Prison Education Delivery Reform Commission

December 5, 2024

Virtual Meeting

Agenda

- Introduction of new Commission member
- Approval of minutes from November 7th
- Update on Commission vacancies
- Update on data collection
- Discussion on the Advisory Stakeholder Group (ASG)
- Discussion of Task Timeline
- Logistics
- Advisory Stakeholder Group Meeting

Data from Annual ECCCI and CEC Reports

1. Program Completion
2. Enrollment Percentage
3. GED Completion
4. Waiting list times
5. Number of School Days
6. Post-secondary education data
7. Mandatory education enrollment
8. Staff and Vacancies

Advisory Stakeholder Group

The Commission shall convene an advisory stakeholder group that includes organizations with experience in:

- Criminal justice policy reform
- Advocating for individuals with learning disabilities and those from marginalized communities
- Restorative justice
- Peer recovery and support services

Tasks: Setting our priorities

1. Develop an education–focused statewide framework of policies to invest in strategies to increase public safety and reduce recidivism of adult offenders, using a data–driven approach

2. Identify measures to mitigate risk factors that contribute to adult contact with the criminal justice system, with a focus on education

3. Research best practices for the primary, secondary, postsecondary, and career or vocational education programs of other states

4. Evaluate current workforce programs in which incarcerated individuals participate and the programs' effectiveness in training for employment opportunities that result in living wages

Future Meeting Dates

Please plan on attending meetings on the first Thursday from every month. The Commission will meet from 10-11, and the advisory stakeholder group will meet from 11-12.

- February 6
- March 6
- April: Listening Sessions
- May 1: Visits to correctional institutions
- June 5
- July 3
- August 7
- September 4
- October 2