



Wexford County

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Gary Taylor, Chair

NOTICE OF MEETING

The Wexford County Board of Commissioners will hold a regular meeting on Wednesday, May 01, 2024, beginning at 4:00 p.m. in the Commissioners Room, third floor of the Historic Courthouse, located at 437 E. Division St., Cadillac, Michigan.

TENTATIVE AGENDA

- A. CALL TO ORDER
- B. ROLL CALL
- C. PLEDGE OF ALLIEGIANCE
- D. ADDITIONS/DELETIONS TO THE AGENDA
- E. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA
- F. EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION
- G. PRESENTATIONS AND REPORTS
- H. PUBLIC COMMENT
Designated for topics on the agenda only.
- I. CONSENT AGENDA
The purpose of the consent agenda is to expedite business by grouping non-controversial items together to be dealt with by one Commission motion without discussion. Any member of the Commission may ask that any item on the consent agenda be removed therefrom and placed elsewhere for full discussion. Such requests will be automatically respected. If any item is not removed from the consent agenda, the action noted on the agenda is approved by motion of the Commission to adopt the consent agenda.
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WEXFORD COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Regular Meeting * Wednesday, April 17, 2024

Meeting called to order at 4:00 p.m. by Chairman Taylor.

Roll Call: Present- Commissioners Jason Mitchell, Michael Musta, Ben Townsend, Kathleen Adams, Michael Bush, Julie Theobald, Jason Baughan, Brian Potter and Gary Taylor.

Absent-*None*.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Additions/Deletions to the Agenda-

DELETED Presentation by District Health Department

Approval of the Agenda

MOTION by Comm Theobald, seconded by Comm Bush to approve the agenda, as amended.

All in Favor.

Employee Recognition- *None*.

Presentation and Reports-*None*.

Public Comment-

Don Koshmider, Cadillac, noted that in the minutes it mentioned the paper asking where he gets his information. He gets it from InfoWars.

Consent Agenda

1. Approval of the April 3, 2024 Regular Meeting Minutes
2. Approval of the April 9, 2024 Special Meeting Minutes

MOTION by Comm Theobald, seconded by Comm Adams to approve the Consent Agenda.

All in favor.

Agenda Items

1. Infrastructure Alternatives, Inc. Wireless Dialer Quote

MOTION by Comm Baughan, seconded by Comm Potter to approve the quote from Infrastructure Alternatives, Inc. in the amount of \$5,300 to provide and install a mission dialer to the Cedar Creek Water System and approve the Chairman to sign the quote on behalf of the County.

Roll Call: Motion passed 9-0.

2. Resolution 24-13 Narcan Distribution Box Lake Street Property
MOTION by Comm Bush seconded by Comm Adams to approve Resolution 24-13 Authorizing District Health Department #10's Request for Placement of a Narcan Distribution Box at the Lake Street Property.

Roll Call: Motion passed 8-1, with Commissioner Townsend voting against the motion.

3. Courthouse Additional Sidewalk Repairs
MOTION by Comm Theobald, seconded by Comm Baughan to approve the quote from Schepers Concrete Construction LLC to provide additional sidewalk repairs to the Courthouse utilizing funding from the Maintenance Department's budget and to waive the three-quote requirement of section I.1.a. of Policy D-1.0.

Roll Call: Motion passed 9-0.

4. Sale of Sheriff's Office Motorhome
MOTION by Comm Adams, seconded by Comm Bush to approve the sale of the Sheriff's Office 2010 Phaeton Motor Home and authorize the proceeds be allocated to the Sheriff's budget to be utilized for departmental equipment as requested by the donor.

Roll Call: Motion passed unanimously.

5. Sale of Equalization Expedition
MOTION by Comm Baughan, seconded by Comm Musta to approve the sale of the Equalization Department's 2001 Ford Expedition and authorize the proceeds be allocated to the general fund.

Roll Call: Motion passed unanimously.

