 CCP Survey responses regarding efforts made to implement Public Safety Realignment (Fiscal Impact: None) –

MOTIONED TO RECOMMEND TO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO APPROVE SUBMISSION OF SURVEY AND AUTHORIZE STAFF TO MAKE NON-SUBSTANTIVE CHANGES PRIOR TO SUBMISSION

Public comment:

NO ONE HEARD

Corson-Kuwahara: 12 – Ayes; 2 – Absent (Harber-Pickens, Perez)

MOTION PASSED

10) Next CCP Meeting

- **Wednesday, March 15, 2023**, at the Probation Office, 5121 Stockdale Highway, Suite #100, Bakersfield - ANNOUNCED

11) ADJOURNED AS CCP AT 9:18 A.M.

CONVENED TO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AT 9:20 A.M.

Executive Committee Members: Chief Merickel, Court Executive Officer Harber-Pickens (designee for Judge Humphrey), District Attorney Zimmer, Public Defender Kang, Sheriff Youngblood, Director Kuwahara, Police Chief Terry

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Kinzel-Kuwahara: 6 – Ayes; 1 - Absent (Harber-Pickens)

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REBECCA VAUGHAN, PROBATION DIVISION DIRECTOR, ANNOUNCED THE DEPARTURE OF KEVIN HOLLAND AND ALVARO RANGEL-VILLASENOR, DEPARTMENTAL ANALYSTS, AND THANKED THEM FOR THEIR HARD WORK.

STACY KUWAHARA, BHRS DIRECTOR, CONGRATULATED UNDERSHERIFF DOUG JAUCH ON HIS RETIREMENT AND THANKED HIM FOR HIS PARTICIPATION IN THE COMMUNITY.

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Discuss recommendation by full CCP for FY 2020-21 AB 109 Growth funds [Fiscal Impact: \$3,733,501 (\$4,148,334 less \$414,833 10% County Innovation Fund)] –

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Consider recommendation by full CCP regarding request for funds
(Fiscal Impact: \$1,141,100) –

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Kinzel-Jauch: 5 – Ayes; 1 – Abstain (Kuwahara); 1 - Absent (Harber-Pickens)

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c) CBO Program

Consider recommendation by full CCP regarding request for funds
(Fiscal Impact: \$942,501) –

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Kuwahara-Kroeker: 6 – Ayes; 1 - Absent (Harber-Pickens)

MOTION PASSED

5) Employers' Training Resource (ETR) Carryforward Proposal of Unexpended/Carryforward FY 2021-22 AB 109 Funds

Discuss recommendation by full CCP regarding carryforward of unexpended FY 2021-22 Growth Funds as of June 30, 2022 (Fiscal Impact: \$695,226)

MOTIONED TO APPROVE RECOMMENDATION BY FULL CCP TO APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE
CHAIR TO SUBMIT TO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FOR APPROVAL

Public Comment:

NO ONE HEARD

ROLL CALL VOTE: Merickel – Yes; Harber-Pickens – Absent; Zimmer (Joseph Kinzel for Zimmer) – Yes; Kang – Yes; Youngblood (Doug Jauch for Youngblood) – Yes; Kuwahara – Yes; Terry (Ryan Kroeker for Terry) – Yes

Kuwahara-Kinzel: 6 – Ayes; 1 - Absent (Harber-Pickens)

MOTION PASSED

- 6) Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC) FY 2022-23 Community Corrections Partnership Survey for Receipt of \$200,000 in AB 109 Planning Funds

Discuss recommendation by full CCP regarding the BSCC FY 2022-23 CCP Survey responses concerning efforts made to implement Public Safety Realignment (Fiscal Impact: None) –

MOTIONED TO APPROVE RECOMMENDATION BY FULL CCP TO APPROVE SUBMISSION OF SURVEY; AUTHORIZE STAFF TO MAKE NON-SUBSTANTIVE CHANGES PRIOR TO SUBMISSION

Public Comment:

NO ONE HEARD

Kuwahara-Kinzel: 6 – Ayes; 1 - Absent (Harber-Pickens)

MOTION PASSED

- 7) Next Executive Committee Meeting

➤ **Wednesday, March 15, 2023**, immediately following full CCP meeting, at the Probation Office, 5121 Stockdale Highway, Suite #100, Bakersfield - ANNOUNCED

- 8) ADJOURNED AS EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AT 9:26 A.M.



Kern County SHERIFF

Kern County Sheriff Data Trackers

FY22/23 - 2nd Quarter (October 1, 2022 - December 31, 2022)

Virtual Jail				Arrest Stats				Crime Stats				Jail Incidents			
Jail Beds Saved: 33,712 EMP Releases 113 Work Release 282 94 Referred to Employers' Training Resource 320 Completed a Virtual Custody Program				OctNovDec PRCS185171136 FLASH- - - PC 3056949181 NNN243125				Sheriff Reported Crimes: Part I FY 21/22FY 22/23% Change Homicide148-43% Rape3926-33% Burglary546500-8% GTA820813-1% Robbery150122-19% Part II FY 21/22FY 22/23% Change Narcotics367365-1% Loitering202840% Vandalism645597-7%				Change in Total Jail Incidents: -3.1 % FY 21/22FY 22/23 Assaults on Staff34 Inmate Fights165158 Safety Cell Usage4662 Crimes in Jail53 Suicide Watch317290 EID Device65			
				Jail Population/Demographics Average Daily Arrests 64 Average Daily Population 1,645 Total County Jail Beds 1,798 91% Male9% Female Gang Members: 55 %				Updates from the Lerdo Jail... RSAT The first Spanish-Speaking Cohort graduated in December 2022 RSAT Cohort 31 also graduated in December 2022 Of those who graduated in December: 7 participants were released to their personal residence 2 participants were released to Sober Living Environments							
				Active Participants MonthEMPW/RTotal October122248370 November135247382 December121238359 Total: 3787331,111				Child Support Services Inmates Participating 71 Inquiries Received from Inmates 1 Reduced Child Support \$ \$2,004 Genetic Tests Conducted 3							
				Drug Testing Positive Negative OctNovDec 968 141610				Fed Caps FY 21/221,510 FY 22/231,770 % of Change: 17.2 %							
				Work Release Total Revenue: \$ 37,156.12 71 Worksites/307 Workers Co-Response Team Active Caseload 56 Contact Made 220 - Home, Field, Office, Phone				Gang Members: 55 % 33.64%17.46%48.9% 907 Gang Members In Custody 361 with Violent Charges i.e. Murder, Kidnapping, Car Jacking, Sexual Battery, Crimes Against Children & Assault							



Kern County Probation Department

"Commitment to a Safe Community"

