

AGENDA

Eau Claire County
Committee on Judiciary and Law Enforcement
Thursday, September 07, 2017 at 4p.m.
Courthouse – Room 1273

1. Call Meeting to Order
2. Approve Minutes from August 9, 2017 – Discussion/Action Page 2-3
3. Public Comment
4. Sheriff Department – Dianne Hughes
 - Update on Protective Status/Forfeiture Bill
 - Protocol/Policy on Rallies and Assemblies
5. TRY will be reporting second quarter numbers – Todd Tollefson – Discussion/Action Page 4-11
6. Future Agenda Item(s)
7. Adjourn

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MINUTES

Eau Claire County
Committee on Judiciary and Law Enforcement
Wednesday, August 9, 2017 at 5:30 p.m.
Courthouse – Room 1273

Members Present: Sue Miller, Sandra McKinney, Douglas Kranig, Brandon Buchanan, Jerry Wilke

Others Present: Judge John Manydeeds, Dianne Hughes, Judge William Gabler, Captain Dan Bresina, Attorney Keith Zehms, Sheriff Ron Cramer, Officer Andy Falk, District Attorney Gary King, Captain Joel Brettingen, Lt. Pat Christenson, Lt. Cory Schalinske, Ruth Ebert

Call Meeting to Order

The meeting was called to order by Committee member Chairman Sue Miller at 5:30pm

Public Comment

No public comments presented.

Approve Minutes from July 6, 2017 meeting

Motion made by Jerry Wilke to approve the 08/03/17 minutes. Motion approved 5-0.

Sheriff Department

2018 Budget

Materials previously provided – (Conversion of attached workbooks from one system to another seemed to cause issues)

2018 Budget Presentation by Dianne Hughes

Motion made by Jerry Wilke to accept the budget as presented.

Motion to Amend the Sheriff's Budget presented by Brandon Buchanan (attached)

Motion to Amend approved 5-0

Motion made by Jerry Wilke to accept the budget as presented with amendment.

Motion approved 5-0

Courthouse Screening Project

Judge Manydeeds shared security concerns and disturbance examples on the 2nd floor of the Law Enforcement Center. Judge Gabler gave an update on security cost and weapons that are brought in to the courthouse on a daily basis. Captain Bresina gave information on possible security enhancements. Committee requests additional documentation to review and consider. Update at a future meeting will be given.

Jail Staff Coverage/Hiring Process/Protective Services

Interviews today for jail staff vacancies. Committee presents ideas to Sheriff's Department for hiring. Sheriff's Dept indicates steps that are being taken to attract new hires and answers committee questions. Committee hands out written questions to be answered by the Sheriff's Department. (attached)

West Central Drug Task Force K-9 Program – Sheriff Cramer

There will be an addition of a passive narcotic dog, with funding through West Central Drug Task Force, to be used in the field and in the jail.

Consideration of Resolution #17-18/052 – Affirming the Need for a Sixth Court Judge for Eau Claire County – Judge William Gabler

Materials previously provided. Information and explanation of adding a sixth branch to Eau Claire County with the three key components being: need, local support and space. Comments/discussion by committee.

Motion made by Jerry Wilke to affirm the need for a Sixth Court Judge

Motion approved 5-0

Agenda Process- Discussion as to how the agenda is drafted and/or changed and who has the authority to do so.

Future meeting – September 07, 2017 at 4pm

Future Agenda Item(s)

Report back on recommendations from Clifton, Larsen, Allen issue – Dianne/Sheriff's Dept.

Brief overview of fiscal oversight of Sheriff's department – Dianne

Protective Status – September meeting – Dianne/Sheriff

Update on Forfeiture bill – Dianne/Sheriff's Dept. – September Meeting

Courthouse Screening Project – Judge Gabler/Sheriff Dept October Meeting

Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned by Chairman Sue Miller at 7:50pm