6. Budget Amendment
MOTION by Comm Theobald, seconded by Comm Bush to approve the budget amendment dated April 17, 2024.

**Wexford County Board of Commissioners
 Amendments to the 2024 Budget Log**

BOC Meeting Date	Acct	Acct Description	Revenue	Expense
	101-442-		\$	
2024-04-17	651.09	QPCR Grant	9,400.00	
	101-442-		\$	
	531.08	Beaches Grant	7,450.00	
	101-442-			\$
	702.03	Beaches Perm Employee		6,000.00
	101-442-			\$
	702.04	Time		1,000.00
	101-442-			\$
	860.03	Beaches Travel		1,100.00
	101-442-			\$
	860.04	QPCR Travel		400.00
	101-442-			\$
	800.09	Beaches Contracted		750.00
	101-442-			\$
	800.10	QPCR Contracted		7,600.00
			\$	\$
Total			16,850.00	16,850.00
Comment/Reasoning:				

Roll Call: Motion passed unanimously.

Administrator's Report-

Administrator Porterfield explained that the presentation was taken off due to a family emergency with Kevin Hughes. He also explained that the 3 quote requirement was being waived for the sidewalks because Schepers was already approved to do some other work to the sidewalks, and this was additional work that came up when they were here.

Mr. Porterfield told the Board that the Sheriff requested the listing on the motorhome start at \$100,000. The Expedition was being sold because it has not been used as much because of a charging issue. The motor is new, but there is a switch that needs to be turned off and is forgotten often.

His upcoming business included the Emergency Preparedness Meeting at Baker College, as well as the MAC Legislative Conference.

Correspondence-

1. Networks Northwest DPA Scope of Work

Public Comments-

Michael Mix, Colfax Township Supervisor, noted that he has been coming to meetings for 6 months now with little to no action. He spoke with Les Housler, who told him to fill the room with angry people like him. He doesn't believe in doing that. He was hoping to work with Commissioner Musta to get something done, and asked Commissioner Mitchell to reach out to Greenwood Township.

Don Koshmider, reminded the Board of the Agenda 2030. He noted that he was informed there are not any oaths of office on file for the Biden Administration. He also played a video for the Board. He is concerned about Agenda 2030 and the World Economic Forum. He asked that the Board watch the real news on InfoWars.

Nikki Schultz, Alliance for Economic Success, informed the Board there is a housing informational sessions coming. They are also beginning to work on the Rec Plan for the Chamber. She requested County support for the building of a woman's locker room at the Wex because woman's hockey is growing and they don't currently have one.

Liaison Reports-

Comm Townsend attended a MSUE meeting in Clare. He commended Eric Karbowski on the great job he is doing. The Airport had a meeting where they are gearing up for Wings on Wheels. The Library had a meeting to review their budget, and Networks Northwest has named a new CEO, Jamie McNabb.

Comm Potter attended a Road Commission meeting and was excited to announce they are ahead of schedule due to the mild winter. He attended a Clam Lake DDA meeting and the old Pioneer Apartments are finally listed. At the MAC Judicial meeting, they discussed the sunset on courts collecting costs which is ending May 1st. There is a bill sitting in Lansing that would hopefully push that to 2026.

Board Comments-

Comm Townsend read a letter put together by Bob Scarbrough of the options a township has to address the address ordinance issue. He noted that it is a liability issue for the County.

Comm Adams thanked Donnie and Ben.

Comm Potter wanted to note that if a citizen is not happy with a policy, they should discuss it with a Department Head, Elected Official, Administrator, or their local Commissioner.

Chairman's Comments-

Chair Taylor thanked Ben for his comment, and thanked everyone for attending.

Adjourn

**MOTION by Comm Theobald, seconded by Comm Bush to adjourn at 4:25 p.m.
All in favor.**

Gary Taylor, Chairperson

Alaina M. Nyman, County Clerk

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COURT SECURITY TRAINING

NSA has long provided education for those responsible for securing the courts and protecting the judiciary, those in the courts who serve the public, and the public who come to the courts to be served.