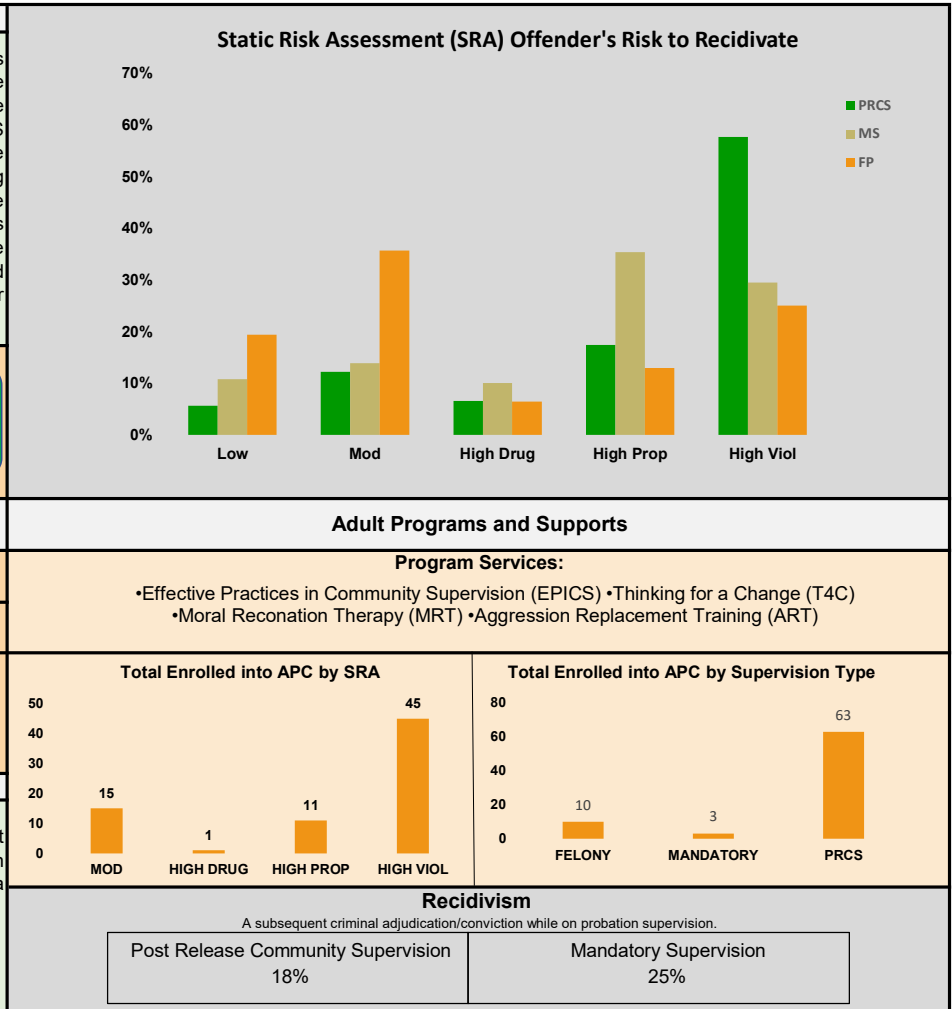
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DASHBOARD REPORT

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Successful Reintegration into the Community			
A 44-year-old female offender with a history of theft, domestic violence and substance abuse related offences was released on Post Release Community Supervision (PRCS) in December 2021. She was enrolled in the Adult Programs and Supports Unit. Before enrollment, she was transient and struggled to maintain any stable housing. She enrolled at the Navigation Center where she received support for housing. While enrolled in APS she actively participated in her treatment, maintained sobriety, and regularly attended special events. She successfully completed Aggression Replacement Training and Thinking for a Change while also maintaining sobriety throughout her time in the program. In addition to her dedication to successfully completing these classes, she completed several EPICS sessions with her Program Specialist to work through various issues and develop personalized interventions, which provided her with thoughtful mentorship and direction to remove barriers impeding her success. She successfully graduated from the APS program and successfully completed PRCS in December of 2022. She credits the program for helping her overcome homelessness, building better relationships, and gaining the skills necessary to be a prosocial member of society.			
Post Release Community Supervision 2,169	Mandatory Supervision 706	Felony Probation 6,672	Total 9,547
Day Reporting Center (DRC)			
Community Service Hours	Participants Enrolled	Aftercare	
10,521	76	1	
Program Services: •Assessment •Cognitive/Life Skills •Anger Management •Behavior Change Plan •Parenting/Family •Referrals •Domestic Violence •Educational Svcs •Discharge Planning •Aftercare			
Commitment to a Safer Community			
On Wednesday, November 2, 2022, officers assigned to the Kern County Probation Department's Post Release Community Supervision (PRCS) Units conducted a home call in the 1900 block of Gaston St. in Wasco. While at the residence, officers contacted a 29-year old male, who was on active PRCS. During a search, officers located suspected methamphetamine and a loaded semiautomatic handgun.			



Mental Health (MH) and Substance Use Disorder (SUD) GOALS: (1) Reduce incarceration; (2) Reduce psychiatric hospitalizations; (3) Reduce homelessness (4) Reduce substance use for SUD goal.

**Services
Supporting
Reintegration:**

**Evidence Based
Practices and
Strategies**

**Substance Use
Disorder
Treatment**

**Case
Management**

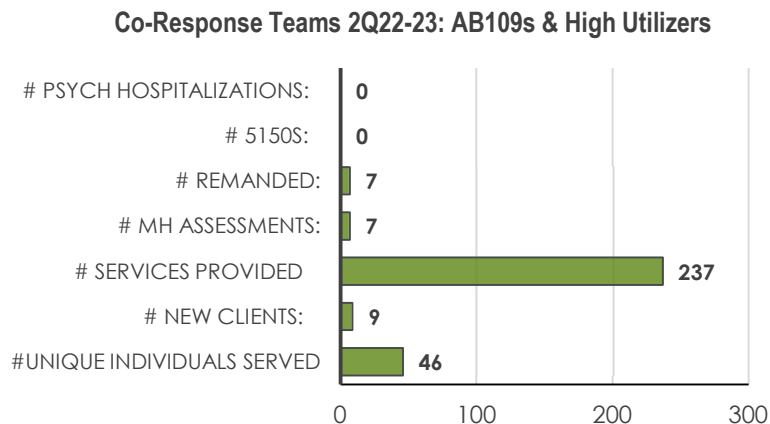
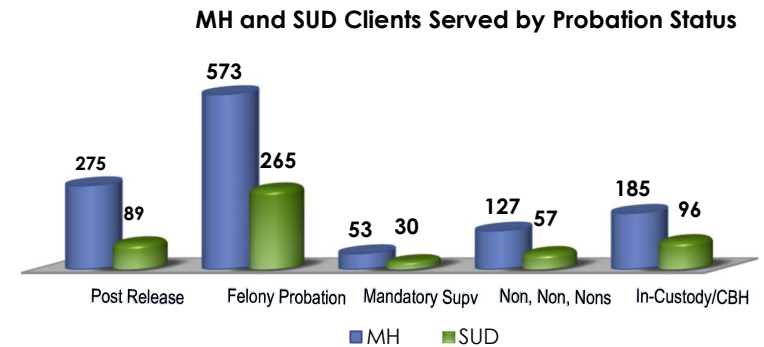
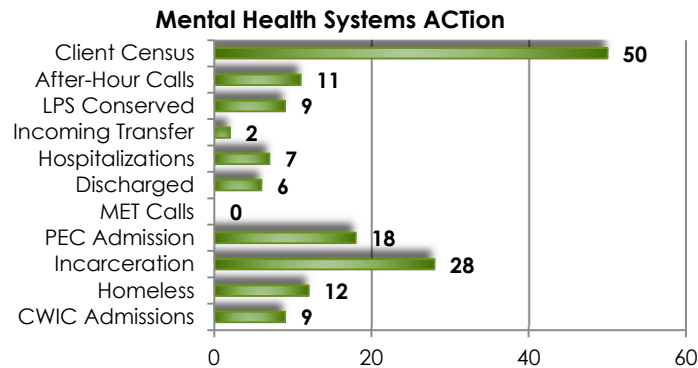
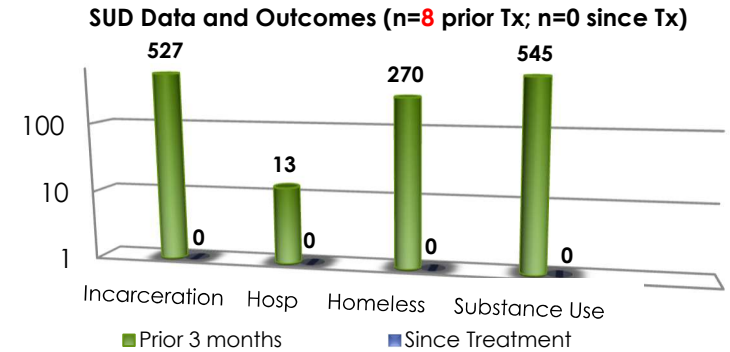
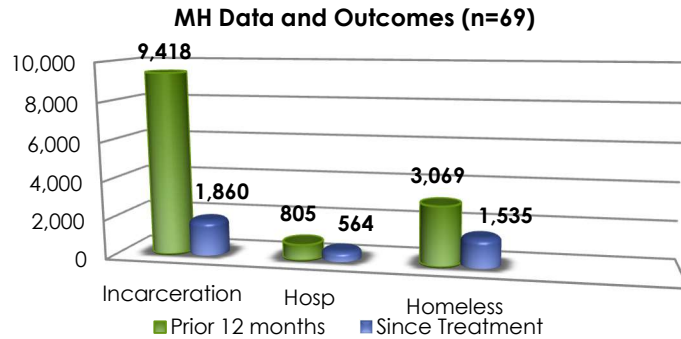
**Psychiatric and
Medication
Services**

