

SWITZERLAND COUNTY  
JUSTICE REINVESTMENT ADVISORY COUNCIL

MINUTES FROM JANUARY 18, 2023 MEETING

The quarterly meeting of the Switzerland County Justice Reinvestment Advisory Council was held January 18, 2023 at the Switzerland County Tech Center. Members present:

Judge Coy, Switzerland Circuit Court  
Steve Kelly, Dearborn County Court Services  
Jeff Theetge, Chief Probation Officer  
Natalie Williams, Juvenile Probation Officer  
Jeremy Eaton, 1Voice

Minutes from previous meeting were distributed.

Discussion was held regarding the Opioid Remediation funds received by counties and what could be done with those. Steve advised the uses available for the abatement funds and the unrestricted funds. Potential partners with uses for the abatement funds include Community Mental Health, Court Services, Health Department, CASA, Sheriff for training for fentanyl.

Discussion was held regarding Title 4(E) funds and possibly using those for parenting classes.

Although Switzerland County has not received any grant funds yet there was discussion about the possible duration of such funds and how long the county might be able to rely on them to hire other personnel.

There was discussion regarding certified pre trial services.

The JRAC grant applications will open sometime in February and will be due by April 28, 2023.

Further discussion was held regarding the limited availability of in patient treatment facilities within a short distance of Switzerland County.

There being no further discussion the meeting was adjourned.

The next meeting of the Switzerland County JRAC will be April 19, 2023 at 4:30 p.m., location to be determined.