



AGENDA

KERN COUNTY SB 823 SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE JUVENILE JUSTICE COORDINATING COUNCIL

Kern County Probation Department
2005 Ridge Road
Bakersfield, California 93305

Wednesday, October 18, 2023
3:30 p.m.

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SB 823 SUBCOMMITTEE TO CONVENE

Subcommittee Members: William Dickinson, Gina Pearl, Peter Kang, Maria Bermudez, Jennie Sill, Debra Plank, Judge Wendy Avila, Tom Corson, Wesley Davis, Lois Hannible, Ucedrah Osby

Roll call

- 1) Minutes from Subcommittee Meeting of March 15, 2023
APPROVE
- 2) Public Comment
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- 3) Chairperson's Report (Chief Dickinson)
General update (Fiscal Impact: None) -
MAKE PRESENTATION; NO ACTION REQUIRED
- 4) SB 823 Implementation Update (Deputy Chief Elaine Moore and Probation Division Director Ahmed Baameur)
Discuss County of Kern SB 823 implementation (Fiscal Impact: None) -
MAKE PRESENTATION; NO ACTION REQUIRED

5) Subcommittee Member Announcements or Reports

Subcommittee members may make an announcement or a report on their own activities. They may ask a question for clarification, make a referral to staff or take action to have staff place a matter of business on a future agenda.

MAKE ANNOUNCEMENTS OR REPORTS

6) Next Subcommittee Meeting

March 2024, with exact date and location to be determined.

DISCUSS; ANNOUNCE

7) Adjourn as Subcommittee



MINUTES

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SB 823 Subcommittee meeting called to order by Chief TR Merickel at 3:34 p.m.

Subcommittee Members: TR Merickel, Gina Pearl, Peter Kang, Maria Bermudez, Jennie Sill, Debra Plank, Judge Wendy Avila, Tom Corson, Wesley Davis, Lois Hannible, Ucedrah Osby

ROLL CALL: 10 Members Present: TR Merickel, Gina Pearl, Teryl Wakeman for Peter Kang, Maria Bermudez, Arturo Figueroa for Jennie Sill, Debra Plank, Tom Corson, Priscilla Sanchez for Wesley Davis, Stacy Lai and Jessica Reyes for Lois Hannible, Ryan Roberson for Ucedrah Osby

NOTE: Board member Judge Wendy Avila arrived after roll call

1) Minutes from the Meeting of October 13, 2022

MOTIONED TO APPROVE

Public Comment: NO ONE HEARD

APPROVED; Corson-Wakeman: 10 Ayes; 1 Absent (Avila)

MOTION PASSED

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- 3) Chairperson's Report (Chief Merickel)
General update (Fiscal Impact: None)

CHIEF MERICKEL PROVIDED A GENERAL UPDATE.

- 4) Modifications to County of Kern SB 823 Three-Year Plan and Allocations for FY 2023/2024 (Deputy Chief Dickinson and Division Director Ahmed Baameur)
Discuss modifications to three-year plan and Fiscal Year 2023/2024 allocations (Fiscal Impact: \$7,905,390) -

ANNUAL PLAN DOCUMENT PROVIDED TO COUNCIL MEMBERS. PRESENTATION MADE BY DIVISION DIRECTOR AHMED BAAMEUR. PROGRAMS AND SERVICES DISCUSSED.

DEPUTY CHIEF DICKINSON REPORTED ON THE DAY REPORTING CENTER (DRC) BEING DEVELOPED FOR POST-RELEASE AND RE-ENTRY SUPPORT SERVICES.

DICKINSON REPORTED ON YOUTH WHO SUSTAINED 707(B) OFFENSES, LISTED IN THE ANNUAL PLAN DOCUMENT ON PAGE 27.

FISCAL PLAN DOCUMENT PROVIDED TO COUNCIL MEMBERS. PRESENTATION MADE BY DEPUTY CHIEF DICKINSON. FISCAL CHANGES FROM LAST YEAR AND CUSTODIAL SERVICES DISCUSSED.

BERMUDEZ OFFERED ASSISTANCE FOR DEVELOPMENT OF FAMILY VISITS.

BERMUDEZ RECOMMENDED LINKING WITH DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FOR HOUSING, REUNIFICATION AND WELFARE TO WORK SERVICES.

RYAN ROBERSON ON BEHALF OF UCEDRAH OSBY ASKED ABOUT SPEAKING TO VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR. BAAMEUR PROVIDED CONTACT INFORMATION.

