



IDAHO JUVENILE JUSTICE COMMISSION

Hakim Hazim, IJJC Chair
Bill Thompson, IJJC Vice Chair

STATE ADVISOR GROUP (SAG) MEETING

Idaho Juvenile Justice Commission, Tribal Council

February 20, 2026

10:00 AM

IJJC Tribal Council Members

Kootenai Tribe, Honorable Cynthia Jordan, Chair	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Shoshone-Paiute Tribes, Clarice Hall	<input type="checkbox"/>	Kootenai Tribe, Jennifer Porter	<input type="checkbox"/>
Nez Perce Tribe, DelRae Kipp, Vice Chair	<input type="checkbox"/>	Shoshone-Bannock Tribes, Honorable Leslie St. Clair	<input type="checkbox"/>	Kootenai Tribe, Autumn Diller	<input type="checkbox"/>
Nez Perce Tribe, Aaron Gould	<input type="checkbox"/>	Shoshone-Bannock Tribes, Myles Gallardo	<input type="checkbox"/>	Coeur D'Alene Tribe, Bernie Thomas	<input type="checkbox"/>
Nez Perce Tribe, Shirley Allman (Alternate)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Shoshone-Bannock Tribes, Bryam Beckstead	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>

Others Attendees

Marissa Evans, IDJC Planning & Compliance Manager	<input type="checkbox"/>	Leahann Romero, IDJC COPS Administrator	<input type="checkbox"/>	Others: Reanna Wadsworth, Shoshone-Bannock Tribal Court	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Jolene Brooks, IDJC Planning and Compliance Prog Spec.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Samantha Graefe, IDJC Planning & Compliance Prog. Spec.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		

Purpose	Subject	Owner
Open	Call to Order <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Judge Jordan called the meeting to order Judge Jordan reported Autumn Diller quit Jolene gave Reanna Wadsworth (Probation Officer with Tribal Court, Shoshone-Bannock) an overview of the Tribal Council and Idaho Juvenile Justice Commission, and the Tribal Council Action Plan. Jolene will email Reanna some resources regarding the Commission and Tribal Council Action Plan 	Honorable Cynthia Jordan, Chair
Action Item	Nez Perce Tribe – National UNITY Conference: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Total Requested: \$8,512.00 Did not vote on this action item due to quorum not being present at the meeting Jolene will speak with Marissa about options for voting on this before the Conference 	Members
Discussion Item	Access and Barriers to Mental Health Treatment for Indigenous Youth <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reanna reported issues getting mental health access for Shoshone-Bannock Youth – Judge Jordan would like to discuss this further at the June meeting. The Coeur d'Alene is working on a Mental Health Court implementation Youth are being placed in juvenile detention due to unaddressed mental health difficulties, as well as youth being placed in juvenile detention in order to obtain mental health services. What does Assessment Center availability look like for tribal youth? Coeur d'Alene has a behavioral health center that is hoping to address adolescent needs 	Members



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shoshone-Banock behavioral health just started adolescent services at Cedar House. There are talks of the Shoshone-Bannock trying to start a mental health court • Healing Lodge in Spokane is utilized by the Kootenai and CDA tribes for inpatient substance use treatment • Lack of dual-diagnosis treatment providers is also a large barrier 	
Discussion Item	Review of Tribal Council Action Plan <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Noted we would like to have more youth participation • Would like to have more data and understanding on Native American youth who are currently being detained • Judge Jordan discussed some youth she wants to invite to join the Tribal Committee. All are participants in the Kootenai Tribe Treatment Court 	Members
Discussion Item	Title II Budget Update <i>Native American Program Funds:</i> <i>FY22 = \$6,934; FY23 = \$22,000.00</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jolene provided an update on where we currently stand with funds, as outlined above. 	Jolene Brooks, IDJC
Discussion Item	Resources on Native Youth Justice <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • www.indian-affairs.org/NativeYouthJustice.html - Jolene will send via email <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Review the website to see if there is anything that outlines some initiatives we would want to take as a tribal council • Strengthening the Circle: Collaboration to Support Native Youth Webinar – something to review 	Members
Discussion Item	Roundtable <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For the upcoming three-year plan, an idea to focus on what some of the biggest issues the tribal youth are currently facing and what we can do as a tribal council to tackle these issues? 	Members
Adjourn	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Judge Jordan adjourned the meeting 	Chair