

MEETING MINUTES
Legislative Recidivism Reduction Task Force

Monday, September 16, 2024
2:00 PM
Room 171, Arkansas State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Members present:

Sen. Ben Gilmore	Mrs. Lona McCastlain
Hon. Melissa Richardson	Mr. Jerry Riley
Secretary Lindsay Wallace	Ms. Kim Clifton
Mr. Benny Magness (via Zoom)	Ms. Tammy Harris
Rep. Carol Dalby (via Zoom)	Mr. Jim Cheek
Sen. Clarke Tucker	Ms. Elizabeth Pulley
Attorney General Tim Griffin (Jeana Sherrill)	Mr. Chris Chapmond
Rep. Jimmy Gazaway	Mr. Scott McLean
Mr. Dan Shue	

Members absent:

Sheriff Tommy Sturgeon	Ms. Tabitha Branch
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A. Call to Order

Chairman Sen. Ben Gilmore called the meeting to order.

B. Adoption of Minutes

Dan Shue moved to adopt the minutes from the August 21, 2024, meeting of the Task Force. Elizabeth Pulley seconded the motion. The Task Force unanimously approved the motion.

C. Presentation by Counsel of State Governments Justice Center

Estrella Lopez and Carl Reynolds from CSG presented information on statewide criminal justice statistics, data gathered, and project updates for the Task Force's final report. Task Force members participated in discussions with CSG concerning the data presented.

D. Next Meeting Date

Chairman Gilmore proposed the next meeting date to be determined after consideration of task force needs.

E. Meeting Adjourned