MOTIONED TO APPROVE MODIFICATION TO THREE-YEAR PLAN AND FY 2023/2024 ALLOCATIONS AND SUBMIT TO THE JUVENILE JUSTICE COORDINATING COUNCIL FOR APPROVAL

Public Comment: NO ONE HEARD

ROLL CALL VOTE: Merickel - Yes; Pearl - Yes, Kang - Yes, Bermudez - Yes; Figueroa for Sill - Yes, Plank - Yes, Avila - Yes, Corson - Yes, Sanchez for Davis - Yes, Lai for Hannible - Yes, Roberson for Osby - No

APPROVED; Corson-Bermudez: 10 Ayes; 1 Nay

MOTION PASSED

- 5) Subcommittee Member Announcements or Reports

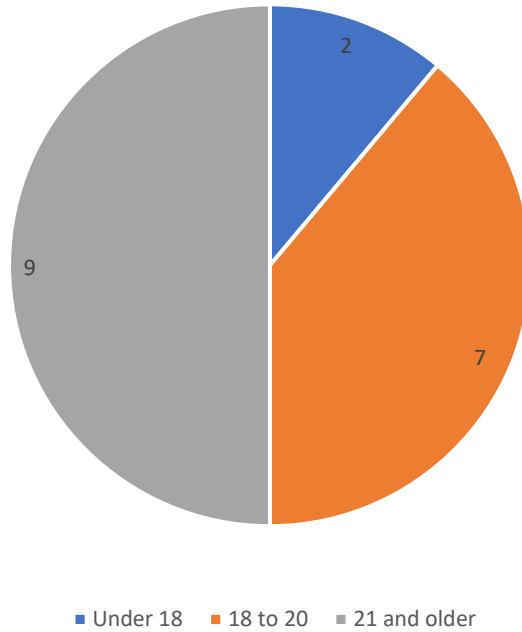
NONE

- 6) Next Subcommittee Meeting

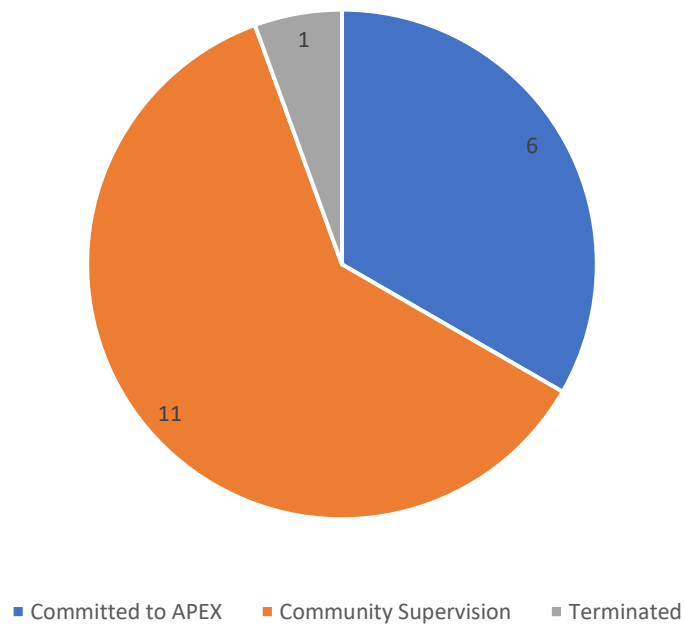
THE NEXT MEETING WAS SCHEDULED FOR OCTOBER 2023, WITH EXACT DATE AND LOCATION TO BE DETERMINED.

- 7) Adjourn as Subcommittee at 4:21 p.m.

