



JUVENILE CRIME PREVENTION COUNCIL

March 25, 2026 JCPC Full Board Meeting Minutes

Members Present: Ramya Krishna, Jonathan Wilson, Alex Hurdle, Nicole Grant, Dr. Melissa Watson

Members On-line: B.J. Council, Frederick Kearns, John Morris, LiBria Stephens, Seth Kandl, Eric Johnson, Dr. Linda (L.A.) Cutler

Programs On-line: Quille Coath (PROUD Program), Arkeem Brooks (Project BUILD), Alvin Black (Teen Court), Cynia Black (Parenting of Adolescents), Raquel Dominguez (CRC), Tiffany Swoope (GRACED, Inc.), Yasmine Boone (PROUD Program), Cory Rawlinson (Project BUILD)

Guests Present: Coordinator Mogoyan- Interpretation Services Coordinator for DPS, Darryl Clark-Mixed Martial Arts & big Panda Boxing Program Director, Director Friedmann- Interpretation Services for DPS

Guests On-line: Ebony Reid, (CRC), Jennifer McRant (Youth Home Program Manager), Raven Walters (RYSE Assessment Center),

Staff Present: Walter 'Eddie' Crews, Roshanna Humphrey, Janice Williams

Excused Absences: Kevin McIver, Sgt. Larry Watkins, Laylon Williams, Renee Hill, Quanesha Archer, Commissioner Stephen Valentine

Absences: Abigail Holloway, Judge Clayton Jones, Duane Brinson, Maggie Clapp, Monica Burnette

I. **Welcome & Introductions:** Vice Chair Ramya Krishna

Vice Chair Krishna called the meeting to order at 4:15pm, welcomed and informed everyone in light of Chair McIver's absence she will preside over this meeting.

All in-house attendees introduced themselves; roll call was conducted for on-line attendees.

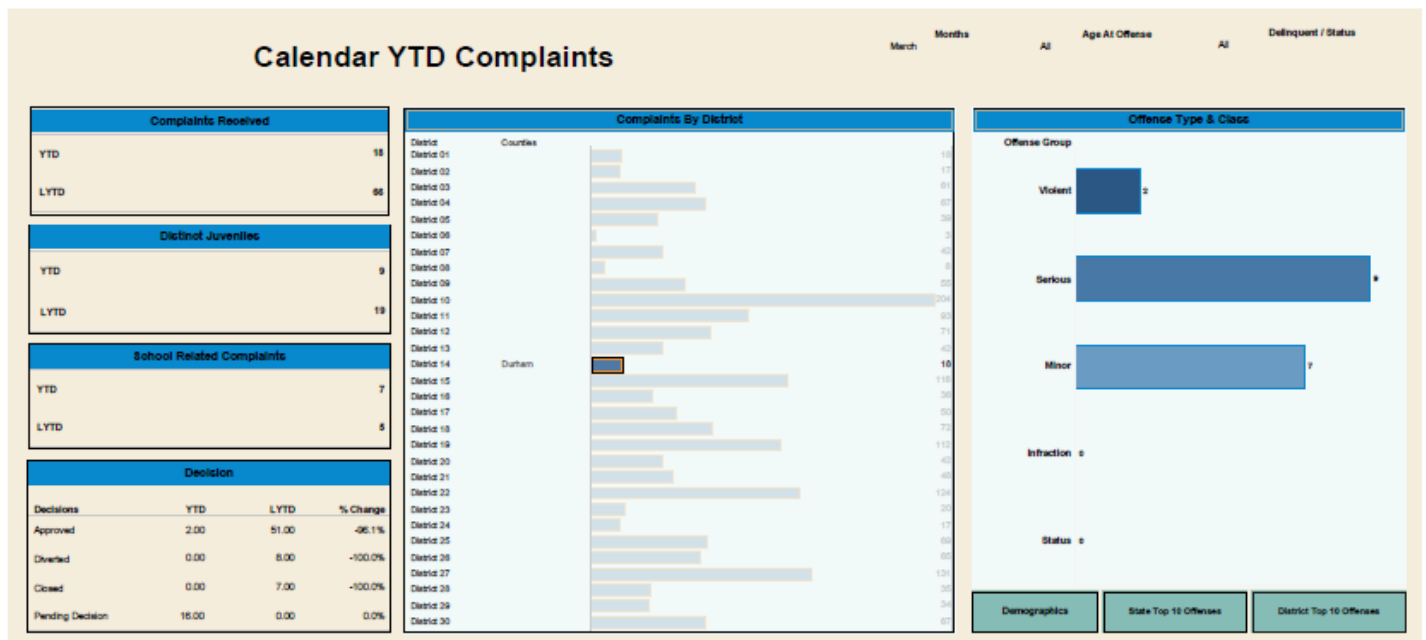
Quorum was established.