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- Emergency Responses
- Personal Safety
- Professionalism
- Security for High-Profile Cases
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\$380 each additional student

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BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM

FROM: Human Resources/Public Safety Committee
FOR MEETING DATE: May 01, 2024
SUBJECT: Address Ordinance Discussion

SUMMARY OF ITEM TO BE PRESENTED:

At the last Human Resources/Public Safety Committee meeting they discussed the concerns raised about the County's address ordinance. Administrator Porterfield informed the committee that he has spoken with the Building Inspector and County legal counsel regarding options for the township.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Human Resources/Public Safety Committee recommends the full board approve Administrator Porterfield to write a letter to the townships explaining their options regarding the address ordinance.

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Wexford County Board of Commissioners, held at the Wexford County Courthouse, 437 E. Division St., Cadillac, Michigan on the first day of May 2024 at 4:00 p.m.

PRESENT: _____

ABSENT: _____

The following preamble and resolution were offered by Commissioner _____ and supported by Commissioner _____.

**RESOLUTION NO. 24-14
SUPPORTING THE P.A. 511 WEXFORD COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS PLAN AND GRANT APPLICATION**

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Wexford County Board of Commissioners supports the P.A. 511 Wexford Community Corrections FY 2025 Plan and Grant Application on this date of May 1, 2024.

A ROLL CALL VOTE WAS TAKEN AS FOLLOWS:

AYES: _____

NAYS: _____

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED.

Gary Taylor, Chairman, Wexford County Board of Commissioners

Alaina Nyman, County Clerk

STATE OF MICHIGAN)
) ss.
COUNTY OF WEXFORD)

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of Resolution 24-14 adopted by the County Board of Commissioners of Wexford County at a regular meeting held on May 1, 2024, and I further certify that public notice of such meeting was given as provided by law.

Alaina M. Nyman, County Clerk

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

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Office of Community Corrections

Community Corrections Plan and Application
Fiscal Year 2025

CCAB Name: Wexford Missaukee

Email the application to:

1. MDOC-OCC@michigan.gov
2. Your assigned Community Corrections Specialist

DUE DATE: May 1, 2024

MDOC - OCA Use Only.

**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS
OFFICE OF COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS
FY 2025 FUNDING PROPOSAL**

Wexford Missaukee

Comprehensive Plans & Services

Program	Program Code	Funding Request	Approved Funding	Reserved Funding	Total Funding Recommendation
Group-Based Programs					
Education	B00	-			-
Employment	B15	-			-
Cognitive	C01	-			-
Domestic Violence	C05	-			-
Sex Offender	C06	-			-
Outpatient Services	G18	10,000			-
Other Group Services	G00	-			-
Sub-Total		10,000	-	-	-
Supervision Programs					
Intensive Supervision	D23	-			-
Electronic Monitoring	D08	-			-
Pretrial Supervision	F23	44,000			-
Sub-Total		44,000	-	-	-
Assessment Services					
Actuarial Assessment	I22	-			-
Pretrial Assessment	F22	28,043			-
Sub-Total		28,043	-	-	-
Case Management	I24	-			-
Substance Abuse Testing	G17	15,000			-
Other	Z00	-			-
5 Day Housing	Z02	-			-
Program Total		97,043	-	-	-
Administration					
Salary & Wages		36,457.00			-
Contractual Services		-			-
Equipment		-			-
Supplies		1,000.00			-
Travel		500.00			-
Training		-			-
Board Expenses		-			-
Other		-			-
Administration Total		37,957	-	-	-
Total Comprehensive Plans & Services		135,000	0	0	0

TOTAL FUNDING REQUEST	\$ 135,000.00
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FY 2024 - applied for \$120,000, received \$128,543