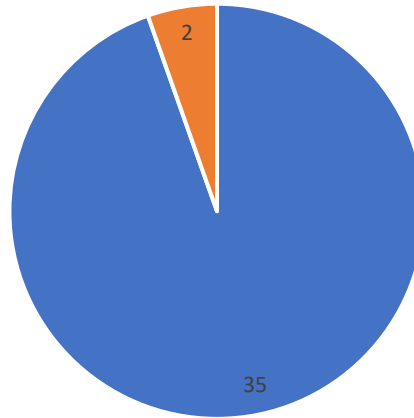
Age Ranges



Re-entry Status

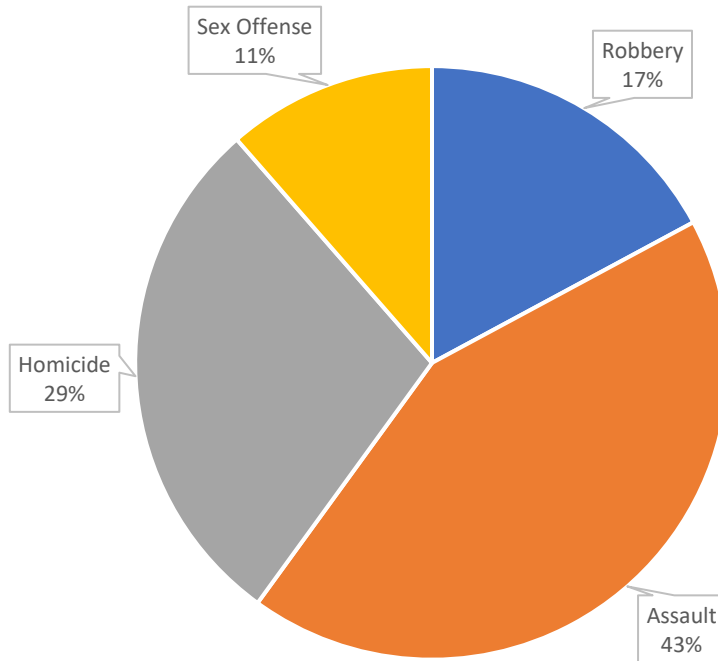


Gender



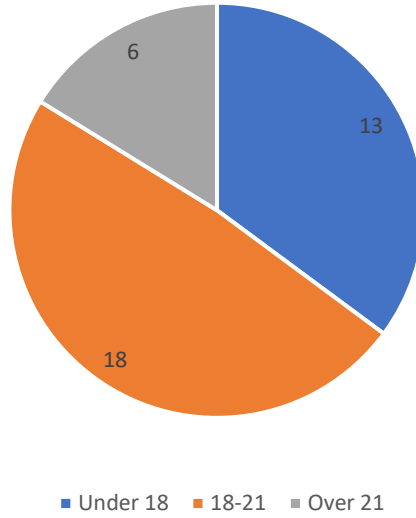
■ Male ■ Female

Commitment Offense Type

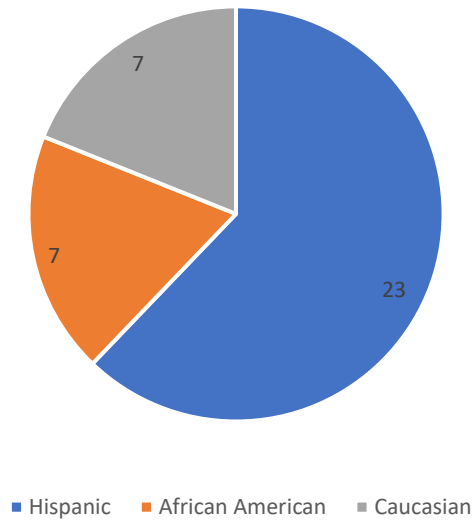


■ Robbery ■ Assault ■ Homicide ■ Sex Offense

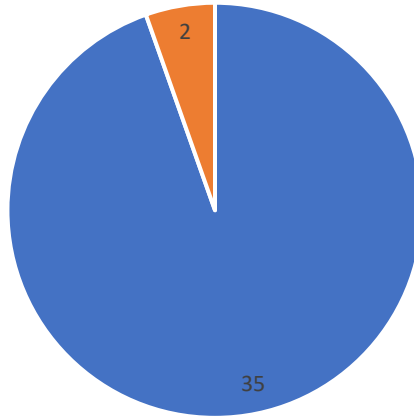
Age of Commitments or Age at Date of Release



Race

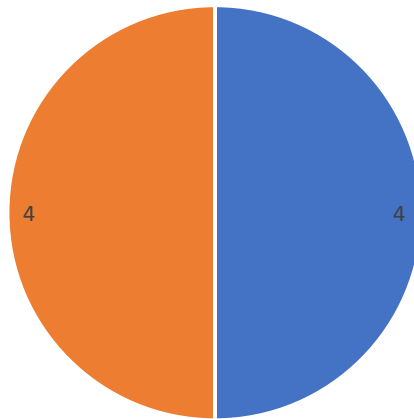


Commitment Type



■ Original ■ Probation Violation

Releases



■ Completion ■ Step Down