**Trauma
Informed
Services**

**Linkage to
Community
Resources**

**Individual and
Group
Counseling**

Training



Success Story

Client has extensive mental health history within the system of care dating back to 2006 with multiple interactions, including multiple inpatient stays. Client is a State Hospital Returnee who usually has to be housed alone due to their behavior, unpredictability and impulsiveness. Client has recently been participating positively in groups and is now able to house with a cellmate, attending appointments, taking his medications, and able to articulate his progress and symptoms appropriately.



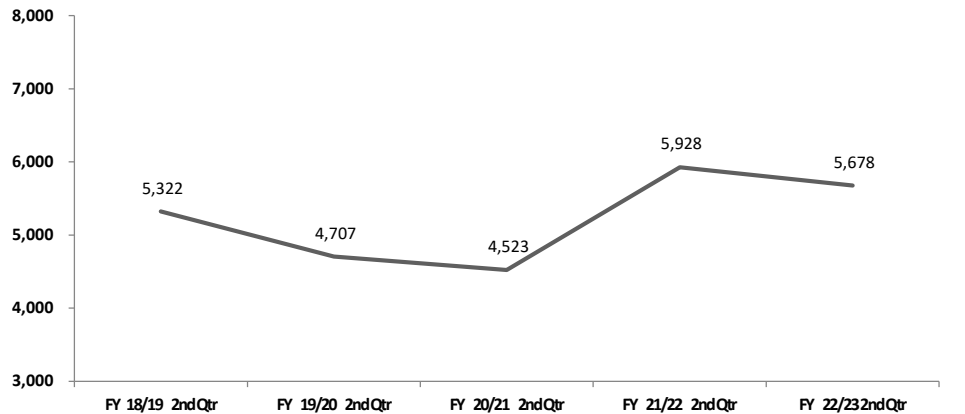
**DISTRICT ATTORNEY
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Branch	Type	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr
Arvin/Lamont	Requests - Felony	231	252		
	Filings - Felony	179	108		
	Requests - Misdemeanor	266	200		
	Filings - Misdemeanor	747	602		
Bakersfield	Requests - Felony	2,076	1,898		
	Filings - Felony	1,052	938		
	Requests - Misdemeanor	1,520	1,159		
	Filings - Misdemeanor	2,964	2,336		
Delano	Requests - Felony	375	380		
	Filings - Felony	136	137		
	Requests - Misdemeanor	220	277		
	Filings - Misdemeanor	383	314		
Mojave	Requests - Felony	218	110		
	Filings - Felony	128	88		
	Requests - Misdemeanor	294	201		
	Filings - Misdemeanor	441	412		
Ridgecrest	Requests - Felony	230	140		
	Filings - Felony	64	61		
	Requests - Misdemeanor	180	137		
	Filings - Misdemeanor	355	286		
Shafter	Requests - Felony	245	232		
	Filings - Felony	114	76		
	Requests - Misdemeanor	117	158		
	Filings - Misdemeanor	362	320		
Totals	Felony Requests	3,375	3,012		
	Felony Filings	1,673	1,408		
	Misdemeanor Requests	2,597	2,132		
	Misdemeanor Filings	5,252	4,270		
Total Filings		6,925	5,678	0	0

