

## **Community Corrections Partnership**

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TO: Community Corrections Partnership

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**RE: STAFF REPORT ON AGENDA ITEM #3**

### **#3 - Update From Community Corrections Partnership Advisory Board**

#### **Recommendation:**

N/A – For Information and Discussion Only

#### **Background:**

The CCP Advisory Board provides ongoing data review, evaluation, and analysis and incorporates input from local agency and community stakeholders, including formerly incarcerated individuals. The CCPAB advises the CCP regarding AB 109 program data, Plan updates, and public safety realignment funding priorities and assists with keeping the community informed about Sacramento County's AB 109 Plan.

The current CCPAB membership structure includes eleven members: seven agency representatives designated by members of the CCP Executive Committee and four community representatives selected through a public application process and appointed by the CCP. The CCPAB's separate bylaws further encourage applications from crime survivors and individuals with lived experience in the justice system.

At its August 17, 2026 meeting, the CCPAB began reviewing its bylaws following recent amendments to the CCP bylaws and the transition of both bodies to quarterly meetings. In addition to administrative changes needed to align the two sets of bylaws, members discussed whether the current CCPAB composition continues to provide the appropriate balance of agency and community representation.

#### **Recent CCPAB Activities**

At its August 17 meeting, the CCPAB reviewed fourth-quarter and year-end FY 2025–26 AB 109 expenditures and program data. Approximately \$78 million in FY 2025–26 AB 109 allocations were utilized. Members discussed the relationship between future funding constraints, program evaluation data, and the Advisory Board's role in helping inform future AB 109 recommendations. Staff is developing a year-end reporting format that will combine quarterly program data with annual program evaluations and provide a more consistent basis for reviewing program activity and outcomes.

The CCPAB also continued planning for a Community Engagement Committee meeting focused on Mental Health Diversion. Members identified the Public Defender's Office, Conflict Criminal Defenders, District Attorney's Office, Department of Health Services, and Probation Department as proposed participants and expressed interest in understanding each agency's role, program successes and challenges, and available outcome data.

Finally, staff updated the CCPAB on development of the next AB 109 Plan and the annual program evaluation process. AB 109-funded departments have been asked to provide program-specific evaluations that more consistently describe services, define program success, identify challenges, and report available outcomes. These evaluations will help inform the next draft of the AB 109 Plan and future discussions regarding program performance and funding priorities.

#### Increasing Community Member Participation

During its August 17 bylaw discussion, the CCPAB expressed support for increasing community representation on the Advisory Board.

The current membership structure consists of seven agency representatives and four community members. Staff initially raised the possibility of increasing community membership from four to six members. Members expressed support increasing community representation, noting that additional community members could broaden the perspectives represented in CCPAB discussions and strengthen participation in Community Engagement Committee meetings.

The discussion also focused on the types of experience that may be particularly valuable as the CCPAB's work continues to evolve. In addition to maintaining an emphasis on lived experience with the justice system, members expressed interest in participation by individuals who:

- Have direct experience with AB 109-funded or related programs, such as reentry services or Mental Health Diversion;
- Have professional or community-based experience working directly with justice-involved populations; or
- Can help the CCPAB interpret program data and evaluations through the perspective of individuals receiving services.

This approach is consistent with the CCPAB's increasing emphasis on reviewing program performance, evaluating outcomes, and providing community-informed recommendations to the CCP. Greater community representation could help ensure that quantitative program information is considered alongside the experiences of individuals who have participated in or been affected by the programs being evaluated.

Community members would continue to be selected through a public application process and appointed by the CCP. Staff expects to begin the next community-member recruitment process shortly. Two existing community-member terms are scheduled to

conclude this fall, creating an opportunity to coordinate the regular recruitment process with any potential expansion of community membership.

#### Next Steps

Staff is seeking CCP direction regarding whether to develop a proposed bylaw amendment increasing the number of CCPAB community representatives.

If the CCP supports an increase, staff will incorporate the proposed membership structure into the broader CCPAB bylaw update currently under development. The revised bylaws will also address administrative changes associated with the transition to quarterly meetings and other provisions identified through the CCPAB's review.

The proposed revisions would first return to the CCPAB for review and recommendation before being presented to the CCP for formal consideration and approval.

#### **Attachments:**

N/A