SECTION I: COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS ADVISORY BOARD INFORMATION				
Name of CCAB: Wexford Missaukee			Federal I.D. Number: 386007337	
A: GENERAL CONTACT INFORMATION:				
	CCAB Manager	CCAB Manager's Direct Supervisor	CCAB Chairperson	Agency Serving as Fiduciary of Award & Contact Person
Name:	Mistine Stark	Judge Jason Elmore	Judge Jason Elmore	Wexford-Joe Porterfield
Title:	Manager	Circuit Judge	Circuit Judge	County Administrator
Address:	437 East Division St	437 East Division St	437 East Division St	437 East Division St
City:	Cadillac	Cadillac	Cadillac	Cadillac
State:	Michigan	Michigan	Michigan	Michigan
Zip:	49601	49601	49601	49601
Phone:	231-779-9472	231-779-9490	231-779-9490	231-779-9453
Fax:	231-779-9102	231-779-9497	231-779-9497	231-779-9745
Email:	mstark@wexfordcounty.org	judgeelmore@wexfordcounty.org	judgeelmore@wexfordcounty.org	jporterfield@wexfordcounty.org

Type of Community Corrections Board:	Regional Advisory Board
Counties/Cities Participating in the CCAB:	Wexford and Missaukee Counties
Date application was approved by the local CCAB:	
Date application was approved by county board(s) of commissioners and/or city council:	Tentative Wexford Tentative Missaukee
Date application was submitted to OCC:	

B: CCAB MEMBERSHIP <i>(please enter "vacant" for any vacant membership position)</i>		
Representing:	Name	Email
County Sheriff:	Wexford - Trent Taylor Missaukee - Will Yancer	ttaylor@wexfordcounty.org w.yancer@missaukeesherriff.net
Chief of Police:	Adam Ottjepka	aottjepka@Cadillac-MI.net
Circuit Court Judge:	Judge Jason Elmore	judgeelmore@wexfordcounty.org
District Court Judge:	Audrey Van Alst	avanalst@wexfordcounty.org
Probate Court Judge:	Melissa Ransom	jmransom@missaukee.org
County Commissioner(s) <i>(One required for each member county):</i>	Wexford - Julie Theobald Missaukee - Dean Smallegan	theobaldjulie@yahoo.com act@theinastore.com
Service Area (Up to 3):	Substance Abuse Couns- Amy Cox	acox@catholicumanservices.org
County Prosecutor:	Wexford - Corey Wiggins Missaukee - David DenHouten	cwiggins@wexfordcounty.org ddenhouten@missaukee.org
Criminal Defense Attorney:	Robert Champion - Wexford Stephen King - Missaukee	Rchampion@wexfordcounty.org steve@kingkinglaw.com
Business Community:	William Fagerman Ashley Osowski	wfagerman@gmail.com ashleyosowski@gmail.com
Communications Media:	William Barnett	barnbill@gmail.com
Circuit/District Probation:	Melissa Bismack	mbismack@wexfordcounty.org
City Councilperson <i>(Applies to City or City/County Regional CCABs only – one from each member City/County required):</i>	Does not apply	does not apply
Workforce Development:	Vacant	Vacant

1. Does your CCAB have Bylaws? Yes
2. What steps does your CCAB take to orientate new CCAB members ensuring the understanding of their roles and responsibilities? **New members meet with the Community Corrections Manager and are educated on what Community Corrections programs and services are available to the Judges and community. They are introduced at the first CCAB meeting.**
3. What steps are your CCAB taking to fill vacant membership positions (enter N/A if you have no vacant positions)? **Vacant positions are listed in the local newspaper and on County Websites(s). Because we are such a small community, local board referrals are also made to fill vacant positions.**

SECTION II: DATA ANALYSES & COMPREHENSIVE CORRECTIONS PLAN

Introduction and Instructions for your Comprehensive Corrections Plan:

Michigan Public Act 511, also known as the Community Corrections Act, was established in 1988 in an effort to improve the State's prison commitment rates (PCR) through the development and utilization of evidence-based, community corrections programming that targets moderate to high risk/needs offenders. Counties and regions establishing a Community Corrections Advisory Board (CCAB) appoint member stakeholders as required by PA-511 to identify and target local criminogenic needs that impact prison commitments and recidivism. CCABs are obligated to abide by PA-511 and Michigan Office of Community Corrections (MOCC) requirements when receiving MOCC funding, including but not limited to data tracking and analysis, key performance measures, as well as minimum program eligibility and utilization requirements.

