



Douglas County Local Public  
Safety Coordinating Council  
(LPSCC)

2018 Year-End Report

## LPSCC MEMBERS

**Chris Boice**, *Commissioner (Chair)*

**Joe Garcia**, *Community Corrections (Vice Chair)*

**Cherie Barnstable**, *Compass Behavioral Health*

**Dan Bouck**, *Umpqua Valley Public Defender*

**Greg Brigham**, *Adapt*

**Frances Burge**, *Presiding Judge*

**Jerry Chartier**, *Lay Citizen, former OSP*

**Lance Colley**, *Roseburg City Manager*

**Tracy DePew**, *Cow Creek Tribe*

**Aric Fromdahl**, *Juvenile Department*

**John Hanlin**, *Sheriff*

**Theresa Haworth**, *Oregon Youth Authority (non-voting)*

**Allen Hobson**, *City of Winston*

**Adam Jones**, *City of Glendale*

**Gary Klopfenstein**, *Roseburg Police Chief*

**Steve Mitchell**, *Oregon State Police (non-voting)*

**Sean Negherbon**, *City of Myrtle Creek*

**Mike Nores**, *Douglas CARES*

**Melanie Prummer**, *Battered Persons' Advocacy*

**Rick Wesenberg**, *District Attorney*

## Justice Reinvestment

Each biennium, LPSCC applies for state Justice Reinvestment (JRI) grant funding and makes allocation recommendations to the Board of Commissioners. Douglas County received \$1,642,267 for the 2017/19 biennium, which was allocated as follows:

- **\$588,333** – RSAT in-custody jail treatment beds
- **\$450,000** – RSAT drug & alcohol treatment services
- **\$246,627** – RSAT liaison / Release officer
- **\$108,658** – Specialty court DDA
- **\$92,000** – Douglas CARES
- **\$72,227** – Battered Persons' Advocacy
- **\$24,000** – RSAT-related defense services
- **\$24,000** – RSAT transitional housing
- **\$928** – LPSCC Coordinator supplies
- **\$49,268** – Remitted to Criminal Justice Commission for program evaluation

**JRI:** LPSCC applies for, reports on and monitors the use of state Justice Reinvestment (JRI) funds in Douglas County. The JRI grant funding stream was created by the Legislature in 2013 through HB 3194 to address the state's growing prison population and avert the need to construct a new prison. JRI-funded programs are intended to help counties rehabilitate offenders locally.

The program receiving the most JRI funding locally for the 2017/19 biennium is the Residential Substance Abuse Treatment (RSAT) program, an 18-bed drug treatment program in the jail. Other JRI funding is supporting: a jail release officer; a specialty court prosecutor; victims' services (Douglas CARES and Battered Persons' Advocacy); defense services; a transitional housing fund for RSAT graduates; and LPSCC coordinator supplies.

**Supplemental JRI:** Late in the 2017 session, the Legislature approved HB 3078 which, among other measures, created a \$7 million grant funding stream to support new programs focused on downward-departure cases. Douglas County was awarded \$298,880 of that funding, which was allocated as follows:

- \$268,992 – Downward-departure-focused Deputy DA housed in Community Corrections
- \$15,057.50 – Douglas CARES
- \$14,830.50 – Battered Persons' Advocacy (BPA)

## Behavioral Health Subcommittee

The Douglas County LPSCC identified the intersection of behavioral health and criminal justice as a priority area in 2017 and created a Behavioral Health Subcommittee .

The Subcommittee includes representation from law enforcement, the Courts, behavioral health service providers, the Jail, Mercy Medical Center, Umpqua Health Alliance, NAMI and other organizations.

The Subcommittee has focused on identifying and bridging gaps for justice-involved individuals with mental illness and/or substance abuse disorder.

A data-gathering initiative by the Subcommittee and Jail staff in February 2018 indicated that as many as 36 percent of individuals booked into the Douglas County Jail may have a serious mental illness. Among veterans, that number was 66 percent.

In September, the City of Roseburg and Compass Behavioral Health were awarded a three-year, \$750,000 federal grant to launch a Mobile Crisis program in and around Roseburg. The program will operate 12 hours a day, 7 days a week. Compass will hire 2 mental health professionals to respond alongside police to calls involving mental illness. The program is set to launch in March 2019.

LPSCC will continue to support efforts to open a Sobering Center and Crisis Respite Center to expand diversion options for the Mobile Crisis team.

## BH Subcommittee & Partner Milestones

- Douglas County Board of Commissioners passes Stepping Up resolution to reduce the number of people with mental illness in our Jail (*January 2018*)
- Subcommittee creates wallet-size resource card for releasing jail inmates and others (*April 2018*)
- S. River Community Health Center begins jail in-reach to help releasing inmates reactivate OHP (*June 2018*)
- Douglas County joins statewide Behavioral Health Justice Reinvestment effort (*July 2018*)
- Roseburg and Compass Behavioral Health are awarded \$750,000 Justice & Mental Health Collaboration Grant for Mobile Crisis (*September 2018*)
- Sequential Intercept Mapping (SIM) held to identify gaps & resources (*October 2018*)
- NAMI opens Chadwick Clubhouse for individuals with mental illness (*November 2018*)
- Subcommittee launches weekly "Connecting Point" resource room (*December 2018*)

## OTHER LPSCC ACTIVITIES 2018

- **Second Chance Tour** – LPSCC co-organized a Roseburg stop on the statewide Second Chance Tour led by Dave’s Killer Bread and the Governor’s Re-Entry Council aimed at increasing the number of employers hiring people in re-entry *(September 2018)*
- **RSAT video** – A LPSCC work group focused on the issue of low RSAT enrollment developed an informational video about RSAT to be shown to prospective participants and others *(April 2018)*
- **CPC evaluations** – Drug Court and RSAT underwent Correctional Program Checklist evaluations *(July 2018)*
- **LPSCC website** – County IT creates LPSCC website *(November 2018)*

## HOUSING SUBCOMMITTEE

LPSCC also created a Housing Subcommittee after identifying housing as a significant public safety need.

The Housing Subcommittee has helped shape the JRI transitional housing fund initiative, and has developed a list of transitional housing in Douglas County.

The Subcommittee is exploring ways to expand the availability of transitional housing in the area and address housing-related gaps in services for justice-involved individuals.