

Incarceration Prevention Reduction Task Force

March 27, 2017

Whatcom County Courthouse Fifth Floor Conference Rooms 513/514, 311 Grand Ave., Bellingham WA
9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

AGENDA

| Topic | Requested Action | Presenter | Packet Page(s) |
|---|-------------------------|---|-----------------------|
| 1. Call to Order <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Upcoming meeting schedule• February 27, 2017 Meeting Summary | Review | Co-Chairs | 1 2 - 7 |
| 2. Committee Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Steering Committee• Behavioral Health Committee• Legal & Justice Systems Committee• Triage Committee• Jail Stakeholder Work Group | Information | Ken Mann Anne Deacon Stephen Gockley Chris Phillips Jack Hovenier | |
| 3. Can the Task Force can function as the Law and Justice Council? | Discussion | N/A | 8 - 9 |
| 4. Update by Jurisdictions on Jail Diversion Programs | Information | Bill Elfo Nick Lewis John Billester Darlene Peterson | N/A |
| 5. City of Bellingham partnership with the Lighthouse Mission for emergency homeless shelter capacity in Bellingham. | Information | Kelli Linville | N/A |
| 6. VERA Update | Information | Forrest Longman | N/A |
| 7. Phase 3 Report | Discussion | Forrest Longman | 10 - 11 |
| 8. Next Steps: Ideas & Further Information <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Initial Phase 3 Report timeline• Review assigned tasks | Information | N/A | 12 |
| 9. Other Business | | | |
| 10. Public Comment | | | |
| 11. Adjourn A Special meeting is scheduled 9:00-11:00 a.m. on April 13, 2017 at the Civic Center Garden Level Conference Room, 322 N. Commercial, Bellingham. | | | |