This Application serves as your CCAB's Comprehensive Corrections Plan. To be considered for funding, it must include specific and detailed explanation as to how your plan will impact State Board Priorities, local prison commitment rates, recidivism, and local priorities/initiatives through identified key objectives. Strategies to obtain key objectives as well as performance measures must also be identified. For the purpose of this application, the following terms and definitions apply:

- **State Board Priority Populations** – CCABs requesting funding must target at least one of the following State Board Priority Populations:
 - Sentenced Felons assessed as having moderate to high risk/needs when using a State approved actuarial, objective validated risk and need assessment
 - Pretrial Population
- **Key Objectives** – CCABs requesting funding must identify local Key Objective(s) for each of the following applicable categories:
 - **Reduction of Statewide Overall PCR** – *This is required for all CCABs requesting funding for any services/programming that targets sentenced felons.* This may include local objectives that impact Overall PCR, Group 2 Straddle PCR, OUIL 3rd PCR, PVT or PVNS Recidivism, or other categories that impact the State's Overall PCR. *You must identify at least one local Key Objective if your Comprehensive Corrections Plan targets sentenced felons.*
 - **Increase of Statewide Appearance and Public Safety Rates for Pretrial Defendants** – *These are required for all CCABs requesting funding for any pretrial services and/or programming that targets pretrial defendants. –You must identify both local Appearance and Public Safety Rate Key Objectives if your Comprehensive Corrections Plan targets pretrial defendants.*

Your CCAB may identify other objectives in addition to these required objectives.

- **Supportive Strategies** – Proposed OCC funded programming and/or services, identified by CCIS Code and Local Program Name, that are intended to support the objectives identified.

- **Key Performance Measures** – Identified in each proposed program description, these are the specific methods your CCAB will utilize to measure outcomes of programming and their impact on State Board Priorities.

Felony Data Analyses:

OCC will provide CCABs with relevant felony dispositional and recidivism data to complete the application. CCABs must analyze this data along with local CCIS data (reports run locally from COMPAS Case Manager) and develop key objectives and supportive strategies that will help attain local goals and support State Board Priorities.

A thorough analysis of the data should include:

- Overall PCRs, rates within sentencing guideline ranges, PCRs within Group 1 and Group 2 offense categories, status at time of offense and recidivism of probation violators, both new sentence and technical.
- Reference to changes in PCRs compared to prior year
- Review your past OCC funding proposals for ideas
- CCAB stakeholder changes
- New judicial, probation, or CCAB staff or other personnel issues that impact referrals, screenings, or programming
- Service provider changes or issues
- Trends in local criminality (example: increase in drug related offenses, decrease in probation violations, etc.)
- Development or changes in local court services or programming (example: new Specialty Court programming, changes to court programming eligibility, etc.)

Your data analyses form the basis of your objectives and strategies. A weak link between them may result in denial of, or conditional revisions to, your Comprehensive Corrections Plan. Therefore, it is important to demonstrate a solid connection between your data, objectives, and supportive strategies.

Your CCAB must then determine its proposed PCR category/categories based on this analysis, with consideration given to the average of the last 3 years. Your CCAB must then identify the strategies that will impact its PCR category/categories. **All strategies that you are requesting funding for must also be listed on the Budget Cost Description and have a completed Program Description.** If you request funding for a program or service that is not identified as a strategy impacting any objective, it will not be considered for funding.

Example #1: State Board Priority Target Population: Sentenced Felons.
Objective: To reduce the County’s Overall Prison Commitment Rate (PCR) to 16% or less.
Supportive Strategy: C01 Thinking Matters, G18 Intensive Outpatient Group, & B15 Employment Skills.

Example #2: State Board Priority Target Population: Pretrial Population
Objective: To increase the County’s current Appearance Rate from 87% to 90%.
Supportive Strategy: F22 PRAXIS and F23 Pretrial Supervision Services.

