



**FY2008 RECOMMENDATION/FY08-BP39 DEVELOPMENT OF STATEWIDE
ADVISORY BONDING GUIDELINES**

Status: Partial Implementation

Actions/Updates

2012 UPDATE

Upon further study the Bail Subcommittee decided to pursue a different plan of action. See the FY13 Bail recommendations for further information.

2012 UPDATE

The CCJJ Bail Subcommittee has been created to address this issue.

2011 OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE ACTION STEPS

Sheriff Grayson Robinson will lead the redevelopment and redesign of this recommendation and bundle it with recommendations L-7, L-8 and L-9.

2010 UPDATE

No implementation.

2009 ACTION/IMPLEMENTATION

Since the publication of the December 2008 report, this recommendation was revised to suggest the development of statewide advisory bonding guidelines. The Commission recognizes that some existing bonding schedules are antiquated and, in the interest of justice, recommends that these be reexamined and updated. The Supreme Court and the Chief Judges Council are encouraged to create statewide advisory bonding guidelines or give directions to jurisdictions to create such guidelines. The Commission will partner with the Judicial Branch to examine best practices in the area of advisory bonding guidelines. In addition, the Commission recognizes that the Jefferson County Criminal Justice Planning Committee has undertaken a significant study in this area and requests that representatives from this organization be included in these discussions of bond reform.

2009 BARRIER

This recommendation will return to the Commission for discussion. The Commission recognizes that the Jefferson County Criminal Justice Planning Committee has undertaken a significant study in this area and requests that representatives from this organization be included in these discussions of bond reform.

Description

A statewide committee should be formed to develop an advisory, statewide monetary bond schedule that is generally consistent across jurisdictions. Each judicial district should develop a committee of stakeholders to review the existing monetary bond schedule.

Agencies Responsible

Colorado Supreme Court, State Judicial

Discussion

This recommendation has not been implemented. This initiative furthers the Commission's mandates to "...ensure justice..." and enhance "the cost-effective use of public resources" [C.R.S. 16-11.3-103(1)].