

Juvenile Justice Reform Council

Minutes

September 3, 2020
9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Virtual Meeting

1. Welcome and Introductions

- Secretary Sam Abed (Chair) called the meeting to order and briefly reviewed the agenda.

2. Approval of August 6, 2020 Meeting Minutes

- The minutes were reviewed and then approved with no edits.

3. Presentations

- These presentations can all be found online: <http://dls.maryland.gov/policy-areas/juvenile-justice-reform-council#!>
 - ***Under 13 Data. Celina Cuevas/Marta Nelson:*** Celina and Marta gave a presentation on demographic and geographic characteristics, charges, and court outcomes for youth under 13 in Maryland. The presentation was followed by a discussion among the members.
 - ***Survey Results. Anton Robinson:*** Anton Robinson gave a presentation on the fall priorities for the Juvenile Justice Reform Council (JJRC). These priorities are based on the survey results that were distributed to JJRC at the meeting on August 6, 2020.

4. New Business

- Next steps following survey results. Marta Nelson/Sam Abed.
- The members discussed these priorities and voted to combine some of the issues if they were overlapping or closely related in subject matter. This included age of jurisdiction for transfer/waivers.

- Marta asked the members to send any policy recommendations regarding age of jurisdiction to be voted on at the next meeting.

5. Adjournment

- Chairman Abed adjourned the meeting.