



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

AGENDA

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE FUNDING AND STRATEGIES

Sen. Lena Taylor, Chair

Rep. Robert Turner, Vice-Chair

August 30, 2010

**Room 412 East
State Capitol
Madison, WI**

10:00 a.m.* CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL.

OPENING REMARKS:

- Terry C. Anderson, Director, Wisconsin Legislative Council.
- Senator Fred A. Risser and Representative Marlin Schneider, Co-Chairs, Joint Legislative Council.

10:10 a.m. COMMITTEE MEMBER INTRODUCTIONS.

10:15 a.m. CHAIRPERSON'S REMARKS.

10:20 a.m. DESCRIPTION OF MATERIALS DISTRIBUTED:

- Staff Brief 10-02, *Funding of State Criminal Justice Functions* (August 19, 2010).
- Informational Paper 81, *Wisconsin Court System*, Legislative Fiscal Bureau (January, 2009).
- Informational Paper 82, *State Criminal Justice Functions*, Legislative Fiscal Bureau (January, 2009).
- Report 07-9, *An Evaluation: Allocation of Prosecutor Positions, Department of Administration*, Legislative Audit Bureau (July 2007).

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- Letter Report, *Settlement and Judgment Awards*, Legislative Audit Bureau (April 2010).
- Memorandum, to the members of the Joint Committee on Finance, from Senator Mark Miller and Representative Mark Pocan, *State Public Defender Quarterly Report* (August 11, 2010).
- Paper #122, *Justice Information System Surcharge – Civil Legal Services for the Indigent (DOA – Office of Justice Assistance)* (May 26, 2009).
- Paper #310, *Prosecutorial Staffing (District Attorneys)* (May 19, 2009).
- Paper #515, *Increase Crime Laboratories and Drug Law Enforcement Surcharge (Justice)* (May 26, 2009).
- Paper #516, *Penalty Surcharge and Drug Offender Diversion Surcharge (DOA – Office of Justice Assistance, Corrections – Adult Corrections, Justice, Public Defender, and Public Instruction)* (May 26, 2009).
- Flow Chart, *Challenge of Crime in a Free Society*, President’s Commission on Law Enforcement and the Administration of Justice, 1967. This revision, a result of the Symposium on the 30th Anniversary of the President’s Commission, was prepared by the Bureau of Justice Statistics in 1997.

10:45 a.m. PRESENTATIONS BY INVITED SPEAKERS:

- Chief Justice Shirley Abrahamson, Wisconsin Supreme Court.
- Winn Collins, President, Wisconsin District Attorneys’ Association.
- David Feiss, President, Association of State Prosecutors.
- Nicholas Chiarkas, Office of the State Public Defender.

12:30 p.m. LUNCH BREAK.

1:00 p.m. PRESENTATIONS BY INVITED SPEAKERS:

- Attorney General J.B. Van Hollen or his designee, Department of Justice.
- David Steingraber, Executive Director, Office of Justice Assistance.

2:00 p.m. RESOLUTION AND APPOINTMENT OF WORKING GROUPS.

2:15 p.m. WORKING GROUPS MEET.

2:45 p.m. DISCUSS INITIAL WORKING GROUP MEETINGS.

2:55 p.m. OTHER BUSINESS.

3:00 p.m. ADJOURNMENT.

Other committee members: Reps. Brooks and Steinbrink; and Public Members Barrett, Birdsall, Caywood, Kempinen, Kremers, McNamara, Needham, O’Leary, Rome, Shapiro, Skilton, Stephens, and Wray.