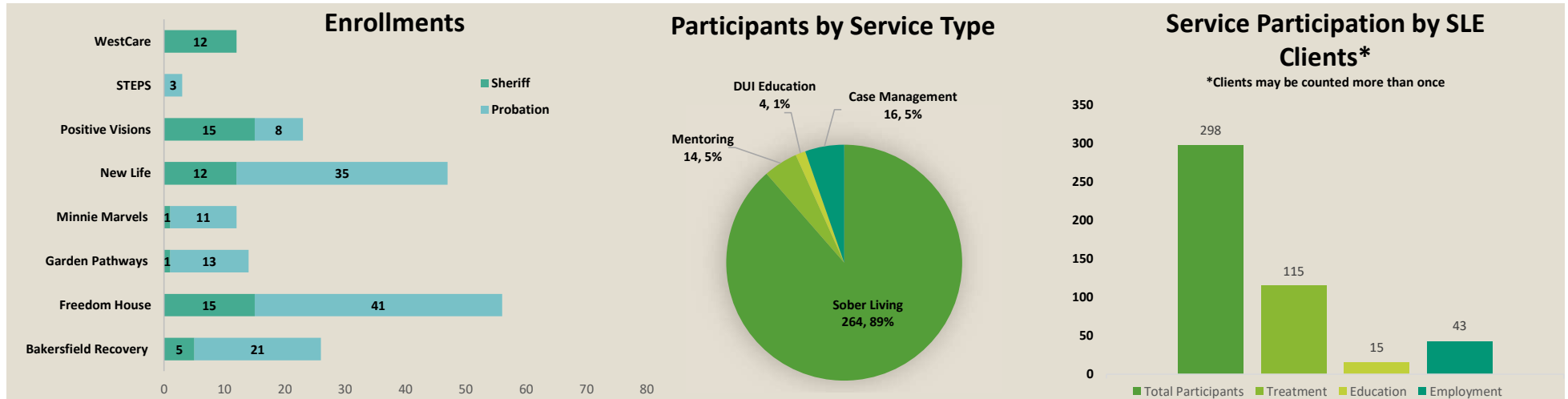
Felony Filings



Total Filings

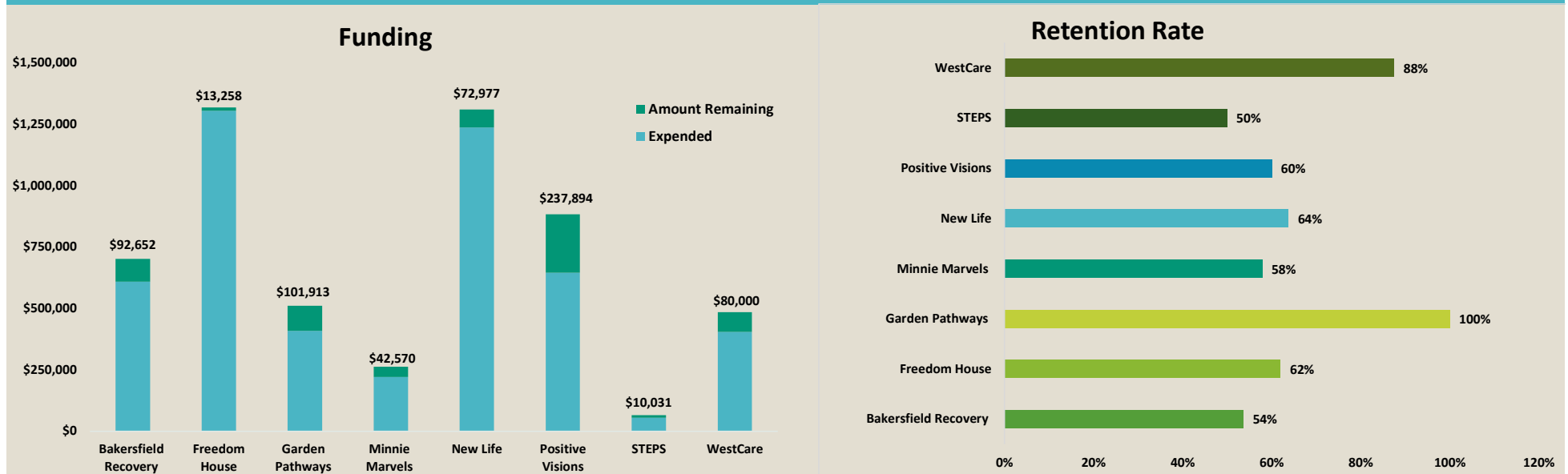


COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATIONS (CBO's)
AB 109 Data Trackers Report
FY 22/23 - 2nd Quarter (CBO 4th Quarter) October 1, 2022 - December 31, 2022



Success Story

Minnie Marvels had a client that was admitted on 6/20/22 under AB 109 funding. At the time, she was taking medication to assist with her mental health, and she was taken to Mary Kay Shell for an assessment. During her time there, she was well grounded with a positive mental attitude, and maintained a clean record throughout the program. During her first 30 days, she obtained her right to work documentation and health insurance and obtained temporary employment. Her parents helped her purchase a car, and she obtained all documentation for it and has a valid CDL registration and proof of insurance. She assisted Minnie Marvels with transporting other clients to their meetings and continued to be of service to them. She had a referral for ETR that resulted in obtaining a position with City Serve, in which she excelled in the program. In this program, she learned inventory and quality control routines, and shipping and receiving processes. On 12/18/22, she completed this program and was able to obtain an extension with Minnie Marvels, which continues to support her personal development and employment progress.

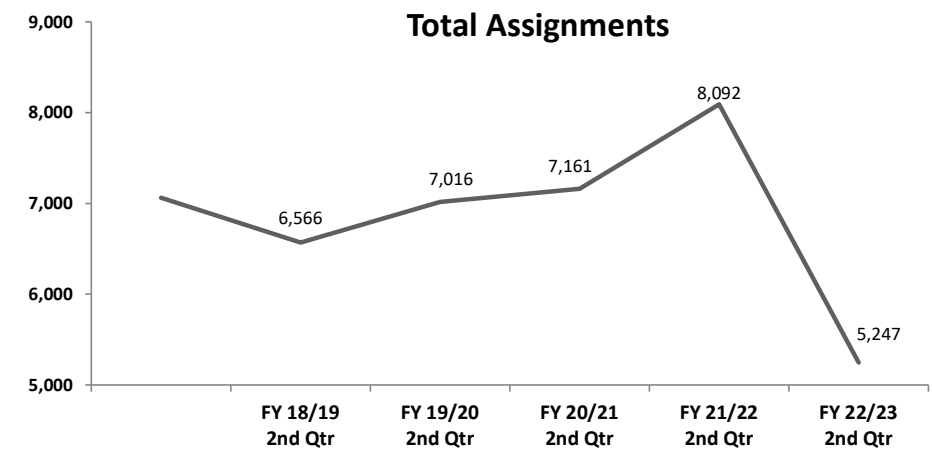
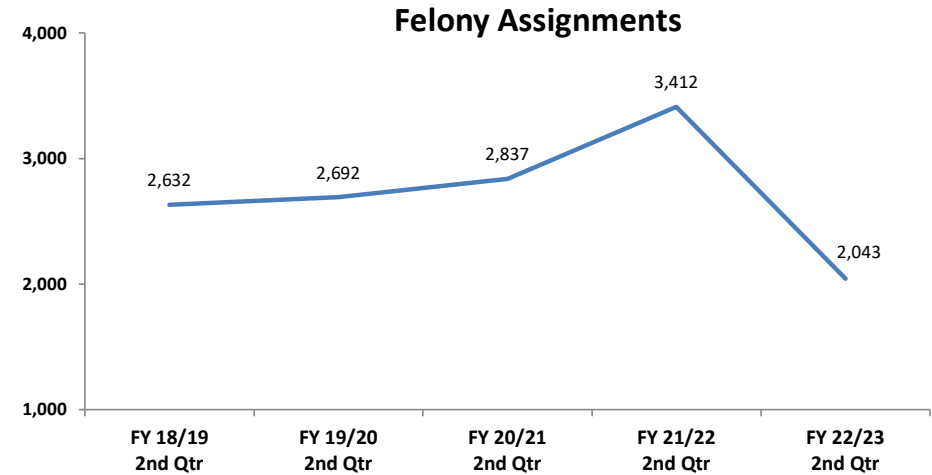


