



FY2015 RECOMMENDATION/FY15-CC03 Standardize community corrections board membership and composition

Status: Implementation Unknown

Actions/Updates

2023 UPDATE (JUNE)

During the FY 2023 Legislative Session, Senate Bill 2023-158 to reauthorize the Colorado Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice (CCJJ) was postponed indefinitely on May 7, 2023. Therefore, with the sunset of the Commission, all activities of the CCJJ ceased on June 30, 2023.

No further monitoring of CCJJ recommendations will occur.

2016 - 2022 UPDATE

No action was taken on this recommendation.

2015 ACTION TO DATE

This recommendation was included in Senate Bill 15-007 which was indefinitely postponed during the 2015 Legislative Session due to fiscal concerns. The recommendation was returned to the Community Corrections Task Force for further work with the intent to introduce a new bill in the 2016 Legislative Session.

2014 ACTION TO DATE

This recommendation requires statutory change to be implemented.

Description

Colorado community corrections boards from every judicial district must have a mandatory minimum membership that includes representatives from the offices of the district attorney, public defender, law enforcement, probation, the Department of Corrections, a victim or survivor representative, and a citizen member. Board membership should strive to reflect the composition and values of the local community.

Agencies Responsible

Discussion

To ensure consistency across jurisdictions, and to ensure that the voices of key stakeholders are heard, local community corrections boards must include, at a minimum, the perspectives of the

multidisciplinary group described above. Further, board membership should represent the configuration and the values of the local community.

This recommendation is proposed as a statutory change.