



AGENDA

Criminal Punishment Code Task Force

April 20, 2020 at 12 PM

Conference Line: 888-585-9008

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Non-Prison Sanctions Subcommittee

This subcommittee will look at alternatives to incarceration, particularly in state prisons, along with diversion programs, specialty courts and departures.

Welcome	Secretary Simone Marsteller
Review and Discussion of Subcommittee Proposals	Subcommittee Members
Public Comment	Open to Public
Adjourn	Secretary Simone Marsteller

Non-Prison Sanctions Subcommittee Proposals:

Proposal 1: Allow law enforcement to issue notices to appear for Non-Violent, Non-Sexual Third-Degree Felonies.

Proposal 2: Give county jails/jailers statutory authority to release pretrial detainee inmates accused of eligible non-violent/non-sexual crimes on conditional medical release. The Florida Department of Corrections is permitted, pursuant to section 947.149, Fla. Stat., to establish a conditional medical release program and release pretrial detainee inmates who meet certain criteria.

Proposal 3: Amend Florida Statutes regarding diversion to mandate funding for diversion courts: Florida Statute 397.334 (Drug Court), Florida Statute 394.47892 (Mental Health Court), Florida Statute 394.47891 (Veterans Court), and Florida Statute 948.16 (Misdemeanor mental health/drug/veterans court programs). Create an oversight office of all diversion programs in the state for consistency. Oversight office to consult with subject matter experts for best practices. Recommend Legislature allocate appropriate sufficient recurring funds for implementation and operation of all the statutory diversion programs.