Example #3: State Board Priority Target Population: Pretrial Population
Objective: To increase the County’s current Public Safety Rate from 80% to 89%.
Supportive Strategy: F22 PRAXIS and F23 Pretrial Supervision Services.

A: FELONY DATA ANALYSES

1. Using felony dispositional data supplied by MOCC*, please fill in the rates (%) and number of dispositions for the **previous two years** in the two charts below.

**Please note: Due to MDOC’s transition from OMNI to COMS, full Fiscal Year 2023 data could not be obtained. Therefore, you are directed to use the partial year OMNI Felony Dispositional Data Reports for both FY 2022 and FY*

2023 provided by MOCC (date ranges of October 1 – July 31). **State Rates identified for both FY 2022 and FY 2023 reflect partial year data (date ranges of October 1 – July 31).

2. Does the following data exclude felony dispositions with prisoner status at time of the offense? Yes No

**FY 2022 State PCR:	18.6%	Group 2 Rate:	12.7%	Straddle Cell Rate:	21.3%	Group 2 Straddle Rate:	20.5%
Overall PCR:	25.5% - 61 prison dispositions out of 239 felony dispositions						
Group 1:	32.2% - 20 prison dispositions out of 62 felony dispositions						
Group 2:	17.5% - 31 prison dispositions out of 177 felony dispositions						
Straddle PCR:	35.9% - 23 prison dispositions out of 64 felony dispositions						
Group 1:	40% - 6 prison dispositions out of 15 felony dispositions						
Group 2:	34.6% - 17 prison dispositions out of 49 felony dispositions						
**FY 2023 State PCR:	19.4%	Group 2 Rate:	13.2%	Straddle Cell Rate:	21.0%	Group 2 Straddle Rate:	20.5%
Overall PCR:	33.8% - 82 prison dispositions out of 242 felony dispositions						
Group 1:	41.1% - 29 prison dispositions out of 70 felony dispositions						
Group 2:	30.8% - 53 prison dispositions out of 172 felony dispositions						
Straddle PCR:	51.8% - 41 prison dispositions out of 79 felony dispositions						
Group 1:	57.1% - 12 prison dispositions out of 21 felony dispositions						
Group 2:	50% - 29 prison dispositions out of 58 felony dispositions						

3. ANALYSIS

a. For returning applicants:

Did you meet all your Key Objectives for the previous two fiscal years? Yes No

b. For all applicants:

- i. Please provide information/local data analysis to explain any changes in PCRs and dispositions from the previous two fiscal years: **The Region continues to see very high rates of drug offenses (specifically meth). The increase of drug use has led to an increase in new arrests and charges among both felony probationers and new cases. Drug use and addiction continues to increase in our small rural area and it should be noted that because of this, the PCR rate and disposition numbers can change dramatically with just a few offenders. This is seen very much in probation violators that are struggling to maintain sobriety as required for probation. Both Wexford and Missaukee counties have had an extreme increase in the opiate and Meth use/addiction problems which result in new felony drug offenses. This trend is increasing and will have an impact on the rates and dispositions. Per the Circuit Court Judge, our PCR is largely impacted by recidivism. Particularly by those with multiple bond and probation violations. Locally, we have very limited rehabilitation programming and we see several repeat offenders with significant drug problems who repeatedly violate bond and then probation. Because of this our Circuit Court Judges feels that prison is the only option.**
- ii. Are you requesting programming for the Pretrial Population? Yes No **If yes:**
 - What was your FY 2023 Public Safety Rate? 86%
 - What was your FY 2023 Appearance Rate? 81%
- iii. Are you requesting funding for specific populations (examples: OUIL-3rds, delayed/deferred sentences, prison diversion, etc.)? Yes No **If yes, please provide supportive data and**

analyses for these populations, including any additional pertinent information necessary to establish trends:

B: FELONY RECIDIVISM ANALYSIS

Using felony recidivism data supplied by MOCC* (Report #3), please fill in the following table to report the number of Probation Violators ***that resulted in a prison disposition*** for each listed category. Regional CCABs should list the Probation Violation data for each County separately and provide a total, regional rate at the end of each row.

