

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING
OF THE
DRUG, GANG AND VIOLENT CRIME COMMITTEE
OF THE
ARIZONA CRIMINAL JUSTICE COMMISSION
AND
AGENDA**

Pursuant to A.R.S § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the **Drug, Gang and Violent Crime Committee** of the Arizona Criminal Justice Commission and to the general public that the **Drug, Gang and Violent Crime Committee** will hold a meeting open to the public on **Thursday, March 31, 2011** beginning at **12:30 p.m.** at the **Arizona Criminal Justice Commission Office, 1110 W. Washington, Suite 250, Phoenix, Arizona 85007.**

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Agenda for the meeting is as follows:

- I. Call to Order and Roll Call** **Chairperson Daniel Sharp**
Drug, Gang and Violent Crime Committee Members:
Daniel Sharp, Chairperson
Joseph Arpaio
Clarence Dupnik
Tom Horne
Bill Montgomery
Charles Ryan
- II. Minutes of the November 18, 2010 Meeting** **P-F-T**
- Approval of Minutes **P-F-T**
- III. Drug, Gang and Violent Crime Control Program Funding Proposals** **Tony Vidale**
- Review, discussion, consideration and possible action on the following:
 - A. Byrne/JAG Program Funding Level** **P-F-T**
 - B. Cycle 25 Grant Match Requirements** **P-F-T**
 - C. Funding Support for Priority 5 Grant Projects** **P-F-T**

IV. Call to the Public

Those wishing to address the Committee need not request permission in advance. Action taken as a result of public comment will be limited to directing staff to study the matter or rescheduling the matter for further consideration and decision at a later date.

V. Date, Time, and Location of Next Meeting

- The next Drug, Gang and Violent Crime Committee meeting will be held on **Thursday, May 19, 2011** at 1110 W. Washington, Suite 250, Phoenix, Arizona 85007.

VI. Adjournment

A copy of the agenda background material provided to Committee members is available for public inspection at the Arizona Criminal Justice Commission Office, 1110 West Washington, Suite 230, Phoenix, Arizona 85007, (602) 364-1146. This document is available in alternative formats by contacting the Commission Office.



**DRUG, GANG AND VIOLENT CRIME COMMITTEE
OF THE
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Request for Committee Action

Action Requested:	Type of Action Requested:	Subject:
March 31, 2011	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Formal Action/Motion <input type="checkbox"/> Information Only <input type="checkbox"/> Other	Minutes of the November 18, 2010 Meeting

TO: Chairperson and Committee Members

FROM: Tony Vidale, Program Manager
Drug Control and Systems Improvement

RECOMMENDATION:

The Committee approve the minutes of the Drug, Gang and Violent Crime Committee Meeting held on November 18, 2010.

DISCUSSION:

N/A

FISCAL IMPACT:

N/A

ALTERNATIVES:

Not Approve - Modify - Table

**Drug, Gang and Violent Crime Committee
Minutes
November 18, 2010**

A public meeting of the Drug, Gang and Violent Crime Committee of the Arizona Criminal Justice Commission was convened on November 18, 2010 at the Arizona Criminal Justice Commission, 1110 W. Washington, Suite 250, Phoenix, Arizona 85007.

Members Present:

Daniel Sharp, Chairperson, Oro Valley Police Department
Joseph Arpaio, Maricopa County Sheriff, Jesse Locksa representing
Terry Goddard, Attorney General, Theodore Campagnolo representing
Richard Romley, Maricopa County Attorney, David Rodriguez representing
Charles Ryan, Director, Department of Corrections, Charles Flanagan representing

Members Absent:

Clarence Dupnick, Pima County Sheriff

Staff Participating:

Tony Vidale, Program Manager
Wendy Boyle, Executive Secretary

I. Call to Order and Roll Call

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Daniel Sharp at 10:30 AM. Roll was taken and a quorum was declared present.

II. Minutes of the May 20, 2010 Meeting

Chairperson Sharp called for a motion to approve the minutes. Designee Jesse Locksa moved to approve the minutes of the May 20, 2010 meeting. The motion was seconded by Designee Charles Flanagan and was unanimously adopted by the Committee.

