

MINUTES
CJCC MEETING
November 18, 2021
Meeting held via Zoom

Present were: Karie Kennedy, Jessica Flater, Craig Voldberg, Rich Green, Lori Gorseger, Judge Anderson, Jeremy Jacobs, Annette Barna, George Murray, Dave Willingham, Andy Albarado, Judge Stewart, Cassandra Clark, Jeff Wallace, Mark Schmitt

The meeting was called to order by Chair Jeremy Jacobs with the reciting of the Pledge of Allegiance at 7:31 a.m.

A motion to approve prior month minutes was made by Mark Schmitt. Second by George Murray. Carried unanimously.

Craig Voldberg gave an overview of what was discussed during the Criminal Court Review Committee meeting. He stated several topics that were discussed, such as remodeling or rebuilding the jail, double bunking and housing inmates, hiring a jail nurse dedicated for inmates, the mental health of inmates, rehabilitation programs for inmates, trying to reduce jail population, sexual assault in Rusk Co. and doing some sort of education in schools on sexual assault. Craig feels there was a great, in-depth discussion on housing inmates and how they are brought in. Jeff clarified that double bunking is done at the current time in the jail. Annette questions issues as to reimbursement from the state. Annette feels that having someone come from Dunn County to show us the programs they offer would be beneficial to us. Jeff stated they will start looking at the list from the meeting and prioritize what's needed to get done first.

Jeremy updated members on the CCS program. Jeremy will send out info on the services that CCS provides. Jeremy explained how someone who enters the program is self directed, and they choose the recovery program that works best for them. Jeremy encourages the members of CJCC to direct the public to Chris Soltis if they'd like to enroll in the program. He also stated how the program is an in home service program with some visits done via Zoom.

Judge Stewart questioned if someone has the old minutes and bylaws of CJCC. Jeremy will get bylaws together for everyone and send them out.

The next committee to report on their accomplishments will be the Data Committee.

Adjourned – 8:03 a.m.