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GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF CRIME PREVENTION, YOUTH, AND VICTIM SERVICES

STATE ADVISORY GROUP (SAG) MEETING
September 11, 2023
2:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Held Via Videoconference

MINUTES

Participating Members:
Joe Rossow (Chair)
Jeff Breslin
Derrell Frazier
Kya Hector
Sarah Kaplan - for Judge Stamm
Shannon McFadden
Loney Nguyen
Laura Wilt
Tamika Winkler - for Senator Cory McCray

Staff:
Aubrey Gerhardt
Jennifer Krabill

Guests:
Georgia Noone-Sherrod, Acting Vice-Chair
Shane Hall
Tamerdis Hollywood
Christopher Thompson
D'Montae Vilgrian

I. Welcome

Mr. Rossow, Chair, called the meeting to order at 2:32 p.m. and welcomed everyone present. Mr. Rossow emphasized the importance of the emerging leaders in this space and announced that the subcommittee has chosen to have three chairs serve as the executive committee. Those chairs are Derrell Frazier, Kya Hector, and D'Montae Vilgrain.

II. Youth Justice Data Trends Presentation

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Shane Hall was introduced to the group and gave a presentation on the juvenile trends on behalf of the Department of Juvenile Services. The Powerpoint presentation will be sent out to members with the post-meeting materials.

III. Old / New Business

A. *Updates from Staff* - Office staff shared the status of the State Advisory Group at the Governor's Appointment Office for pending applications. The Office was told to expect appointments to be processed prior to the upcoming legislative session. Staff will be reaching out to individuals regarding their appointment status.

B. *Promoting Youth Engagement and YJAM Ideas* - Emerging leader co-chair, Ms. Hector shared ideas that the subcommittee members are researching for their Youth Justice Action Month (YJAM) events.

C. *2023 Youth Summit Conference Debrief* - Conference attendees shared that the 2023 Youth Summit was predominantly facilitated and planned by emerging leaders in other states, especially those who are currently or previously incarcerated. There was an emphasis on professional development, life skills, and peer support for young people, especially those who are transitioning from youth to adulthood and/or have experience with the justice system. Creating a similar conference in Maryland was mentioned as a goal for the EL subcommittee.

IV. Roundtable and Announcements

A. *New Member Recommendations* - As members search for interested candidates and recommend candidates to staff, please refer anyone interested in joining the SAG to the Recruitment web page.

V. Approval of Prior Minutes - July meeting minutes were not approved because a quorum was not present.

VI. Adjournment - The meeting was adjourned at 4:04 p.m without objection

Next Meeting: The next meeting will be on **November 13, 2023 at 2:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.**