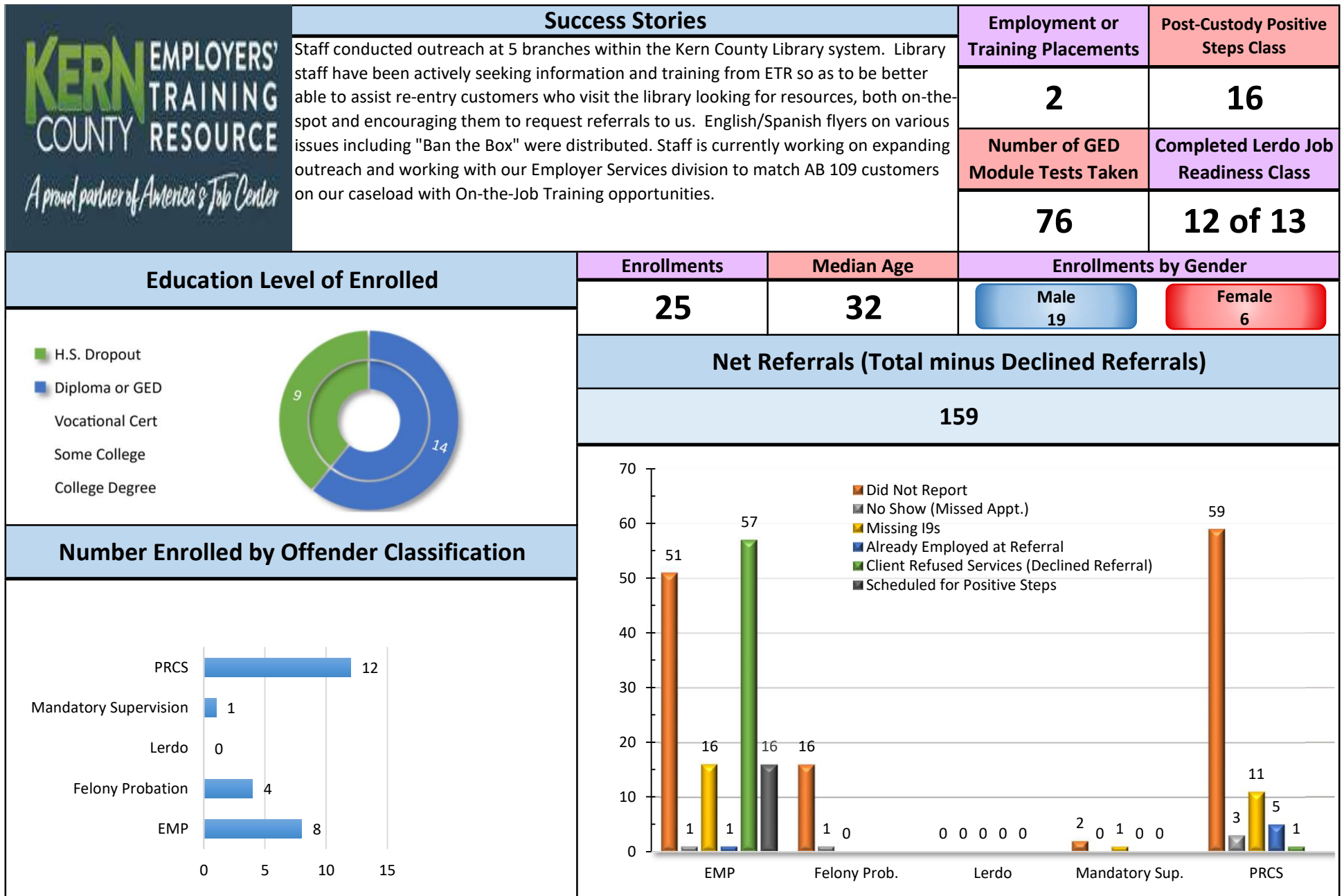
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BRANCH	Assignments	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr
Bakersfield	Felony	2,039	1,395		
	Misdemeanor	1,743	1,492		
	Violation	248	320		
Ridgecrest & Kern River	Felony	113	84		
	Misdemeanor	294	267		
Mojave	Felony	175	108		
	Misdemeanor	275	228		
Delano	Felony	193	164		
	Misdemeanor	348	256		
Shafter	Felony	163	111		
	Misdemeanor	379	279		
Lamont, Arvin, & Taft	Felony	238	181		
	Misdemeanor	467	362		
Total	Felony	2,921	2,043		
	Misdemeanor	3,506	2,884		
	Violations	248	320		
TOTAL	Total Assignments	6,675	5,247	-	-





STREET INTERDICTION TEAM (SIT) OPERATIONS

AB 109 DATA TRACKERS

DASHBOARD REPORT

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SIT Participating Agencies

Arvin Police Department	0
Bakersfield Police Department	99
Bear Valley Springs Police Department	0
California City Police Department	2
Delano Police Department	18
KCSO	10
K.C. Probation Department	53
Kern High School District	0
McFarland Police Department	16
Ridgecrest Police Department	3
Shafter Police Department	2
Stallion Springs Police Department	0
Taft Police Department	5
Tehachapi Police Department	0

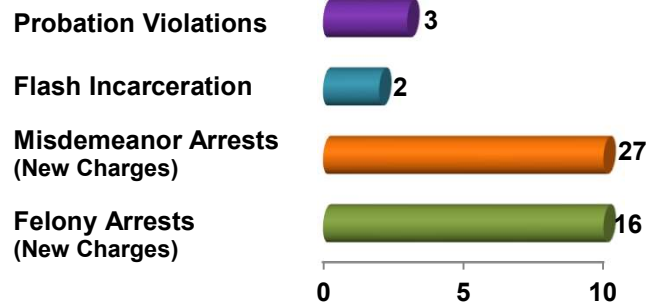
Interesting Facts

Narcotics / Weapons 44.27 | 0

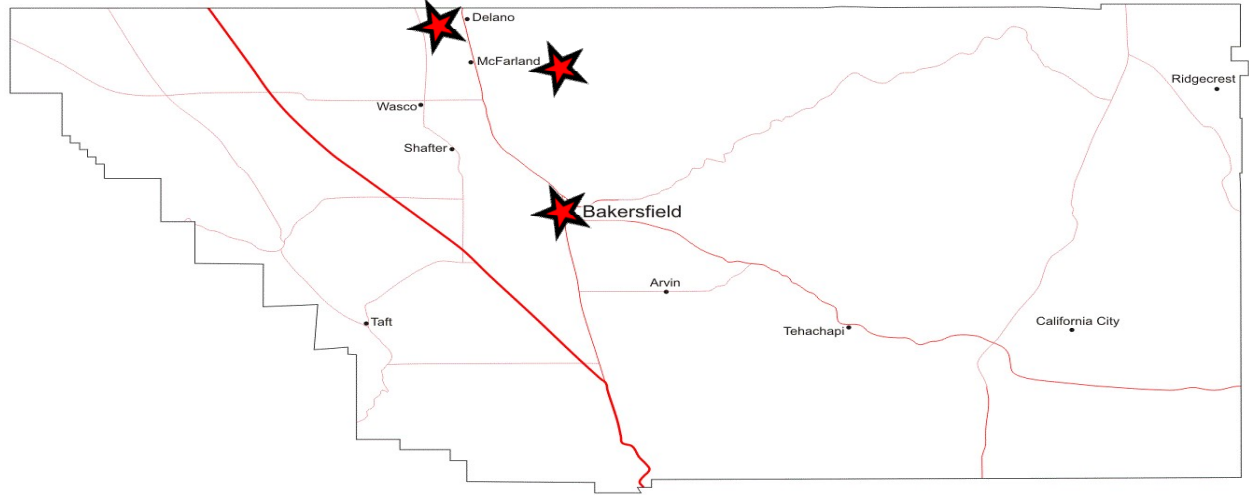
Operations

Number of Operations	6
Number of Locations	6
Number of Days	6
Number of Agencies	9

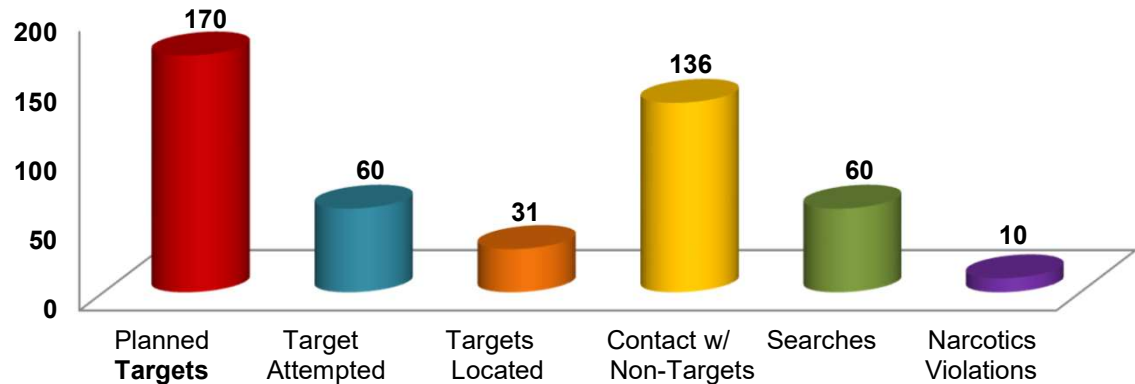
Total Arrests



Locations: Bakersfield, McFarland, Delano



Target Numbers



AGENDA ITEM REQUEST
Community Corrections Partnership (CCP)

