

Eighth Judicial District Criminal Justice Coordination Council - Colfax/Union

Minutes

Thursday, June 26, 2025

12:00 PM- 1:00 PM

Via Google Meets

Attendance:

Colfax/Union Judicial District Court - Present	<i>Judge Steven Romero, Anita Sintas, Angel Bacca, Lexi Ortega, Hannah Smith, Dominic Martinez</i>
District Attorney-Absent	
Colfax/Union Public Defender-Absent	
Colfax/UnionCounty Magistrate Court - Present	<i>Judge Amy Hronich, Judge Mary Lou Harkins, Kristen Ordonez, Clorinda Davila</i>
Colfax County Vigil Maldonado Detention Center-Absent	
Colfax County Sheriff-Absent	
Colfax Adult Probation and Parole -Present	<i>Clayton Trujillo</i>
Colfax Team Builders- Present	<i>Jo Salazar</i>
Rain- Present	<i>Loretta Conder</i>
Juvenile Probation and Parole-Present	<i>Erika Meadows</i>

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Youth Heartline- <i>Present</i>	<i>Valerie Alderette</i>
Krossroads Behavioral Health – <i>Absent</i>	
Alternative to Violence-<i>Present</i>	<i>Tina Lever, Janese Little</i>
Pinwheel Healing- <i>Present</i>	<i>Amanda Segura</i>

Other Attendees: Paul Jenkins (Raton CDC), Denis Romero (LEAD), Ambrosia Trujillo (DWI Compliance), Ryan Boone (NM State Police), Dr. Bronwyn Neeser, DJ Martinez (DWI Compliance)

Agenda Item	Discussion	Action Step
1. Call to order		12:02
2. Approval of Agenda	JPO Motions, Youth Heartline seconds	Approved Unanimously
3. Approval of draft minutes from CJCC meeting held on February 28, 2025 and joint meeting draft minutes held on March 14, 2025	Rain motions to approve February 28, 2025 draft minutes, JPO seconds. Union magistrate motions approve March 14, 2025 draft minutes, Youth Heartline, seconds	Approved Unanimously Approved Unanimously

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4. Dr. Brownyn Neeser-HB8 and Competency Evaluations	<p>Hannah provides a little background on behalf of the new legislation. They are working on bridging the gaps in regards to competency. We are fortunate to hit the ground running as we have completed our SIMS mapping and have our Behavioral Health working groups running here at the 8th JDC.</p> <p>Dr. Brownyn: I am consulting with an evaluator group that does evaluations across the state. We are evaluating the criteria for civil commitment for competency. We are trying to get to know our judicial districts better. I will be coming to the provider breakfast in Taos, and will be able to make connections.</p>	<p>Make a broad outreach to the outpatient treatment centers to ensure they are at the next BH Subcommittee Meeting</p>
5. Pre-Trial Service Update- Dominic Martinez	<p>We just went live in Raton with our Pre-Trial services program. Judge Hronich has already sent referrals, and Angel has 5 clients already. She has completed multiple intakes. Our live date for Taos has been pushed back until further notice. We are getting started with intakes and GPS.</p> <p>Our next stakeholder meeting will be in July and can discuss these things further. We are here to support the judges and hoping to help out with the jail numbers.</p>	<p>Next Pretrial meeting will be held in July</p>
6. Open Comment	<p>Janese Little: We did not receive our funding from CYFD for the offender program. We would like to continue the program, but are looking for funding at this time. We had around 30 attendees. We are trying to close out any that can finish the program in the next couple of weeks. If anyone knows of any sources to tap</p>	<p>Looking for grant funding sources to help support their non-profit entity (ATV).</p>

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	<p>into the funding we are happy to hear about that.</p> <p>Denis Romero: We have received funds for the LEAD Program. We are going to launch the program in both Colfax and Union. We are in the process of hiring a case manager. We are expecting to hire a new case manager by the end of next week, and have the program running by July. Looking for a meeting space to have a stakeholder meeting July 9, 2025.</p> <p>Rain is going to be sponsoring a recovery and remembrance in September and looking for volunteers to help plan the event.</p>	
7. Next meeting	TBD	
8. Adjourn	12:54 JPO motions, Teambuilders 2nds	Unanimously approved

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