

**ALAMEDA COUNTY
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS'
PUBLIC PROTECTION COMMITTEE**

**Thursday, May 25, 2023
10:00 a.m.**

**Location: Board of Supervisors Chambers
County Administration Building
1221 Oak Street, Suite 512
Oakland, CA 94612**

**Supervisor Elisa Márquez, Chair
Supervisor Nate Miley**

Webinar: <https://zoom.us/j/99247500951>

SUMMARY/ACTION MINUTES

I. Follow-up to the November 2022 Alameda County Sheriff's Office Update on Santa Rita Jail Programs and Contract Service Provider Operation - continued from April 27, 2023, agenda item #2
[Attachment](#)

Lieutenant Charles Joe, Alameda County Sheriff's Office, presented a PowerPoint presentation on the Santa Rita Jail Programs and Contract Service Provider Operation.

The presentation included information on the Reentry and Support Services Unit, statistics on jail population, recidivism rates, use of technology for incarcerated persons, commissary revenue, use of asset forfeiture funds, behavioral forensic health, Medi-Cal, CalAims enrollment, and the Veterans Program.

Speakers

Richard Speigman, Angelina Reyes, Jean Moses, Lawrence Cox, Karen Chin, and Brian Bloom commented on the Santa Rita Jail program update.

Purpose:

- Report progress
- Advocacy or Education**
- Request Public Protection Committee Recommendation or Position
- Other:

Recommendation from the Public Protection Committee: The Sheriff's Office will return to the Public Protection Committee to respond to the following questions posed by the speakers:

1. What does 'held in custody' mean as opposed to booked?
2. What are milestone credits?
3. What services do the Reentry and Support Services Unit deliver?
4. Are tablets equitably used by incarcerated persons, even those with limited resources?
5. How many of the 846 incarcerated persons with mental illness are seriously mentally ill?
6. Is the Welfare Inmate Fund funded from commissary profits?

II. Reimagine Adult Justice Update on Arrest and Jail Population Data Analysis (Element no. 2, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12)
[Attachment](#)

Wendy Still, Reimagine Adult Justice Project Manager and Special Advisor to Public Protection Committee and Wendy Ware, President, The JFA Institute, presented a PowerPoint presentation on Reimagine Adult Justice Update on Arrest and Jail Population Data Analysis.

Alameda County Jail Population Recommendations for Further Investigation

- Implement a Jail Population Review Team
- Increase the Efficiency of Case Processing
- Increase Data Management
- Reduce or Eliminate Federal Inmates
- Assess Behavioral Health Needs at Intake for Alternative Options

Speakers

Jean Moses, Lindsay Shachinger, and Lawrence Cox commented on Reimagine Adult Just Update.

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This item was informational only and required no Committee action.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Jean Moses commented that mentally ill persons are better served outside of the jail and asked about the arrest rate in unincorporated Alameda County.

Angelina Reyes, President, League of Women Voters, supports the establishment of a Sheriff's Oversight Board.

Derron Jenkins supports the establishment of a Sheriff's Oversight Board.

Ann Janks supports the establishment of a Sheriff's Oversight Board.

Micky Duxbury supports the establishment of a Sheriff's Oversight Board.

Charles H. Turner, Alameda County Workforce Development Board, thanked Wendy Still and Wendy Ware and commended them for their presentation and thanked them for accepting several of the community recommendations.

Norma Nelson, League of Women Voters, supports the establishment of a Sheriff's Oversight Board.

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