III. Residential Substance Abuse Treatment Grant Award

Tony Vidale, Program Manager presented the funding breakdown for the CY 2011 Residential Substance Abuse Treatment (RSAT) grant. The funds available for award include \$678,546 in federal funds and \$226,182 in required matching funds for a total of \$904,728. Mr. Vidale explained that the solicitation for the RSAT grant closed on October 22, 2010 resulting in the submission of six applications. Staff recommends funding (5) of the (6) applicants in the amount of \$655,832 for the CY 2011 RSAT grant award. Those programs recommended for an award are the Coconino County Sheriff's Office (EXODUS Program), Department of Corrections (Gemini Program), Maricopa County Sheriff's Office (Alpha Program), Department of Juvenile Corrections (RSAT Program), and Chicanos Por La Causa (Corazon Treatment Center) as shown on page 10 of the agenda. Chicanos Por La Causa was the only non-profit to submit a proposal for post-release treatment services. The Mohave County WestCare project did not meet the requirements of the solicitation. Mr. Vidale stated that funding unallocated in CY 2011 in the amount of \$248,897 would be available for the CY 2012 RSAT program in addition to any new federal award.

After review and discussion, Designee Jesse Locksa moved to recommend to the Commission, the award of \$655,832 in federal and local cash and/or in-kind match funds for the 2011 RSAT grant period beginning January 1, 2011 and ending December 31, 2011. The motion was seconded by Designee Theodore Campagnolo and was unanimously adopted by the Committee.

IV. Call to the Public

Chairperson Sharp made a call to the public. No members of the audience addressed the Committee.

V. Date, Time, and Location of Next Meeting

The next Drug, Gang and Violent Crime Committee meeting will be held at the call of the Chairperson.

VI. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 10:45 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John A. Blackburn, Jr.", written in a cursive style.

John A. Blackburn, Jr.
Executive Director

Audio recording available upon request.

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Request for Committee Action

Action Requested:	Type of Action Requested:	Subject:
March 31, 2011	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Formal Action/Motion <input type="checkbox"/> Information Only <input type="checkbox"/> Other	Byrne/JAG Program Funding Level

TO: Chairperson and Committee Members

FROM: Tony Vidale, Program Manager
Drug Control and Systems Improvement

RECOMMENDATION:

The Drug, Gang and Violent Crime Committee recommend to the Commission the amount of funding to be made available for Cycle 25 for the FY 2012 Drug, Gang and Violent Crime Grant Program beginning July 1, 2011 and ending June 30, 2012.

DISCUSSION:

Staff will discuss possible funding scenarios for the FY 2012 Drug, Gang and Violent Crime Control grant program (Cycle 25).

FISCAL IMPACT:

Significant to recipient agencies

ALTERNATIVES:

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TO: Chairperson and Committee Members

FROM: Tony Vidale, Program Manager
Drug Control and Systems Improvement

RECOMMENDATION:

The Drug, Gang and Violent Crime Committee recommend to the Commission no match requirement for the FY 2012 Drug, Gang and Violent Crime grant program (Cycle 25).

DISCUSSION:

During the Cycle 23 award process, the Commission decided to not require a match for funded projects. At that time, state and local agencies were struggling during the economic downturn and many agencies were not able to commit matching funds. Currently, agencies are experiencing similar funding challenges and a match requirement may be detrimental to core programs funded under the *2008-2011 State Strategy for the Drug, Gang and Violent Crime Control Program*.

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TO: Chairperson and Committee Members

FROM: Tony Vidale, Program Manager
Drug Control and Systems Improvement

RECOMMENDATION:

The Drug, Gang and Violent Crime Committee recommend to the Commission whether to open the FY 2012 Drug, Gang and Violent Crime Control Grant program to priority 5 projects.

DISCUSSION:

ACJC opened up the FY 2011 Drug, Gang and Violent Crime Control grant as a limited competitive grant for priority 5 projects. Priority 5 projects are essentially any project that does not fit under the definitions of priority 1 through 4 projects as outlined in the *2008-2011 State Strategy for the Drug, Gang and Violent Crime Control Program*. Approximately \$1.2 million in regular Byrne-JAG funding was used to support nine projects in FY 2011. Regular Byrne-JAG funds were made available for priority 5 projects because American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) funding was used for core projects (priority 1 and 3) in FY 2010 and FY 2011. ARRA funding will be expended at the end of FY 2011 and the program will not have the resources to support projects at the FY 2011 funding level.

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