## Memorandum

Date: February 8, 2021

To: Community Based Organizations

From: Tanja Heitman

Chief Probation Officer

**Subject:** Juvenile Justice Coordinating Council

Community Member Representative



The Juvenile Justice Coordinating Council (JJCC) is a statutorily mandated Brown Act Commission whose multidisciplinary membership collaborates on identifying local needs, supports the development of relevant programs, and considers budget priorities for youth served by Juvenile Justice Crime Prevention Act (JJCPA) funding. Additionally, the JJCC develops the Comprehensive Multi-Agency Juvenile Justice Plan (CMJJP). Beginning in FY 2021-22, the Juvenile Justice Realignment Subcommittee of the JJCC is statutorily required to develop a separate Plan, "...describing the facilities, programs, placements, services, supervision and reentry strategies that are needed to provide appropriate rehabilitation and supervision services for the youth who are realigned from the state Division of Juvenile Justice to county based custody, care, and supervision or who were otherwise eligible for commitment to the Division of Juvenile Justice prior to its closure."

The JJCC is seeking a community member to be seated on the Council, with preference for formerly justice-involved youth. Applicants must commit to attending six meetings per year (February, April, June, August, October, and December). JJCC By-Laws, prior agendas and meeting minutes are available on the Probation Department's website

(<u>https://www.sbprobation.org/sbcprob/index.html</u>) An additional requirement is the completion of a two hour state mandated ethics training (<a href="http://localethics.fppc.ca.gov/login.aspx">http://localethics.fppc.ca.gov/login.aspx</a>).

If you meet the criteria for community member representative and are interested in applying for an appointment to the JJCC, please apply at: <a href="https://sbcounty.granicus.com/boards/w/23ff8404489256c3">https://sbcounty.granicus.com/boards/w/23ff8404489256c3</a>

Your application should also be submitted to the JJCC via Melanie Davis at <a href="medavis@co.santa-barbara.ca.us">medavis@co.santa-barbara.ca.us</a>. You can also contact Ms. Davis at 805-803-8644 for further information or questions regarding the positions. The deadline for receipt of applications is February 26, 2021. JJCC Workgroup members will review the applications to ensure they meet the minimum requirements at their March 18, 2021 meeting. The JJCC members will select the new member at the April 2, 2021 JJCC meeting.

We would also ask that you share this information with others you feel would be interested in serving on the JJCC. Thank you for your assistance and support!