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COUNTY'S REENTRY STEERING COMMITTEE SEEKS TO EXPAND MEMBERSHIP AND COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION

(SANTA BARBARA, CA) -The Santa Barbara County Community Corrections Partnership (CCP) invites community representatives to join a CCP subcommittee, the Reentry Steering Committee (RSC). The RSC is seeking to add voting members who represent the broad community affected by incarceration and involvement in the criminal justice system.

The RSC is a body of justice system representatives, community-based reentry professionals, and advocates working together to ensure criminal justice-involved individuals experience a successful transition from incarceration to community living. RSC members have the opportunity to voice their expertise in a forum that helps set program priorities and express reentry needs to leaders of the county's criminal justice system.

Formerly incarcerated, family members of the formerly incarcerated, advocates who are professionally involved in the treatment and/or rehabilitation and education of justice involved individuals are encouraged to apply.

To obtain an application please contact Lesley Stewart at lstewar@co.santa-barbara.ca.us. Applicants must apply by November 6, 2020.

Applicants must commit to attending six meetings a year (January, March, May, July, September, and November).

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For more information about the County of Santa Barbara Probation Department, go to www.sbprobation.org.

For additional information on the RSC, please contact committee co-chairs Deputy Chief Probation Officer Kimberly Shean at kshean@co.santa-barbara.ca.us or Sheriff's Inmate Services Director Deirdre Smith at das5276@sbsheriff.org.