Respectfully Submitted by,

Ruth Ebert - Clerk

2017 CASELOAD SUMMARY (CASES OPENED)

	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th Quarter	Total
Eau Claire County:					
Family Cases	52	59			
Small Claims	148	125			
Parent Coordinator	1	2			
Family Assessment					
Financial					
Other/Voluntary	11	4			
Eau Claire County Total:	212	190			
Other Counties:					
Buffalo County	2	7			
Chippewa County	44	49			
Dunn County	21	30			
Pepin County	1	4			
Other Counties					
Other Counties Total:	68	90			
ALL COUNTIES TOTAL:	280	280			

TRY MEDIATION

EAU CLAIRE COUNTY CASE LOAD REPORT 2ND QUARTER 2017

MEDIATION CASELOAD:	
Eau Claire County:	
Family Cases	59
Small Claims	125
Parent Coordinator	2
Family Assessment	
Financial	
Other/Voluntary	4
Eau Claire County Total:	190

PARENT EDUCATION:	Classes Offered	Attendees
April	2	29
May	2	24
June	2	28
2nd Quarter Total:	6	81

2017 SMALL CLAIMS

	Cases	Resolved	No Agreement	No Show/Other
January	57	31	22	4
February	53	35	17	1
March	38	29	7	2
1st Quarter Total:	148	95	46	7
April	35	16	18	1
May	41	23	12	6
June	49	21	24	4
2nd Quarter Total:	125	60	54	11
July				
August				
September				
3rd Quarter Total:				
October				
November				
December				
4th Quarter Total:				
Year-to-date Total:	148	95	46	7

SMALL CLAIMS 2ND QUARTER COMPARISON

2017	Cases	Resolved	No Agreement	No Show/Other
April	35	16	18	1
May	41	23	12	6
June	49	21	24	4
2nd Quarter Total:	125	60	54	11
2016				
April	34	15	16	3
May	35	17	18	0
June	38	23	13	2
2nd Quarter Total:	107	55	47	5

**OUTCOME SUMMARY
2ND QUARTER 2017
(CASES CLOSED)**

	Agreement	No Agreement	Not Mediated/ No Show	Other	Total
Eau Claire County:					
Family Cases	36	21	7	1	65
Small Claims	60	54	11		125
Parent Coordinator					
Family Assessment					
Financial					
Other/Voluntary	5				5
Eau Claire County Total:	101	75	18	1	195
Other Counties:					
Buffalo County	3	3			6
Chippewa County	27	12	5	3	47
Dunn County	16	2	3	6	27
Pepin County	2	1			3
Other Counties Total:	48	18	8	9	83
ALL COUNTIES TOTAL:					

2017 PARENTING CLASSES

	Classes Offered	Attendees	2016 Comparison
January	2	34	30
February	2	37	27
March	2	29	51
1st Quarter Total:	6	100	108
April	2	29	24
May	2	24	29
June	2	28	24
2nd Quarter Total:	6	81	77
July			
August			
September			
3rd Quarter Total:			
October			
November			
December			
4th Quarter Total:			
Year-to-date Total:	12	181	185

2017 CASES CLOSED

	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th Quarter	Total
Eau Claire County:					
Family Cases	56	65			
Small Claims	148	125			
Parent Coordinator					
Family Assessment					
Financial					
Other/Voluntary	13	5			
Eau Claire County Total:	217	195			
Other Counties:					
Buffalo County	2	6			
Chippewa County	49	47			
Dunn County	29	27			
Pepin County	2	3			
Other Counties					
Other Counties Total:	82	83			
ALL COUNTIES TOTAL:	299	278			

2017 INCOME SUMMARY

	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th Quarter	Total
Revenue:					
Buffalo	\$750	\$750			
Chippewa	\$8,333	\$4,167			
Dunn	\$4,250	\$4,250			
Eau Claire	\$33,405	\$33,405			
Pepin	\$1,050				
Total:	\$47,788	\$42,572			
Mediation Fees:					
Buffalo	\$25	\$850			
Chippewa	\$1,457	\$685			
Dunn	\$640	\$625			
Eau Claire	\$1,721	\$3,220			
Pepin	\$175	\$145			
Other	\$353				
Total:	\$4,371	\$5,525			
Parent Education Fees:	\$3,970	\$4,275			
Other Income:					
Interest	\$65	\$23			
TOTAL INCOME:	\$56,194	\$53,145			