



The Contra Costa County Mental Health Commission has a dual mission: 1) To influence the County's Mental Health System to ensure the delivery of quality services which are effective, efficient, culturally relevant and responsive to the needs and desires of the clients it serves with dignity and respect; and 2) to be the advocate with the Board of Supervisors, the Mental Health Division, and the community on behalf of all Contra Costa County residents who are in need of mental health services.

## CONTRA COSTA COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH COMMISSION CRIMINAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE MEETING

Wednesday • June 8, 2011 • 3:00pm-5:00pm Concord Police Dept. • 1350 Galindo • Concord

## **AGENDA**

The Commission will provide reasonable accommodations for persons with disabilities planning to participate in Commission meetings who contact the Executive Assistant at least 48 hrs. prior to the meeting at 925-957-5140.

Participants agree to follow the Mental Health Commission Meeting Decorum Policy. Public Comment on items listed on the Agenda will be taken when the item is discussed. Times are approximate; items may be taken sooner than noted or out of the order listed.

- 1. 3:00 CALL TO ORDER / INTRODUCTIONS
- 2. 3:05 PUBLIC COMMENT

The public may comment on any item of public interest within the jurisdiction of the Mental Health Commission. In the interest of time and equal opportunity, speakers are requested to observe a 3-minute maximum time limit (subject to change at the discretion of the Chair). In accordance with the Brown Act, if a member of the public addresses an item not on the posted agenda, no response, discussion, or action on the item may occur. Time will be provided for Public Comment on items on the posted Agenda as they occur during the meeting. Public Comment Cards are available on the table at the back of the room. Please turn them in to the Executive Assistant.

- 3. 3:10 ANNOUNCEMENTS
- 4. 3:15 DISCUSS the issues raised by the May 10 site visit to the Martinez Detention Facility.
- 5. 3:30 CONTINUE the discussion from the May 13'2011 meeting concerning ongoing awareness for proper language in written and oral communication regarding mental health issues.
- 6. 4:00 DISCUSS the Sheriff's willingness to work with the mental health community using the website <a href="https://www.5150crisis.com">www.5150crisis.com</a>, with a goal of fewer 5150 incidents.
  - A. FORMULATE recommendations for the commission
  - B. APPOINT a liaison with the Sheriff and establish expectations for the role
- 7. 4:30 DISCUSS how CPAW might fund the 5150 efforts.
  - A. FORMULATE recommendations for the commission
- 8. 5:00 ADJOURN MEETING

The next scheduled Criminal Justice Committee meeting will be Wednesday July 13, 2011 from 3-5pm at 1350 Galindo Street, Concord.

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The Contra Costa County Mental Health Commission is appointed by the Board of Supervisors to advise them on all matters related to the county's mental health system, in accordance with mandates set forth in the California State Welfare & Institutions Code, Sections 5604 (a)(1)-5605.5. Any comments ore recommendations made by the Mental Health Commission or its individual members do not represent the official position of the county or any of its officers.