

**Sierra County
Board of Supervisors'
Agenda Transmittal &
Record of Proceedings**

MEETING DATE: May 17, 2022	TYPE OF AGENDA ITEM: <input type="checkbox"/> Regular <input type="checkbox"/> Timed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consent
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DEPARTMENT: Probation
APPROVING PARTY: Charles W. Henson
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AGENDA ITEM: Resolution authorizing the Auditor to make certain changes to the 2021/2022 JJCPA budget in regards to unanticipated long-term housing commitment in juvenile hall. (PROBATION)

SUPPORTIVE DOCUMENTS ATTACHED: Memo Resolution Agreement Other
2021/2022 JJCPA Budget

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: An unanticipated long-term housing commitment in juvenile hall has expended the budgeted \$4,500 for 2021/2022. The JJCC committee met on April 19, 2022 and approved an increase in the budget to cover the additional costs for this fiscal year.

FUNDING SOURCE: JJCPA
GENERAL FUND IMPACT: No General Fund Impact
OTHER FUND:
AMOUNT: \$11,000 One Time Expense

ARE ADDITIONAL PERSONNEL REQUIRED? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, -- -- <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	IS THIS ITEM ALLOCATED IN THE BUDGET? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No IS A BUDGET TRANSFER REQUIRED? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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BOARD ACTION: <input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Approved as amended <input type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Adopted as amended <input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> No Action Taken	<input type="checkbox"/> Set public hearing For: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Direction to: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Referred to: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Continued to: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Authorization given to: _____	Resolution 2022- _____ Agreement 2022- _____ Ordinance _____ Vote: Ayes: Noes: Abstain: Absent: <input type="checkbox"/> By Consensus
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COMMENTS:

CLERK TO THE BOARD _____ DATE _____

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF SIERRA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

**IN THE MATTER OF AUTHORIZING THE AUDITOR TO MAKE
CERTAIN CHANGES TO THE 2021/2022 FINAL BUDGET –
JUVENILE JUSTICE CRIME PREVENTION ACT (JJCPA)**

RESOLUTION 2022-

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors may authorize the Auditor to make budget changes pursuant to Government Code § 29125, and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Auditor is hereby authorized to adjust the 2021/2022 Final Budget transfers for the below noted Funds:

Increase expenditures: 8491002 (JJCPA) \$11,000

Decrease reserves: 8491002 (JJCPA) \$11,000

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Board hereby specifically authorizes the Auditor to make the above budget adjustments.

ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Sierra on the 17th day of May, 2022, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

COUNTY OF SIERRA:

PAUL ROEN
CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

HEATHER FOSTER
CLERK OF THE BOARD

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Hon. Charles H. Ervin
Hon. Yvette Durant
Superior Court Judges

To: Board of Supervisors
From: Charles Henson
Date: June 15, 2021
Subject: JJCPA, JPCF, and JJRBG Annual Budgets

Acronym	Full Name	Defined in	Cash in Account
JJCPA	Juvenile Justice Crime Prevention Act	30061 GC	\$41,000
JPCF/ JPAF	Juvenile Probation Camp Funding/ Juvenile Probation Activities Funding	18221 WIC	\$31,000
JJRBG	Juvenile Justice Realignment Block Grant	1991 WIC	\$250,000 (Initial award to be deposited)

GC = Government Code
WIC = Welfare & Institutions Code

Other Acronyms used

JJCC	Juvenile Justice Coordinating Counsel	749.22 WIC
JJC	Juvenile Justice Commission	225 WIC

Because of their similar sounding names, these two groups are easily confused. The JJC is a board of county citizens appointed by the juvenile court judge. Their duties can be found in §229 WIC and are summarized as follows, "It shall be the duty of a juvenile justice commission to inquire into the administration of the juvenile court law in the county or region in which the commission serves." The JJC was reactivated in FY 2020-2021 in Sierra County; it has nothing to do with budgets but could come before the Board with a petition to establish themselves as a Juvenile Delinquency Prevention Commission (JDPC 233 WIC) which could be eligible for funding from the above sources.

The make up of the JJCC is defined by statute. Their primary duty is to develop a

budget and action plan for the three funds listed above, which the probation department submits to the county board of supervisors for local approval and to the Board of State & Community Corrections (BSCC) for review and final approval.

This year the JJCC compiled a subcommittee per 1990 WIC to formulate a plan (1995 WIC) to address the JJRBG (SB 823 Juvenile Justice Realignment).

The JJCC and its SB 823 subcommittee is made up of the following:

- chief probation officer, as chair, (Chuck Henson) *Subcommittee
- representative from the district attorney's office, (Sandra Groven) *Subcommittee
- representative from the public defender's office, (J. Lon Cooper) *Subcommittee
- representative from the sheriff's office, (Mike Fisher)
- representative from the board of supervisors, (Sharon Dryden) *Subcommittee
- representative from the department of social services, (Lea Salas) *Subcommittee
- representative from the department of mental health, (Vicki Clark) *Subcommittee
- representative from a community-based drug and alcohol program, (vacant)
- representative from the county office of education or a school district, (James Berardi) *Subcommittee
- an at-large community representative. (Docia Bostrom)
- representative from community-based organizations serving juveniles (vacant)
- representative from the courts, (Ann Mendez) *Subcommittee only
- community member, (Derrick Koch) *Subcommittee only
- community member, (Stacey Hood) *Subcommittee only
- community member, (Lilly Bracher, a youth) *Subcommittee only

The duty of the JJCC is to, "...develop a comprehensive, multiagency plan that identifies the resources and strategies for providing an effective continuum of responses for the prevention, intervention, supervision, treatment, and incarceration of male and female juvenile offenders, including strategies to develop and implement locally based or regionally based out-of-home placement options for youths who are persons described in Section 602..."

