

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE BROWN COUNTY
CRIMINAL JUSTICE COORDINATING BOARD**

Pursuant to Section 19.84 Wisconsin Statutes, a regular meeting of the **Brown County Criminal Justice Coordinating Board** was held on Tuesday, February 23, 2010, in the Truttman Room of the Law Enforcement Center – 300 East Walnut Street, Green Bay.

Present: Judge Kendall Kelley-Chair, Supervisor Pat Evans, Jayme Sellen, Lisa Wilson, Brian Shoup, D.A. John Zakowski.

Excused: Sheriff Kocken, Andy Williams, Jim Arts, Jeffrey Cano, Don Hein, Jack Jadin, Jed Neuman.

Citizen Reps: Tim McNulty.

Excused: Dr. Gerald Wellens, Jeffrey Jazgar.

Also Present: Nicole Naze, Greg Urban.

1. **Call Meeting to Order:**

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Evans at 3:40 p.m.

2. **Approve/Modify Agenda:**

**Motion made by J. Jadin and seconded by J. Zakowski to approve. Vote taken.
MOTION APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY.**

3. **Approve/Modify Minutes of January 26, 2010:**

**Motion made by J. Sellen and seconded by L. Wilson to approve. Vote taken.
MOTION APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY.**

(Chair Judge Kelley arrived at 3:46 p.m.)

4. **Report from the District Attorney Regarding Drug Prosecution (D.A. John Zakowski):**

District Attorney's Office Intern, Nicole Naze distributed copies from a 12-month study (copy filed in County Clerk's Office) re: Criminal Drug Charges Filed in January 2009 and 2009 Drug Prosecution Study Brown County, WI. Zakowski stated that he felt the information provided in the reports would be all that could be obtained from the database. Zakowski stated that whatever the committee wanted to do with the information was now up to them and said all the information is there, every case that had crossed their desks in 2009. He explained that Ms. Naze had graphed the types of drug cases that were charged by gender, race, and age for the entire drug conviction. He stated what the committee had talked about at their last meeting was with regards to felonies and whether or not the felonies were (1) due to simple possession cases which were subsequent possessions and, therefore, status offenses that became felonies; or (2) more in line with what is considered felonies such as possession with intent to deliver. Zakowski provided the drugs of choice ranked in order from most to least for certain counties:

- Racine County—cocaine, heroin, THC, prescription drugs
- Sheboygan—cocaine, THC, heroin, oxycontin
- Dane—heroin, cocaine, marijuana
- St. Croix—not available; however, meth numbers continue to increase

Zakowski thanked Ms. Naze for all the work she put into producing this information and asked if any additional information was needed. Ms. Naze added that the disposition of cases is through February 1st.

**Motion made by P. Evans and seconded by L. Wilson to approve. Vote taken.
MOTION APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY.**

5. Community Drug Education Programs (D.A. John Zakowski):

When Zakowski asked about the type of information needed other than a list of programs, Chair Judge Kelley suggested including the effectiveness of the current programs. Brian Shoup, Director of Human Services, added that there are studies available with comparative program-specific data for prevention approaches as well as treatment approaches; and he offered to provide this information for this Board. Chair Judge Kelley responded that this could be very helpful.

**Motion made by P. Evans and seconded by J. Zakowski to hold until next meeting.
MOTION APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY.**

6. Nature of Response to County Board Request for Research and Report Regarding Drug Problem in Brown County.

Supervisor Evans opined that this report is fantastic and asked if all of this information would be presented to the Public Safety Committee, to which Zakowski replied in the affirmative. He added that his understanding was that once the County Board had the information, the County Board would be able to determine the most effective use of its resources. Supervisor Evans stressed the importance of providing the entire report as opposed to one or two summary pages when making presentations before the Public Safety Committee and County Board.

Chair Judge Kelley agreed and added that this is an excellent collection of data. He asked for input from those present as to the future direction of this Board. Supervisor Evans suggested offering this information, even though there will be a new County Board and Public Safety Committee in 2 months, and determine whether or not this Board should draw some conclusions as to programs needed, etc. Supervisor Evans opined that, since this Board has members who are closer to this issue than the County Board does, this Board should start to delve into solutions and make recommendations. Supervisor Evans recommended sending this data to every policing agency in Brown County if this issue is sent back to this Board; because he thinks this is a powerful tool.

Motion made by P. Evans and seconded by J. Zakowski to receive and place on file. MOTION APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY.

7. OWI Law Changes (Judge Kelley):

**Motion made by P. Evans and seconded by J. Zakowski to hold until next meeting.
MOTION APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY.**

8. Such Other Matters as Authorized by Law: None.

9. Adjourn:

**Motion made by P. Evans and seconded by J. Zakowski to adjourn at 4:25 p.m.
Vote taken. MOTION APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY.**

Respectfully submitted,
Alicia A. Loehlein
Recording Secretary