Skagit County Law & Justice Council

Don Marlow Chief of Corrections Chair **Lisa Janicki** Commissioner Vice-Chair

Jennifer Bononi Clinical Supvr, PHS Member-at-Large **Catherine Sisk** Jail/Court Coordinator Secretary

WEDNESDAY, January 9, 2019 8:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

Attendance:

DON MARLOW DON MCDERMOTT CAROL TOTTEN MATT MILLER DANIKA TROUPE RICH WEYRICH LISA JANICKI MELISSA BEATON MATT MILLER ROB SULLIVAN LIN TUCKER DEANNIE NELSON JEN BONONI TIM HOLLORAN DAVID SVAREN DAVID JEFFERSON MIKE LUVERA DEANNA RANDALL-

CATHERINE SISK JOHN SMALL AMIE TIDRINGTON DONNELL AUSTIN JERRY DODD

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I. Welcome – Don Marlow, Chair

Chair Don Marlow called the meeting to order at 8:15 a.m. and welcomed the Council and guests.

II. Introductions

Attendees, present at the start of the meeting, introduced themselves. The list of names of those attending the meeting is listed above.

III. Review and approval of November 7, 2018 minutes

The minutes from the November 7, 2018 Law & Justice Council meeting were reviewed. A motion to approve the minutes was brought by Lisa Janicki. Second by Jen Bononi. Motion carries.

IV. Presentation: SCCJC Behavioral Health treatment programs: RSAT (Residential Substance Abuse Treatment) and JTP (Jail Transitions Program) by Jennifer and Carol Totten, PHS

An informative presentation was held discussing the successes of the RSAT and JTP programs in the jail.

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V. Frequency of Law & Justice Council meetings

Chair Don Marlow brought up the subject of the frequency of the meetings and whether we should consider holding bi-monthly meetings rather than monthly. After discussion by the member group the decision to start having bi-monthly meetings was approved.

VI. Announcements

There was discussion among the members about the following topics:

- Using the Law and Justice group as more of a working group rather than just an advisory group
- Dedicating the meetings to topics involving initiatives
- Opioid action plan and how law enforcement fits in
- Adding a check box in Spillman (law enforcement database) if the event is considered an overdose
- Shackling issue
- Jail staffing
- Community Court
- Therapeutic Court
 - VII. Next Meeting: Wednesday, March 13, 2019
 - VIII. Meeting adjourned at 9:30 a.m.