**Please note: Due to MDOC's transition from OMNI to COMS, full Fiscal Year 2023 data could not be obtained. Therefore, you are directed to use the partial year OMNI Felony Dispositional Data Report #3 provided by MOCC (date ranges of October 1 – July 31).*

*FY 2023 Recidivism Rates

County Name	Wexford	Missaukee					Totals for Region:
*FY 2023 Probation Violation - New Sentence to Prison							
Total	11	4					15
*FY 2023 Probation Violation – Technical to Prison							
Total	7	2					4

1. ANALYSIS

- a. *For all applicants:* Please provide information/local data analysis to explain any changes in Probation Violator data, including prison and non-prison dispositions: **Prison sentences for Probation Violations increased slightly from 2022 to 2023. Drug use and addiction continues to increase in our small rural area. This is seen very much in probation violators that are struggling to maintain sobriety as required for probation. Our local jails are experiencing increases in probation violations.**

C: IMPACTING STATE BOARD PRIORITIES

❖ TARGET POPULATIONS, KEY OBJECTIVES, AND STRATEGIES

NOTE:

- Target Populations include Sentenced Felons and Pretrial Population.
- CCABs applying for funding targeting Sentenced Felons must have at least one Sentenced Felons Key Objective.
- CCABs applying for funding targeting Pretrial Population must have both Pretrial Population Key Objectives (Appearance Rate and Public Safety Rate).
- CCABs may identify additional Key Objectives that support proposed programming.
- Key Objectives should be measurable and provide sufficient detail so progress can be monitored.
- Strategies are the local programs that will be used to impact your Key Objectives.
- Only proposed programs that impact at least one Key Objective will be considered for funding.

1. Key Objective #1 is intended to impact Sentenced Felons

Please state the Objective: **To reduce the County's Overall Prison Commitment Rate to 18% or less.**

List OCC Programs in support of Objective #1 (include CCIS Code and Local Name of Program *as they appear on the program descriptions*):

1. Pre-trial assessment F22
2. Pre-trial supervision F23

3. Substance Abuse testing G17
4. Enhanced Outpatient G18
<u>List</u> Non-OCC funded Programs in support of Objective #1:
1. Substance Abuse in patient Treatment
2 Other outpatient and Cognitive Programs
3. Temp services for job placement
2. Key Objective #2 is intended to impact Pretrial Population Please state the Objective: To increase the County's current appearance rate from 86% to 88%
List OCC Programs in support of Objective #2 (include CCIS Code and Local Name of Program as they appear on the program descriptions):
1. Pre-trial assessment F22
2. Pre-trial supervision F23
3. Substance Abuse testing G17
List Non-OCC funded Programs in support of Objective #2:
1. Substance Abuse Treatment
2 Other outpatient and cognitive Programs
3. Temp services for job placement
3. Key Objective #3 is intended to impact Pretrial Population Please state the Objective: To increase the County's current Public Safety Rate from 81% to 85%
<u>List</u> OCC Programs in support of Objective #3 (include CCIS Code and Local Name of Program as they appear on the program descriptions):
1. Pre-trial assessment F22
2. Pre-trial supervision F23
3. Substance Abuse testing G17
List Non-OCC funded Programs in support of Objective #3:
1. Substance Abuse Treatment
2 Other outpatient Programs
3. Temp services for job placement
4. Key Objective #4 is intended to impact Choose an item. Please state the Objective:
<u>List</u> OCC Programs in support of Objective #4 (include CCIS Code and Local Name of Program as they appear on the program descriptions):
List Non-OCC funded Programs in support of Objective #4:

D: COMPAS CRIMINOGENIC NEEDS PROFILE
1. Please list the Top 3 needs scales (medium/probable and high/highly probable combined) as identified within the COMPAS Criminogenic Needs and Risk Profile for all probationers provided by OCC. Additionally, identify both the local and proposed OCC strategies that will impact the identified needs scales. OCC funded strategies must be identified by CCIS Code and Local Name of Program as it appears on the program descriptions:
2. Wexford County FY 2023 Oct-July COMPAS data for top 3 needs scales for WMCC are:
3. 1. Substance Abuse - 76%
4. 2. Criminal Personality - 62%
5. 3. Cognitive Behavioral - 61%
6.
7. Missaukee County FY 2023 Oct-July COMPAS data for top 3 needs scales for WMCC are:
8. 1. Substance Abuse - 89%
9. 2. Criminal Personality - 58%
10. 3. Tie for 3 rd with Vocational/education 55% and Family Criminality 55%
11.