TO: Community Corrections Partnership (CCP)

FROM: Rebecca L. Vaughan, Division Director
Kern County Probation Department

SUBJECT: Request to Amend Agreement No. 678-2022 with Bakersfield Recovery Services

BACKGROUND

On October 5, 2022, the CCP approved the evaluation committee's recommendation to fund Bakersfield Recovery Services (BRS), Inc, DBA Jason's Retreat, and DBA Capistrano Community for Women to provide sober-living environment services from January 1, 2023 through December 31, 2025. On December 13, 2022, the Board awarded a contract (Agreement #678-2022) executed by Eric Sanders, BRS Executive Director per the submitted proposal.

On February 10, 2023, BRS Board President notified the Probation Department to remove Eric L. Sanders from all forms, contracts or agreements, and accounts. Per their letter, the appointed authorized signer is now Stephenie Carroll, Program Director.

Additionally, BRS' proposal listed the men's sober-living addresses incorrectly. Below are the corrected addresses:

- 601 Knotts Street – was listed as 601 N. Kern St (corner of Knotts and Kern; property faces Knotts)
- 2040 N. Kern Street – was listed as 2041 N. Kern Street (Transitional housing only)

RECOMMENDATION

Staff is requesting CCP approval to amend Agreement No. 678-2022 revising the authorized signer to Stephenie Carroll, Program Director, revise men's sober living addresses, and make recommendation to Executive Committee for approval and subsequent submission to the Board of Supervisors for approval.

AGENDA ITEM REQUEST
Community Corrections Partnership (CCP)

TO: Community Corrections Partnership (CCP)

FROM: Rebecca L. Vaughan, Division Director
Kern County Probation Department

SUBJECT: Request to Amend Agreement No. 682-2022 with One Door Community Resource and Recovery Center

BACKGROUND

On December 13, 2022, the County of Kern entered into Agreement #682-2022 with One Door Community Resource and Recovery Center ("One Door") to provide case management services for male and female AB 109 clients effective January 1, 2023 through December 31, 2025, in an amount not to exceed \$300,000.

The original proposal from One Door included Target Area 3, Case Management and Target Area 4, Other Evidence-Based Practices (EBP) or Best Practices with a requested total amount of \$1,136,550. However, the Evaluation Committee recommended funding for the Case Management portion in the amount of \$300,000 to One Door.

Within the executed Agreement #682-2022, some of the services related to Target Area 4 were inadvertently included, therefore, the following sections need to be amended.

1) Page 21, remove Sections H and I (Target Area 4)

- H. CONTRACTOR shall use the evidence-based Matrix Model to treat client drug addiction by providing individual/conjoint therapy, early recovery, relapse prevention, family education, social support, urine testing.
- I. CONTRACTOR shall utilize the integrated therapeutic model which incorporates addressing cognitive behaviors, motivational enhancements, couples and family therapy, individual support/expressive psychotherapy and psychoeducation, twelve step facilitation, and group therapy and social supports.

2) Page 22, remove viii (Target Area 4)

- iii. Number of drug and breathalyzer tests administered, and the number of positive drug and breathalyzer tests.

3) Page 22, section J, i. - revise total number of clients served from 300 to 162.

- J. CONTRACTOR will also follow these guiding principles:
 - i. Provide case management and reentry planning services for a minimum of 162 eligible participants.

4) Exhibit “B”, Page 25 – revise budget

- Remove drug test supplies (applies to Target Area 4 only)
- Add Transportation Cost of \$3,850/year for bus passes or mileage reimbursement

EXHIBIT "B" BUDGET (revised 03/15/23)					
ONE DOOR COMMUNITY RESOURCE AND RECOVERY CENTER JANUARY 1, 2023 - DECEMBER 31, 2025					
	Start Up Cost	First Year Budget Amount	Second Year Budget Amount	Third Year Budget Amount	Total
AB 109 FUNDING					
Case Management		\$ 88,000.00	\$ 88,000.00	\$ 88,000.00	\$ 264,000.00
Transportation		\$ 3,850.00	\$ 3,850.00	\$ 3,850.00	\$ 11,550.00
Operations (training, supplies, food, equipment)		\$ 8,150.00	\$ 8,150.00	\$ 8,150.00	\$ 24,450.00
TOTAL	\$0.00	\$ 100,000.00	\$ 100,000.00	\$ 100,000.00	\$ 300,000.00
TOTAL AB 109 FUNDING	\$	300,000.00			

RECOMMENDATION

Staff is requesting CCP approval to amend Agreement No. 682-2022 revising the sections listed above and to make recommendation to the Executive Committee for approval and subsequent submission to the Board of Supervisors for approval.

AGENDA ITEM REQUEST
Community Corrections Partnership (CCP)

TO: Community Corrections Partnership (CCP)/
Executive Committee
C/o Kern County Probation Department
2005 Ridge Rd, P.O. Box 3309
Bakersfield, CA 93385

FROM: David Stephens, Chief Deputy
Kern County Sheriff's Office

Submitted are the following agenda item(s) to be considered by the Community Corrections Partnership (CCP) at the meeting of **March 15, 2023**:

Title: REQUEST FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022/23 ADDITIONAL BASE FUNDING ALLOCATION

Background: Request for Fiscal Year 2022/23 Additional Base Funding using the established percentage allocation in the amount of \$1,697,840 for American with Disability facility improvements in our jails and facility improvements.

Fiscal Impact: \$1,697,840

Recommendation/ Request Approval of FY 2022/23 Additional Base Allocation
Action to be Taken: MAKE PRESENTATION; DISCUSS; MAKE RECOMMENDATION TO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE



David Stephens, Chief Deputy
Kern County Sheriff's Office

KERN COUNTY PROBATION DEPARTMENT



TO: Community Corrections Partnership

DATE: March 15, 2023

FROM: TR Merickel
Chief Probation Officer

SUBJECT: Probation Department's Request for FY 22/23 Additional AB 109 Base Funds

The Probation Department is requesting FY 22/23 Additional AB 109 Base Funds in the amount of \$1,537,438 which is keeping the existing 35.56% of the base allocation. The Department will use these funds to enhance AB 109 operations and activities for the Probation Department.

To better meet the growing demands of serving the AB 109 population, the Department plans on leasing a new building on Sillect Ave. to house all adult supervision services in one location. The Department has undertaken additional construction and remodeling to adapt the space for our purposes, but the building will need to be furnished and outfitted with the required technology and equipment upon completion. It is critical officers conducting case management to have an adequate environment to meet with the offenders under their supervision and provide the necessary services to redirect their behavior in a pro-social manner. The purchase of cubicles, office furniture, tables and chairs, and various technology related items to accommodate supervision units and the Adult Programs Center will make the Probation Department more efficient in its delivery of Accountability and Opportunity to the AB 109 population. In addition to the furniture for the new building, the Department is also requesting funds to upgrade workstations for administrative staff.

