



Family Violence Coordinating Council

Thursday February 12, 2015 MINUTES
Hennepin County Government Center
C1291 Executive Conference Room
12:15 – 1:30 PM

Fourth Judicial District Family Violence Coordinating Council

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Present: Avalon, Stephanie; Becker-Finn, Jamie; Brey, Katie; Brice, Sharon; Clyne, Sarah; Cutter, Judge Elizabeth; Eyal, Christine; Gassh, Anne; Jacobson, Michelle; McNaughton, Lisa; Milgrom, Aaron; Moses, Referee Patricia; Pabich, Ben; Rhodes, Brynn; Schneider, Torrie; Snow-Kaster, Christy; Staloch, John; Taylor, Jennifer; White, Sandra; Willms, Angela.

1. Welcome

2. Approve January 8, 2015 Minutes: Approved

3. Annual Report – Judge Cutter and Referee Moses

Those present reviewed the draft report. A copy will be emailed to the entire committee for a one week comment period. The final draft will be emailed after the one week period has expired for an electronic vote. Not responding to the vote will equal approval of the final report.

4. Governor's Task Force on Child Protection – Referee Moses

The Committee approved Christy Snow-Kaster's request to have the Civil Committee solicit comments and draft feedback on proposed changes to child protection statutes and rules. Referee Moses and Angela Willms will assist Christy with a final draft that will be sent to FVCC voting members for approval.

5. Violent Crime Hotspots – Michelle Jacobson

The Minneapolis Police Department received Byrne grant money to do a one year study to gather data that identifies what makes a specific area a hotspot. The Mayor's office is funding a north Minneapolis pilot outreach program that provides intervention to families at hotspot addresses where there are 911 calls related to domestic violence and no follow-up police report.

6. 2015 proposed Strategic Plan- Judge Cutter and Referee Moses

With the approval of the Committee, Judge Cutter and Referee Moses will draft a goal surrounding prevention. Once approved by the Committee, it will be added to the Strategic Plan.

Adjourn

Next Meeting: Thursday March 12, 2015

Future Agenda Items

Family Court Enhancement Project (FCEP)
Overview of access to court documents through MGA