



# Cass County Local JRAC Council

July 10, 2024 3:30 PM Meeting Minutes

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**“Coming together to create a collaborative system of care that promotes evidence-based practices and utilizes data analysis to improve criminal justice outcomes in our local community.”**

**Council Members Present:** Sheriff Ed Schroder, Dave Wegner, Noah Schafer, Judge Lisa Swaim, Steve Snyder, Cody Scott for Travis Yike, Dr. Carrie Caldwell and Hillary Hartoin.

Hillary Hartoin, Court Services Director and JRAC Chair, presided over the meeting which was held on Wednesday, July 10, 2024 at 3:30 pm. A hybrid meeting format was used with in person attendance in the Bicentennial Room of the Cass County Government Building and virtual participation via Lifesize. A quorum was met.

## **Scheduled Topics:**

### **MEETING MINUTES:**

The May 29, 2024 Meeting Minutes were reviewed and presented to the Council for approval. Noah Schafer made a motion to approve; Ed Schroder second. Vote taken and unanimously approved.

### **OPIOID SETTLEMENT**

Ms. Hartoin gave an update on the current balances of both restricted and unrestricted funds with expense details and the receipt of CY23-CY24 funding and overview of the next round of Opioid Settlement Proposals that were received. Discussion took place. Counsel will review and make award determinations at the August 20, 2024 JRAC Meeting.

### **FINANCIAL NEEDS & BUDGETS**

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Directors Hartoin & Wegner presented their financial needs and budgets and present their CY24 Cost Savings Analysis and Community Impact Reports. It is one of the objectives of our Local JRAC to provide the County Council with information regarding the fiscal needs and services provided by our entire criminal justice system not only before the upcoming budget sessions, but throughout the year. Discussion took place.

### **GRANT OVERVIEW**

Court Services Director, Hillary Hartoin, reviewed the following the current pending grant applications and expected dates for award determinations.

Grant Description	Year
IDOC Community Corrections Grant	2025
IDOC Pretrial Grant	2025
IDOC Jail Treatment Grant	2025
IOCS Pretrial Grant	2025
Justice Partners Addictions Response Grant	2025

## SEA 9 REPORTING CY2024 QTR 2 REPORTS

Community Corrections and Cass County Pretrial Services presented both of their SEA 9 Electronic Monitoring Reports for review by the Cass County Local JRAC. Steve Snyder made a motion to approve; Ed Schroder second. Vote taken and unanimously approved. Discussion took place.

## Other Business

No other business.

## Council Comments

No other comments.

## Adjourn

There being no further business, a motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Lisa Swaim; Dave Wegner second. Vote taken and unanimously approved. Meeting adjourned at approximately 4:46 pm

Respectfully submitted ,  
*/s/Hillary Hartoin*  
 Hillary Hartoin  
 Director, Cass County Court Services  
 JRAC Chair