A significant portion of the Department's current locations do not have adequate or consistent signage identifying them as part of the Probation Department, so we are requesting funding to purchase eighteen signs that will both make our various locations easily recognizable to the public and more professional in appearance. Additionally, the Department is requesting funding to purchase six metal detectors to prevent the introduction of dangerous weapons to our unsecure offices located throughout the County. This purchase will help ensure the safety and security of staff and the public engaged in services throughout our offices. The Department is also requesting funding to purchase two patrol vehicles to continue to replenish our aging fleet.

The Department is also requesting funds to replace the HVAC on our use of force training room. Due to the increasing complexity and sophistication of the population we supervise and changes to best practices, the training room HVAC replacement is necessary to ensure a safe and properly regulated area to facilitate effective training techniques. And, as part of the Department's commitment to evidence-based practices, we are also requesting funding for Train-the-Trainer classes to sustain our own in-house training for facilitators of evidence-based curriculums.

Request for Additional AB 109 Base Funds

March 15, 2023

Page 2

The chart below reflects the recommended budget for the Probation Department's request for FY 22/23 Additional AB 109 Base Funds:

<u>Item</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Sillect Ave. Building Furniture		\$881,665
Technology Equipment		\$81,375
Administration Workstations		\$156,055
Patrol Vehicles	2	\$120,000
Signs	18	\$39,350
Metal Detectors	6	\$108,993
HVAC		\$80,000
Train-the-Trainer EBP		\$70,000
Total		\$1,537,438

AGENDA ITEM REQUEST
Community Corrections Partnership (CCP)

TO: Community Corrections Partnership (CCP)/
Executive Committee
C/o Kern County Probation Department
2005 Ridge Rd, P.O. Box 3309
Bakersfield, CA 93385

FROM: **Robin Taylor, LCSW, Deputy Director
Kern BHRS**

Submitted are the following agenda item(s) to be considered by the Community Corrections Partnership (CCP) at the meeting of **March 15, 2023**:

**Title REQUEST FOR ALLOCATION OF AB109 FY 22-23 BASE FUNDS
APPROPRIATED IN FY 22-23**

**Background KernBHRS was notified of base funds received and is requesting
approval of spending plan.**

The Psychiatric Evaluation Center-Crisis Stabilization Unit (PEC-CSU) is the designated facility to receive individuals on involuntary psychiatric holds (5150) from law enforcement and Kern County 5150 designated staff in Bakersfield. The PEC-CSU's purpose is to provide evaluation and treatment to individuals experiencing a behavioral health crisis. During the evaluation and treatment process staff determine the level of care needed, such as services in the community or inpatient psychiatric hospitalization. Many individuals are discharged back to the community, with linkage to outpatient follow up care, once they receive treatment and interventions alleviating their immediate crisis. As the PEC-CSU is a designated Lanterman-Petris-Short Act (LPS) locked facility, it is required to maintain a staffing to client ratio for certain disciplines. As with many healthcare facilities, nursing staff has been a difficult classification to obtain and retain. Because of this, PEC-CSU has supplemented staffing using a nursing registry to maintain required licensing staffing ratios. Maintaining staff ratios is an imperative requirement to be able to provide crisis evaluation, treatment, and intervention to individuals. The PEC CSU is open 24 hours a day 7 days a week, often providing services to individuals brought in by law enforcement, including the AB 109 population.

KernBHRS is requesting to use the full amount to pay for the nursing registry and other operating expenses at the PEC-CSU.

Fiscal Impact: \$586,268

Recommendation/Action to be Taken: Approve \$586,268 in Base Allocation Funds to pay for operational costs of PEC-CSU services as mentioned above.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'Stacy Kuwahara', with a stylized, cursive script.

**Stacy Kuwahara, Director
Kern Behavioral Health and Recovery Services (KernBHRS)**

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Community Corrections Partnership (CCP)

TO: Community Corrections Partnership (CCP)/
Executive Committee
C/o Kern County Probation Department
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Bakersfield, CA 93385

FROM: **Joseph Kinzel, Assistant District Attorney
Kern County District Attorney's Office**

Submitted are the following agenda item(s) to be considered by the Community Corrections Partnership (CCP) at the meeting of **March 15, 2023**:

Title: District Attorney's Request for Additional AB109 Additional Base Funding

Background: It is reported that the FY22-23 base funds are higher than expected due to FY 21-22 AB109 growth allocations returning higher than previously anticipated at the December 14, 2022 meeting. The District Attorney's Office requests distribution of the additional base funds in accordance with traditional allocations.

Fiscal Impact: \$185,046 in additional funding for the District Attorney's Office.

Recommendation/

Action to be Taken: Approve proportionate allocation of Base Funding, \$185,046, to District Attorney's Office for continued efforts related to AB109 realignment activities.



**Joseph Kinzel,
Assistant District Attorney**

AGENDA ITEM REQUEST
Community Corrections Partnership (CCP)

TO:
Community Corrections Partnership (CCP)/
Executive Committee
C/o Kern County Probation Department
2005 Ridge Rd, P.O. Box 3309
Bakersfield, CA 93385

FROM:
Peter Kang
Public Defender
1315 Truxtun Ave
Bakersfield, CA 93301

Submitted is the following agenda item to be considered by the Community Corrections Partnership (CCP) at the meeting of March 15, 2023:

Title: AB 109 Additional Base

Background: The overwhelming majority of criminal defendants are indigent, and the Public Defender represents a significant portion of these persons. Our mandate is Constitutional and statutory. Under the Sixth Amendment to the United States Constitution, persons accused of committing crimes, who cannot afford to hire private counsel, are entitled to appointed counsel. Pursuant to California Government Code § 27706, the Public Defender is charged with representation of persons qualifying for appointed counsel. It is not possible to precisely align or attribute a particular defendant or crime to Realignment. Consequently, the department utilizes the AB 109 allocation to meet – as effectively as we can – the department’s significant Realignment driven caseload.

Consistent with prior years, the department is requesting appropriations approximating one-half, or 50%, of those made to the District Attorney.

Fiscal Impact: \$92,523

Recommendation: Request approval of \$92,523 of additional base funding representing base fund percentages equal to 50% of the District Attorney’s allocation. The revised total allocation with the additional base funding would total \$1,320,780.

Action to be Taken: Approve, authorize Chair to implement.


Peter Kang | Public Defender

AGENDA ITEM REQUEST
Community Corrections Partnership (CCP)

TO: Community Corrections Partnership (CCP)/
Executive Committee
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FROM: Teresa Hitchcock, Assistant CAO
Employers' Training Resource

Submitted are the following agenda item(s) to be considered by the Community Corrections Partnership (CCP) at the meeting of **March 15, 2023**:

[Title:] REQUEST FOR ALLOCATION OF \$59,664 IN ADDITIONAL BASE FUNDS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022-23

[Background:] ETR is requesting approval from the CCP to receive the amount of \$59,664 in additional Base Funds to be utilized to 1) offset the difference between our estimated 2022-23 Base Fund allocation of \$792,054 and the actual amount received of \$754,363 (a shortage of \$37,691); and 2) increase funds available to place AB 109 participants in Training, On-the-Job Training, Paid Work Experience and Transitional Jobs by \$21,973 over the original Base Fund budget, bringing the total amount of Base Funds available for training and various forms of subsidized work experience to \$356,498 in 2022-23 Base Funds or \$554,828 including Base Carry Forward already approved for these activities.