Section 602 WIC is one of three sections that describes minors who come before the courts, probation or social services. They can be summarized as follows:

300 WIC: Children who are victims of abuse or neglect

601 WIC: Minors who commit "status offenses" (acts that are only illegal because off age (truancy, running away from home, etc.)

602 WIC: Minors who commit acts that are crimes regardless of age

Beginning the 2021-2022 FY, and annually thereafter, the JJCC subcommittee is tasked with constructing and maintaining a plan to present to the Board of Supervisors annually to address how funds will be allocated "to provide appropriate rehabilitative housing and supervision services for the population specified in subdivision (b) of Section 1990. In making allocations, the Board of Supervisors shall consider the plan required in Section 1995." "A local public agency that has primary responsibility for prosecuting or making arrests or detentions shall not provide rehabilitative and

supervision services for the population specified in subdivision (b) of Section 1990 or receive funding pursuant to this section:...”

Although not required by statute, this committee also discusses the budget and income derived from Juvenile Probation Camp Funding (JPCF).

JJCPA	JPCF/ JPAF
<p>30061(b)(IV) (B) Programs, strategies, and system enhancements proposed to be funded under this chapter shall satisfy all of the following requirements:</p> <p>(i) Be based on programs and approaches that have been demonstrated to be effective in reducing delinquency and addressing juvenile crime for any elements of response to juvenile crime and delinquency, including prevention, intervention, suppression, and incapacitation.</p> <p>(ii) Collaborate and integrate services of all the resources set forth in clause (i) of subparagraph (A), to the extent appropriate.</p> <p>(iii) Employ information sharing systems to ensure that county actions are fully coordinated, and designed to provide data for measuring the success of juvenile justice programs and strategies.</p>	<p>18221(b) WIC (b) Services authorized under this section include all of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Educational advocacy and attendance monitoring. (2) Mental health assessment and counseling. (3) Home detention. (4) Social responsibility training. (5) Family mentoring. (6) Parent peer support. (7) Life skills counseling. (8) Direct provision of, and referral to, prevocational and vocational training. (9) Family crisis intervention. (10) Individual, family, and group counseling. (11) Parenting skills development. (12) Drug and alcohol education. (13) Respite care. (14) Counseling, monitoring, and treatment. (15) Gang intervention. (16) Sex and health education. (17) Anger management, violence prevention, and conflict resolution. (18) Aftercare services as juveniles transition back into the community and reintegrate into their families. (19) Information and referral regarding the availability of community services. (20) Case management. (21) Therapeutic day treatment. (22) Transportation related to any of the services described in this subdivision. (23) Emergency and temporary shelter.

The JJCC has duly met on June 2, 2021, and approved the plan outlined below. The budget may not cover all existing revenues, but the JJCC wanted to make sure that the basics were covered in a timely fashion. Other options may be explored and if approved by the JJCC they will be presented to the board in due time.

JJCPA (8491002 - Account 5165) Requests:

Amount	Relates to	Description
\$4,500	(B)(i) incapacitation	Bookings & Commits to juvenile hall in Butte or Placer County.
\$3,000	(B)(i)...including prevention, intervention	Awarded to "Friday Night Live" program

JPCF/JPAF (8134000 - Account 5165) Requests:

\$2,500	(3) Home detention	Funds electronic monitoring.
\$5,000	(10) Individual, family, and group counseling.	Awarded to High Sierras Family Services

Further Information:

Juvenile hall & electronic monitoring:

- Sierra County does not have, or need a designated local juvenile hall facility. These services are contracted with Butte and Placer Counties. Juvenile bookings are somewhat expensive when compared to adult bookings, but fairly rare (average about 10 days a year). The current daily rate is approximately \$150.
- The probation department's electronic monitoring program costs about \$6 a day. Recent law changes prohibit billing juveniles or their families for the cost of electronic monitoring.

Friday Night Live (FNL):

- The total requested represents \$500 per FNL chapter (Downieville elementary, middle & high school, Loyalton elementary, middle & high school).
- The plan approved by the JJCC is to just transfer the money directly and have the program keep their own books, as opposed to having them bill against the amount.
- Truancy and school performance can be a major predictor of future delinquency and if it goes unchecked adult, criminality. According to a study published by U.S. Census Bureau, "while 18 percent of the general population does not have a high school diploma or equivalent, over 40 percent of the adult correctional population has not completed high school (Harlow 2003)."
- Although numbers can be deceiving because Sierra County is so small, according to the webpage Kidsdata.org, which cites the California Dept. of Education as its source, Sierra County has one of the worst truancy rates in the state.
- The FNL program attempts to reduce truancy and promote education by getting

students involved in their program.

High Sierras Family Services:

- The request is for \$5,000 that would support 50 hours of intense services for juveniles and their families.
- This budget will be kept by the probation department, with High Sierras billing against the total.
- The primary population is geared towards the needs of juveniles and their families that are not otherwise met by other available county services.