#### MINUTES CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE (CAC) Clark County Department of Juvenile Justice Services Zenoff Conference Room, 601 N. Pecos Road, Las Vegas, NV 89101 June 5, 2013 at 9:00 a.m.

Advisory Members Present: Larry Ashley, Tom Maroney, Leisa Moseley, Joelyne Gold-Nance, Anthony York, Louise Helton, and Tiffany Tyler

Advisory Members Absent: Arnold Stalk, Robert Henry, and Heidi Swank

Guest: Marc Humphries, Mark Wood, and Satonya Boyd

I. Call to Order at 9:00 am.

## II. Announcements from the Co-Chairman of the Citizens Advisory Committee and inform Committee Members.

- Larry Ashley, Chairman welcomed everyone.
- Mr. Ashley stated that he will be retiring from UNLV on June 30, 2013 as well as from the Citizens Advisory Committee. Mr. Ashley briefly discussed the accomplishments made by the committee over the years.

### **III.** Public Comments

- Marc Humphries, Manager for Detention present in Director, John Martin's absence briefly talked about Summit View and its history.
- Mr. Humphries thanked Mr. Ashley for his years of service to Nevada.
- Dr. Tiffany Tyler also thanked Mr. Ashley for all that he has done for the community.

### IV. Approval of May 1, 2013 Minutes

• Members approved the May 1, 2013 Minutes.

### V. Approval of Agenda

• Members approved the agenda.

### VII. Membership/Ordinance

• Louise Helton, Tom Maroney, and Robert Henry's memberships will be expired on 6-30-13. Also Mr. Ashley's position will be vacant as of June 30, 2013, and Brian Petrilla resigned from the Citizens Advisory Committee. Satonya Boyd will prepare the agenda item so it will go before the Board of Commissioners on July 3, 2013. • The Chair for President needs to be discussed at the July meeting so that the voting process can begin.

### VI. Strategic Plan / Work Plan – Review an update from committee and discuss

• The committee indicated that the 2013 legislation is going to be the main goal for the year.

### VII. Legislation Issues/Topics - Review and update from committee, discuss, and take possible action.

- Tom Maroney briefly discussed the bill regarding teen prostitution.
- Mr. Humphries stated that Michael Whelihan has been doing a great job with regards to writing bill drafts for the Department of Juvenile Justice Services.

### VIII. Partnership with Juvenile Detention Alternatives Initiative - Review and discuss

• Anthony York gave a brief overview of the JDAI Meeting in May.

# IX. Receive the Acting Director's Report on the Activities of the Department of Juvenile Justice Services (DJJS) and inform Committee Members

### Budget/Personnel Update

- Mr. Humphries stated that the budget is coming to a close in June.
- Physical & written exam were done last week for JPO I/II position(s). We have some great candidates.
- DRRP has been moved back to the Probation Division and has been renamed to the *Probation Review & Release Program*.

Juvenile Detention Reform

• Mr. Humphries stated that there has been a lot of work done with Juvenile Detention Reform. Mr. Humphries briefly discussed his handout with committee members.

Juvenile Justice Programming

• Nothing to report.

### X. Public Comments

- Tom Maroney stated that the Ropes Course will have twenty Instructors. First course was held on June 4, 2013. The Ropes Course will help with team building.
- Nevada Partners Vocational Programs will be working with Juvenile Justice Services. Youth will be able to start the Culinary Program at SMYC and then transfer to Nevada Partners. There will also be a Welding Program. This is great as it will help youth transition into the workforce with a skill.
- Mr. Maroney stated that Project Soar will be resumed. The National Guard now has monies to fund Project Soar. Youth will be taken through a military structure course. The process will be explained to the parents and if they do not want their child to participate then they will not. This is a high energy program for the youth. Previously Project Soar had twenty-four boys and girls at a time. Hopefully the Clark County Marshalls will be available to participate with Project Soar. All youth have to pass a physical before participating.
- Judge Voy is teaming up with the Children's Service Guild to possibly create a place for female teen prostitutes. Louise Helton stated that she knows a person that may be able to provide more information regarding this matter. Leisa Moseley also stated that the Purple Wings Organization can also be of assistance with regards to teen prostitution

Next Meeting – (July 10, 2013 9:00 a.m., Zenoff Conference Room, 601 N. Pecos Road, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101)

### XI. Adjournment

Adjourned at 10:20 am