



Attorney General's Task Force on Victims' Rights Enforcement
Meeting Minutes
October 29, 2018; 1:30 to 3:40 pm
DPSST Board Room

Committee:	<u>Task Force on Victims' Rights Enforcement</u>
Attendees:	Ashley Anstett, Hon. Brad Berry, Nichole Brown, Dana Vidoni Carelle, Hon. David Delsman, Saydyie DeRosia, Amy Guyer, Christine Herrman, Debbi Martin, Robyn Masella, Steve Payne
Phone Attendees:	Cliff Bacigalupi, Alison Bort, Rosemary Brewer, Marc Brown, Steve Doell, Matt English, Jeff Howes, John Stein
CVSSD Staff Attendees:	Helen O'Brien, Stephanie Hoskins, Sherree Rodriguez, Shannon Sivell

Introductions, Appointment Updates and Welcome – Helen O'Brien

The group welcomed a guest, Nichole Brown, Saydyie's new manager at Department of Corrections (DOC). In addition Lt. Mark Cotter has retired from Oregon State Police (OSP) and Steve Payne is serving as the interim representative from OSP.

Minutes – Steve Doell requested the minutes from the July meeting be edited to include his input regarding the Facilitated Dialogue program of DOC and Psychiatric Security Review Board. With that edit, to be reviewed when complete, the group adopted the July 30, 2018 minutes.

Discussion

Changes to the process of requesting the three mile rule – Christine Herrman/ Robyn Masella

The Board of Parole and Post-Prison Supervision, (BOPPPS) has changed the way they include the condition that restricts an offender from living within three miles of a victim (the "three mile rule"). They will impose the condition (if appropriate) only upon the direct request of the victim along with their current address. Helen submitted a proposed edit to the Victims' Rights Request Form (VRRF) for Adult Cases in light of this new process. She suggested it should be placed on the back of the form, stating that the victim will need to contact BOPPPS or Community Corrections to assert the right. The group had general agreement to this idea.

Updates and Goals: Task Force and Subcommittees

Immigrant Crime Victims' Rights – Helen O'Brien

Immigration Judge Scala attended the most recent meeting and fielded several procedural questions from the group. Victims' Rights Law Center updated the group on services they are now offering and for which they currently have a lot of capacity.

Juvenile Justice – Dana Vidoni Carelle

Members of the juvenile sub-committee presented at the Oregon Juvenile Department Directors Association (OJDDA) Conference, for the second time. A streamlined version of the training will be given to Directors at a future meeting. The Victims' Rights 101 training has been included in the OJDDA conference training for the last two years. It is also now a part of the Fundamental Skills training for new probation staff across the state.

Post-Conviction – Robyn Masella

At the most recent meeting, the group received training on the DOC 400 system, software used by Department



of Corrections. They discussed the pros and cons of including victim contact information in this system through the lens of how victim confidentiality might be compromised. DOC has plans in place to replace the dated system, but cannot move forward until funding is determined in July. The January Post-Conviction meeting is dedicated to finalizing the victim toolkit.

Bench Guides – Kimberly Dailey

The bench guide is currently in the second phase of development and is under review at Oregon Judicial Department. The goal is to have it ready for the legislative session.

Best Practice – On Hold

Sex Offender HIV Test Results – Brad Berry

DA Brad Berry reached out to Oregon District Attorneys asking if they include an HIV test in a standard Sex Offender Package. The vast majority said they do not. He requested that they include a recipient for test results whenever it is requested. They agreed to do so.

Sex Offender Registry Update – Steve Payne

The Sex Offender Registry is now paperless. All State Police officers can register offenders and update their registration through their mobile tools application in the field. The public portal is being upgraded to allow the public to search for specific predatory sex offenders. Steve will do an updated presentation at the April meeting.

Action Item:

Helen will send an updated VRRF to District Attorney Victim Assistance Programs along with an email drafted in consultation with BOPPPS to explain the reason for the change.

Meeting adjourned at 2:30 pm

2019 Meetings:

January 28 – DPSST

April 29 – Portland DOJ

July 29 – DPSST

October 28 - DPSST