



King County
Meeting Proceedings

Law, Justice, Health and Human Services
Committee

Councilmembers: *Kathy Lambert, Chair (Primary) - Law, Safety, Criminal Justice, and Emergency Management; Julia Patterson, Chair (Secondary) - Health and Human Services; Reagan Dunn, Bob Ferguson, Larry Gossett*

Staff: *Kelli Carroll, Committee Coordinator (296-1618)
Joanne Rasmussen, Committee Assistant (296-0333)*

Room 1001

July 14, 2009

1:30 PM

1. **Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order at 1:38 p.m. by Chair Kathy Lambert, Law, Safety, Criminal Justice, and Emergency Management Chair.

2. **Roll Call**

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Present: Ms. Lambert, Ms. Patterson, Mr. Dunn, Mr. Ferguson and Mr. Gossett

3. **Approval of Minutes**

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Councilmember Patterson moved approval of the minutes of the June 23, 2009 meeting. The motion passed.

Briefing

4. **[Briefing No. 2009-B0172](#)**

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Update on the Status of the Juvenile Justice Operational Master Plan Programs and Youth Violence Initiatives.

Clif Curry, Council Staff, introduced the briefing and answered questions from the members during the panel presentation.

There was a Panel Presentation by the following panel members:

- Councilmember Burgess, Seattle Councilmember, addressed the committee regarding youth violence initiatives.*
- Chief Judge Phillip Hubbard, Juvenile Court Division, and Bruce Knutson, Administrator, Juvenile Court Division, briefed the committee and answered questions from the members during a powerpoint presentation entitled, "Juvenile Justice and Youth Initiatives".*
- Bonnie Glenn, Senior Advisor, Civic and Community Engagement, Seattle University School of Law, briefed the committee on community collaboration on the youth violence issue and answered questions from the members.*
- Justice Bobbe Bridge (Retired), President, Center for Children & Youth Justice, addressed the committee and answered questions from the members. Justice Bridge participated via conference*

call.

- Assistant Chief, Jim Pugel, Seattle Police Department and Tony Burt, Chief, Field Operations, King County Sheriff's Office, addressed the committee on juvenile and gang related crime, roles of school resource officers, and Police Athletic League in prevention of youth crime, and answered questions from the members.

- William Hodge, JRA, and Dr. Ron Ruthruff, New Horizons Ministries, addressed the committee and answered questions from the members regarding the importance of relationships, prevention and mentorship in addressing the youth violence problem. During this portion of the presentation Bruce Knutson, Administrator, Juvenile Court Division, answered questions about the loss of enhanced parole. Justice Bridge answered questions regarding the number of children in the foster care system.

This matter was Presented.

5. [Briefing No. 2009-B0171](#)

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Update on the Status of the County's Community Corrections Programs and a Review of the Division's Implementation of Recommendations Adopted in Motion 12802 and 12803.

This briefing was deferred to August.

Deferred

6. **Other Business**

Grant Alerts

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The Chair announced the grant alerts.

7. **Adjournment**

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The meeting was adjourned at 3:48 p.m.

Approved this _____ day of _____.

Clerk's Signature