

Interstate Compact Council Meeting Summary

Date: February 19, 2019
Time: 10:00 – 11:30 am
Location: DOME, Room 176

Compact Council Members and Meeting Participants

√	Jeremiah Stromberg, Chair Compact Commissioner Department of Corrections Assistant Director	√	Mark Patterson, Deputy Compact Administrator Oregon Interstate Compact/Extraditions Department of Corrections		Fran Lushenko, Governor's Officer State Extradition Officer Governor's Appointment	√	Annette Chrisemer, Marion County Victim Advocate (Pending Governor's Appointment) *Nicole Townsend in f/Annette Chrisemer*
	Tom Bergin, Sheriff Clatsop County OSSA Appointment	√	Honorable Kelly Skye, Judicial Appointment	√	Brad Berry, District Attorney Yamhill County ODDA Appointment		VACANT Commissioner, Juvenile Interstate Compact
	Tina Potter, PO Tri-County Community Corrections OACCD Appointment	√	Jake Greer, Director Lake County Community Corrections OACCD Appointment	√	Heather Fowler, Parole/Probation Officer Multnomah County Department of Community Justice OACCD Appointment		Vacant Public Defender
	Gloria Soja, OYA Deputy Compact Administrator Juvenile Interstate Compact		Heidi Moawad Governor's Appointment		Vacant House Appointment		The Honorable Senator Floyd Prozanski Senate Appointment

Meeting Discussions

Agenda Item	Summary
Welcome and Introductions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introductions were made. Jeremiah Stromberg opened the meeting and welcomed the group. A few members are absent. Jeremiah explained that they will work on meeting again early next year.

Oregon Interstate Compact Update

- Mark Patterson: Shared that Jeremiah has become the National Chair of the Interstate Compact. First person from the western part of the country and first person from Oregon.
- Oregon is cutting edge when it comes to working with victims and we want to have input nationally.
- Mark Patterson: Introduced himself and explained that he is the Deputy Compact Administrator and he has a staff of 3. He explained how Oregon Interstate Compact works and who they serve. Khirs Nunnery and Manette Emra handle work load and Ruby McClorey handles email and is the lead worker for Compact.
- 2019 List of trainings (see power point). Mark joins groups to help them understand how to work with victim notification. Involved in all workgroups to help keep contact on the list and keep them up to date.
- Parole and Probation Training – Mark travels to the various counties around the state and assists with training on the Compact rules in addition to explaining the day to day process of the Compact process.
- **Deschutes County DA's and Judges training**
- Transport Unit has been added to the Compact State Council Meeting- Nicole Townsend represented today
- Jeremiah Stromberg: Discussed the new manual
- 2019 Upcoming trainings – National Groups: New training for user, annual meeting coming up in October 2019.
- Mark Patterson: Offers to come out and do training for DA's Judges. Jake said he would like to have Mark come to Lake County and train once they have new District Attorney.

- No significant rule changes in 2018. Moving away from 3 significant violation. Treating each offender on case by case basis. NO more 3 strikes, manage as needed to keep offenders in Oregon. POs have access to funding for all compact, same as those on supervision. It allows POs the ability to give treatment. A lot less taking and returning from state to state due to the new process. Limits disruptions with offender and their CC time.
- Not a rule making year. At the ICAOS meeting in Orlando, Florida, the commission took a vote (49/3), to discontinue the IVINES victim's notification system. It was decided that one size does not fit all. As incoming chair, Jeremiah Stromberg will dismantle the IVINES as it is only used by 2 states. He is looking at other options to see if there is a uniform system that will work for each state. This was not the right system. March – Rules committee will report to Jeremiah and decide how they want to move forward. October meeting- possibly vote in new system if it has been decided.
- Brad Berry: What is the current notification system? Mr. Berry feels that there should be a minimum expectation for the victim's peace of mind as they move from state to state. VINE is limited in some states. Not all at the same use level.
- Jeremiah Stromberg: Most are using VINE notification. Within the Rules; calls for victim notification, but it is at the states discretion state by state. Will see what the rules committee decides on.
- Compact rules state that there is a standard- however it falls back on the individual states in accordance with their own states rules. Difference from Parole Board, Community Corrections, and Interstate Compact, nationwide. It would help if there was a Federal rule. As the rule currently stands, victims must opt into rights at conviction time.
- Mark Patterson: Compact notifies if there is a Parole Violation or if they are moving to another state
- BIG ticket items: Warrants – **retakings**, transport, warrants. 50,000 movements per year
State compliance and audits – how are individuals doing within compact system?
- Jeremiah is pushing to have a study done to compare compact and its recidivism rates. Are all audits and standards paying off? Oregon data will be part of study.

Oregon Compact Compliance and Stats for 2017

- Oregon – 638 active ICOTS user... state of Oregon only
Year to date 594 ICOTS user.
Active compact users from other states active in Oregon 1387-1394
1341 supervised in other states.
- Non-felony drug charges, no longer must go through Compact. Will be handled at the Community Corrections level. Can come through Interstate Compact at a discretionary case by case basis.
- Incoming cases to Oregon – Parole, probation, combined (see stats in PowerPoint)
Outgoing cases from Oregon – (see PowerPoint)
- Mark said he can break the stats to actual crimes. If there is data that group needs, contact mark.
- Break down from top 5 states (see PowerPoint)
- Constant audit every year. 80 % is the standard. Chair, Jeremiah Stromberg, wants to see 90% Case Closure, Violation Response, Case Closure Replies (see PowerPoint)
- Oregon ICOTs stats. (see PowerPoint) 2015-2018 trending up in numbers. 2018 have met 90% standard that has recently been set
- Counties and POs are involved in meeting the 90% not just Compact Office. Mark recognizes that POs are doing a great job in assisting the Compact Office to meet the 5 standards (case closure, violation, etc) in 2018. To be noted that Clackamas County met 100% of standards for Interstate compliance.
- 2019 National Interstate Compact Audit – made policy to meet national standards. Michelle Mooney, and Denise Sitler assisted with getting this policy set in place.
- POs and Supervisors are now set up in the ICOTS system with new usage requirements. The Compact Office has administrative access to pull reports.

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Continued 2019 National Interstate Compact Audit 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New requirement trainings for incoming into ICOTS (see back of policy hand out), it must be completed within days. Compact will monitor and reach out to the POs if they are not meeting the 60-day deadline. Old users are going to get updates on training • Dec 2018 – notified by national office that Oregon has met all standards • 2018 – Oregon did not receive any complaints within this time period.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 2019 Audits. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2019 fiscal year audit will focus on Warrants – how to track warrants – Mark runs warrants every 2 weeks to assure that they are nationwide warrants with no bonds. He works with counties if they need to be put into the system. Audits will make sure that warrants are entered and accurate. There is a new step which insures that the offenders are returned to Oregon. The Compact office is working with the county partners on this. Mark asks for input from this council. Judge (Skye) advises that the best way to get warrants information to judges would be by ensuring that the warrants are received by the presiding judges who will then pass it out.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 2019 Annual Business meeting in San Diego – rule making year 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brad Berry – has requested to have copies of the two-sided cheat sheets to be laminated and issued for the DAs and Judges.

■ Questions/Discussions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• No questions at this time• Jeremiah Stromberg spoke about Community Corrections evaluating Oregon's Community Corrections act 2017-2019 hand out
Next Meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The next meeting will take place in Early 2020 (date to be determined)