II. **February 25, 2026 Minutes review/approval**

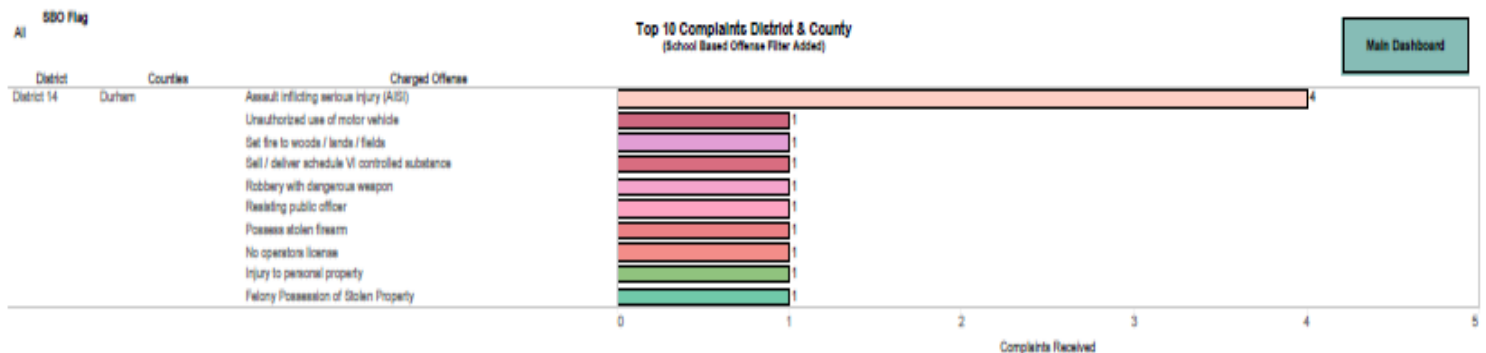
Vice Chair Krishna called for a motion to approve the February 25, 2026 minutes. Nicole Grant moved to approve the minutes as presented; Dr. Melissa Watson seconded the motion. The motion carried to approve the JCPC February 25, 2026 minutes by unanimous vote.

III. **Area Consultant Update:** *Walter 'Eddie' Crews, Central Area Consultant*

- Mr. Crews reminded everyone that the 3rd Quarter Accounting is due Thursday, March 26th which is representative of expenditures for 7.1.25 thru 2.28.26. Also, the dead line to submit a request for discretionary funds is Thursday, April 2nd @ 12noon.
 - a. **March Calendar YTD Complaints Report:** reflects data collected from March 1st – 24th, 2026
 - YTD complaints = 18 compared to last YTD (3.1.25 – 3.24.25) = 66
 - Distinct Juveniles = 9 compared to last YTD (3.1.25 – 3.24.25) = 19
 - Although 'School Related Complaints increased by two (2) juveniles totaling seven (7) compared to last YTD totaling 5, the number is still relatively low.



Top 10 Complaints YTD Report: reflects data collected from **March 1st – 24th, 2026**



- there were four (4) counts of ‘Assault Inflicting Serious Injuries’ which consists of two (2) juveniles
- the A – E Felonies are no longer reflected in this report since the new age law took effect

★ There was a report done by the Governor's Crime Commission that gives statistical information about firearm violence i.e. suicide and homicide incidents in rural, urban, and suburban areas.

(This report will be sent in separate email to all Council members).

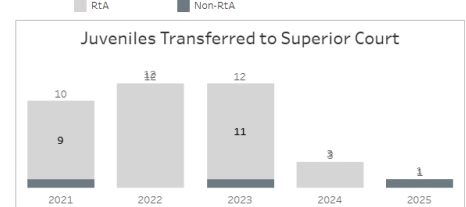
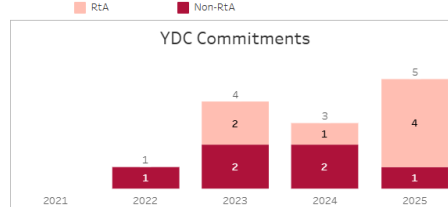
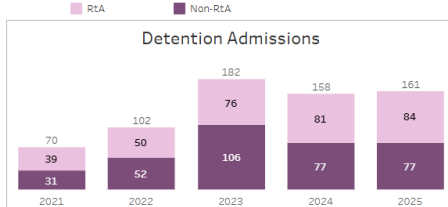
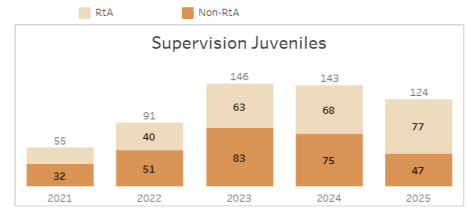
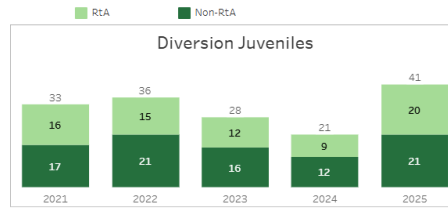
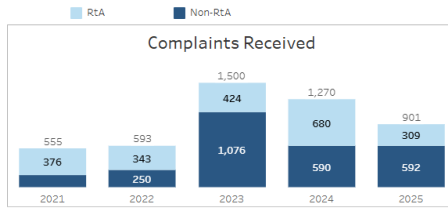
IV. **Court Counselor Quarterly Trend Update:** Nicole Grant, Chief Court Counselor

- Ms. Grant reported on the 5 Calendar Year Historical Trend data that distinguishes between Non-Raise-the-Age (Non RtA) Juveniles (ages 16-17) and Raise-the-Age Juveniles (RtA) (under 16 years of age).
 - Complaints Received = ↓ since 2023
 - Diversion of Juveniles = ↑ since 2024
 - Supervision Juveniles = slight ↓ since 2024
 - Detention Admissions = slight ↑ since 2024
 - Youth Detention Center (YDC) Commitments = ↑ since 2024
 - Juveniles Transferred to Superior Court = ↓ since 2024

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5 Calendar Year Historical Trend

Data is current through: December, 2025 (Refreshed Quarterly)
Raise the Age (RTA) law implemented on December 1, 2019.



? What does diversion mean for juvenile?

? How do we increase the number of diversions for juveniles?

V. **DPS Update:** Dr. Melissa Watson, Director of Student Alternatives and Supports

VI. **Community Presentation:** Darryl Clark, Big Panda Boxing

VII. **Program Updates:** February Monthly Reports were submitted by all programs and emailed to all Council members for review.

VIII. **Chair Update:**

IX. **Other Business/Announcements:**

X. **Adjournment:**

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made and seconded. Vice Chair Ramya Krishna adjourned the meeting at 5:35pm.