12. **Offenders with Substance Abuse issues will be referred to Substance abuse services including both inpatient and out patient programs (OCC funded G18 Enhanced Outpatient Group).**
13. **Other local programs intended to impact these needs that offenders will be referred to are inpatient, other outpatient substance abuse programs, vocational, educational, and employment programs as identified.**

E: LOCAL PRACTICES TO ADDRESS PERSONS WITH SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER(S)

1. How do defendants and offenders get screened for substance use services in your area (regardless of funding source)? **Community Corrections staff, jail staff and probation officers screen and refer pretrial defendants and offenders to NMRE (Northern Michigan Regional Entity or Catholic Human Services for substance abuse assessments.**
2. How do defendants and offenders get referred for a substance use assessment and subsequent appropriate ASAM Level of Care in your area (regardless of funding source)? **Community Corrections staff, jail staff and probation officers screen and refer pretrial defendants and offenders to NMRE (Northern Michigan Regional Entity or Catholic Human Services for substance abuse assessments.**
3. Are there any barriers or gaps in service to obtaining an assessment and treatment that your CCAB is requesting OCC funding to fill? **yes** If so, please describe in detail:
There are several gaps that offenders face in this area:
 1. **Defendants/Offenders often do not work or have money to pay co-pays or for testing fees. If they do work, many insurances have super high deductibles so the defendant/ offender can not afford to pay for the Substance abuse programs.**
 2. **Transportation issues are a big problem with offenders and defendants. Wexford and Missaukee Counties are very rural with minimal public transportation and most can't afford to use it. It is very hard for many to make it to town for counseling and other services such as AA and NA meetings.**
 3. **Because of such a rural area and only very limited services available for SA services and treatment, defendants/offenders often run into big waiting lists for availability of assessments, intakes and services.**
4. What non-PA 511 funded services are available in your area? Be sure to include treatment court services. **Catholic Human Services offer an array of outpatient services that are not funded by PA 511. Sobriety Court offers some funding for services as well as to those offenders that are diverted into Sobriety Court instead of a probation sentence.**

F: COMPREHENSIVE CORRECTIONS PLAN SUMMARY

1. Please explain how the Comprehensive Corrections Plan, in coordination with the local practices, will impact the State Board Priorities, and ultimately offender success: **The Comprehensive plan which includes valued programs such as Pretrial programs, Enhanced outpatient and SA testing continues to identify Felony and serious misdemeanor defendants/offenders into community corrections programs. Community Corrections Programs can be in lieu of a jail sentence, probation violation or as a condition of bond (pre-trial). These programs help save significant jail bed days and impact Prison Commitment Rates.**
2. **The Pretrial Supervision programs offer defendants an opportunity of sobriety, testing, supervision and positive progress before sentencing in front of the Judge. It also encourages Judges, Probation agents and prosecutors to place offenders in Community Corrections services instead of a new sentence to prison or jail, thus allowing offenders to have the opportunity to re-engage in recovery or positive environments**
3. What steps will you take if you find that you are not meeting your objectives, or your strategies are not being implemented as planned? **The Community Corrections manager will meet with the Community Corrections advisory board, Judges, Prosecutors, and Circuit Court Probation and Parole Supervisor to determine possible remedies and solutions to objectives not being met.**
4. Program eligibility overrides may be requested in writing to the assigned OCC Specialist. Please document any additional override procedures your CCAB has approved. **Cases rarely need an override into a program. If a override is needed, the OCC manager will consult with the OCC specialist to determine the appropriate solution.**