[Fiscal Impact:] \$59,664

**[Recommendation/
Action to be Taken:]** Request approval from the CCP to utilize additional AB 109 Base Funds in the amount of \$59,644 to support training opportunities, including various forms of subsidized work experience, after making up for the difference between estimated and actual 2022-23 Base Funds received.


Teresa Hitchcock, Assistant CAO

**AGENDA ITEM REQUEST
Community Corrections Partnership (CCP)**

TO: Community Corrections Partnership
(CCP)/Executive Committee
C/O Kern County Probation Department
2005 Ridge Rd, P.O. Box 3309
Bakersfield, CA 93385

FROM: Jed McLaughlin, Chief of Police
Ridgecrest Police Department

Submitted are the following agenda item(s) to be considered by the Community Corrections Partnership (CCP) at the meeting of **March 15, 2023**:

Title: **STREET INTERDICTION TEAM (SIT) REQUEST FY 2022/23 AB 109
ADDITIONAL BASE FUNDING ALLOCATION**

Background: SIT is requesting FY 2022/23 AB 109 additional Base Funding in the amount of \$29,400. The first SIT operation in FY 2022/23 was conducted on Sunday, 07/24/22. As of 12/16/22, SIT conducted 18 operations in Kern County. The total hours of operations are 196 with 49 arrests. The operations seized 7 handguns/shotguns including ammunitions and 74.62 grams of various drugs.

Fiscal Impact: \$29,400

Recommendation/
Action to be Taken: **MAKE PRESENTATION; DISCUSS; MAKE RECOMMENDATION TO
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO APPROVE ADDITIONAL BASE FUNDING
ALLOCATION REQUEST**


Jed McLaughlin, Chief of Police
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FROM: **Jose Lopez, County Veterans Service Officer**
Kern County Veterans Service Department

Submitted are the following agenda item(s) to be considered by the Community Corrections Partnership (CCP) at the meeting of **March 15, 2023**:

[Title:] Request for Increase to FY 2022-23 AB 109 Base Allocation

[Background:] Following the State's increase to Kern County's FY 2022-23 AB 109 base allocation in the amount of \$4,323,503, the Veterans Service Department is requesting the increased additional funding based on the percentage of the Department's base allocation.

[Fiscal Impact, if any:] \$11,673

[Recommendation/
Action to be Taken:] Request approval for an increase to the base allocation amount approved on June 1, 2022 for the Veterans Service Department based on the percentage of its base allocation
— APPROVE; AUTHORIZE CHAIR TO IMPLEMENT



Jose Lopez, Interim Director

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FROM: **Robin Taylor, LCSW, Deputy Director
Kern BHRS**

Submitted are the following agenda item(s) to be considered by the Community Corrections Partnership (CCP) at the meeting of **March 15, 2023**:

**Title REQUEST FOR ALLOCATION OF AB109 FY 21-22 GROWTH FUNDS
APPROPRIATED IN FY 22-23**

**Background KernBHRS was notified of growth funds received and is requesting
approval of spending plan.**

The Psychiatric Evaluation Center-Crisis Stabilization Unit (PEC-CSU) is the designated facility to receive individuals on involuntary psychiatric holds (5150) from law enforcement and Kern County 5150 designated staff in Bakersfield. The PEC-CSU's purpose is to provide evaluation and treatment to individuals experiencing a behavioral health crisis. During the evaluation and treatment process staff determine the level of care needed, such as services in the community or inpatient psychiatric hospitalization. Many individuals are discharged back to the community, with linkage to outpatient follow up care, once they receive treatment and interventions alleviating their immediate crisis. As the PEC-CSU is a designated Lanterman-Petris-Short Act (LPS) locked facility, it is required to maintain a staffing to client ratio for certain disciplines. As with many healthcare facilities, nursing staff has been a difficult classification to obtain and retain. Because of this, PEC-CSU has supplemented staffing using a nursing registry to maintain required licensing staffing ratios. Maintaining staff ratios is an imperative requirement to be able to provide crisis evaluation, treatment, and intervention to individuals. The PEC-CSU is open 24 hours a day 7 days a week, often providing services to individuals brought in by law enforcement, including the AB 109 population.

KernBHRS is requesting to use the full amount to pay for the nursing registry and other operating expenses at the PEC-CSU.

Fiscal Impact: \$370,354

Recommendation/Action to be Taken: Approve \$370,354 in Growth Allocation Funds to pay for operational costs of PEC-CSU services as mentioned above.

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**Stacy Kuwahara, Director
Kern Behavioral Health and Recovery Services (KernBHRS)**

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FROM: **Joseph Kinzel**
Assistant District Attorney
Kern County District Attorney's Office

Submitted are the following agenda item(s) to be considered by the Community Corrections Partnership (CCP) at the meeting of **March 15, 2023**:

Title: **District Attorney's Request for FY 21-22 AB109 Growth Funds**

Background: The District Attorney's Office is requesting FY 21/22 Growth Funds in the amount of \$387,612. The District Attorney's Office will use these funds to enhance services and adjust to the continuing pressures upon prosecuting agencies related to AB 109.

In May of 2023, the District Attorney's Office will be transitioning to a new case-management system. This system, "Prosecutor by Karpel," is relied upon by multiple District Attorney's Offices throughout California as well as multiple other states. A hallmark of the system is the ability for the District Attorney's Office to introduce [nearly] "paperless" workflows. This is a stark contrast to current operations of the District Attorney's Office, which relies largely on the same methods and procedures used during the past four decades of case management. To facilitate this transition and make the best use of the technology already invested in, the District Attorney's Office would greatly benefit from laptop computers being made available to attorneys, who could research case information and evidence from anywhere they have internet access. The District Attorney's Office currently only has a few laptops available for use. Additionally, the transition to a paperless system will make scanning in current documents on all cases – new and old – a priority throughout the office. While the District Attorney's Office has some limited scanners available, having scanners on the desks of attorneys and clerical staff is essential to maximizing the benefits of the new case management system.

Finally, the Kern Regional Crime Lab, which serves 38 law enforcement agencies in Kern County on a very limited budget, suffered a setback this year in its Toxicology department. While the lab has received four new instruments through a CHP grant fund that will expand the ability to test all toxicology samples for a stunning 127 target compounds, the influx of new equipment overwhelmed the room temperature control capabilities of the lab, which resulted in an immediate need to add air conditioning resources to the lab. This project was essential because the climate

controls required at the lab are not merely for the employees comfort, they are essential to the proper operation of the instruments. This project was completed in November of 2022 at a cost of \$57,612, and due to the timing and urgency of the needed repairs, grant funding or other sources could not be requested for this project. The Kern Regional Crime lab faces extensive cost increases related to AB109 due to increased toxicological and testing on solid dosage drugs. The toxicology unit of the Kern Regional Crime Lab is the center of DUI investigations, as it processes nearly all DUI samples taken in the county, and the District Attorney requests growth funds to assist the Crime Lab in coping with this unforeseen cost.

The chart below summarizes the District Attorney's Request:

<u>Item</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Laptop Computers	90	\$270,000
150 Scanners	150	\$60,000
Crime Lab Toxicology AC Improvement		\$57,612
Total		\$387,612

Fiscal Impact: **\$387,612 in additional funding for the District Attorney's Office and Crime Lab.**

**Recommendation/
Action to be Taken:** **Approve proportionate allocation of additional Growth Funds, \$387,612 to District Attorney's Office for continued efforts related to AB109 realignment activities.**



**Joseph Kinzel,
Assistant District Attorney**