

MONTEREY COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MEETING: April 28, 2009 – Consent	AGENDA NO.: 27
SUBJECT: Approve the bylaws of the Juvenile Justice Coordinating Council.	
DEPARTMENT: Probation	

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the Board of Supervisors approve the proposed Juvenile Justice Coordinating Council (JJCC) bylaws.

SUMMARY/DISCUSSION:

The Board of Supervisors established the Juvenile Justice Coordinating Council (JJCC) on November 12, 1996 as determined by the state of California for the Juvenile Crime Enforcement and Accountability Challenge grant.

Welfare and Institutions (W & I) Code 749.22 requires counties to establish a juvenile justice coordinating council to develop a comprehensive, collaborative, multiagency local action plan and implement a continuum of county-based responses to prevent and reduce juvenile crime.

W & I code also establishes the minimal membership for JJCC, and indicates that Chief Probation Officer will serve as council Chair for the duration of his or her mandate. Other members include one representative each from the district attorney's office, the public defender's office, the sheriff's department, the board of supervisors, the department of social services, the department of mental health, a community-based drug and alcohol program, a city police department, the county office of education or a school district, and an at-large community representative. In addition, the coordinating council includes representatives from nonprofit community-based organizations providing services to minors.

The council membership is designed with a balanced and comprehensive approach, which integrates advocacy, treatment and accountability, toward a continuum of graduated sanctions and programs designed to intervene with appropriate responses and different degrees of severity for at-risk youth and juvenile offenders.

JJCC is recommending the approval of its bylaws, dated April 1, 2009 (Attachment A); a copy of the bylaws is on file with the Clerk of the Board.

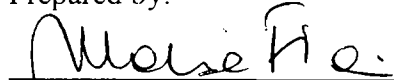
OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

The Probation Department and the Juvenile Justice Coordinating Council are in concurrence and support this action.

FINANCING:

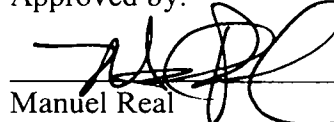
The JJCC is self-supporting. There is no impact on the County General Fund.

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