



Sawyer County

Agenda

Criminal Justice Coordinating Council Meeting

Wednesday, April 10, 2024 @ 12:00 PM

Sawyer County Board Room

Revised: Wednesday, April 10, 2024 10:31 AM

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1. CALL TO ORDER

- a. To view or participate in the **virtual meeting** from a computer, iPad, or Android device please go to: <https://zoom.us/j/95808119460> You can also use the dial in at 1-312-626-6799 with the Webinar ID: 958 0811 9460. Use *9 to Raise/lower hand and *6 to Unmute/mute. If additional assistance is needed please contact the County Clerk's Office at 715-634-4866 prior to the meeting. If you are on a computer, click the "Raise Hand" button and wait to be recognized. If you are on a telephone, dial *9 and wait to be recognized.

2. ROLL CALL

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

4. CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE OPEN MEETINGS LAW

5. MEETING AGENDA

6. PUBLIC COMMENTS

7. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

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- a. [3.13.23 CJCC Minutes DRAFT](#)

8. JAIL REPORT UPDATE

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- a. [Jail Report](#)

9. 3-YR RENEWAL OF SAWYER COUNTY/LCO MOU UPDATE (DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION)

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- a. [MOU Amendment-CJCC SIGNED 2021](#)

10. CRIMINAL JUSTICE COORDINATOR

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- a. TAD Grant Letter of Support (discussion and possible action)
[CJCC-TADSupportLetter](#)
- b. Deflection Grant Update

11. LEGAL AIDE POSITION REVIEW

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- a. [1\) Legal Aid Job Description DRAFTpdf](#)
[2\) mvlc-flyer](#)
[3\) Sawyer County Legal Resources - Wisconsin State Law Library](#)

12. HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES REPORT

13. COMMUNITY SERVICES UPDATES

14. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

15. CORRESPONDENCE, REPORTS FROM CONFERENCES AND MEETINGS

16. ADJOURNMENT

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A quorum of the County Board of Supervisors or of any of its committees may be present at this meeting to listen and observe. Neither the Board nor any of the committees have established attendance at this meeting as an official function of the Board or committee(s) or otherwise made a determination that attendance at the meeting is necessary to carry out the Board or committee's function. The only purpose for other supervisors attending the meeting is to listen to the information presented. Neither the Board nor any committee (other than the committee providing this notice and agenda) will take any official action with respect to this noticed meeting.

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Mission Statement: The Sawyer County Board of Supervisors will strive to provide excellent services and responsible leadership to protect and enhance Sawyer County citizens, businesses, and resources, while preserving our unique heritage.

**Minutes of the March 13, 2024 meeting of the Sawyer County
Criminal Justice Coordinating Committee
Of the Sawyer County Board of Supervisors
Board Room; Sawyer County**



Voting Committee Members Present:

1. ☐ Bill Trepanier - excused
2. ☒ Marc Helwig
3. ☒ Grant Gerber
4. ☒ Andy Albarado
5. ☐ Mike Woller
6. ☐ Tweed Shuman
7. ☐ Doug Mrotek
8. ☒ Bruce Poquette
9. ☐ Katie Belanger
10. ☐ Stephanie Thomas-Schmidt
11. ☐ John Yackel
12. ☒ Monica Isham
13. ☒ Elaine Smith
14. ☒ Marshal Savitski
15. ☒ Julia Lyons
16. ☒ Non-voting member - Chair: Kathy McCoy

Others Present:

Lynn Fitch
Becky Barry
Crystal Nordby
Lyle Poppe
Sari Torstenson

Call to Order – Chair Kathy McCoy called the meeting to order at

Certification of Compliance with the open meeting law was met. Roll Call was taken. Quorum was met.

Meeting Agenda

Public Comments --

Minutes from the previous meeting dated: January 10, 2024

Motion to approve made by: Mr. Helwig Second by: Mr. Savitski
Motion carried without negative vote.

Minutes from the previous meeting dated: February 14, 2024

Motion to approve made by: No approval needed Second by:

New Day Advocacy Center Victim Service Coordinator, Crystal Nordby --

A brochure of the non-profit New Day Advocacy Center was provided. Presenters Lyle Poppe and Crystal Nordby introduced themselves and provided a review of the Center's areas of responsibility. Areas covered include health fairs, awareness events, and outreach services to support survivors of abuse. Walk-in and referrals are welcome; services are free and confidential.

By-Law Review of Voting Privileges -

The most recent version of by-laws was included in the packet.

3-Yr Renewal of Sawyer County/LCO MOU -

A copy of the last agreement was provided. A renewal of the MOU needs to be developed. Mr. Albarado will reach out to the TGB to begin renewal conversations.

Jail Report -

A written report was provided. The department has eliminated a formal Huber program but anyone in the workforce does wear electronic monitoring equipment. The percentage of sentenced inmates versus pre-sentenced is increasing since we are able to move court cases forward more quickly. Ms. Isham suggested we investigate a method to help people fill out paperwork for court to expedite the course process; exploring an internship option that could be run virtually is possible.

Criminal Justice Coordinator -

Ms. Barry left the meeting at 12:16 pm

2023 - Youth Justice Recap-

Ms. Lyons recapped some of the statistics from YJ. Few of the referrals that come in fall in the low-to-moderate risk level; 40% were high, 5% moderately high and 31% moderate risk levels. Quite a few more youth are being put in placements compared to previous years. She reviewed the crime areas of the 11 to 16 year-old high risk individuals. They are also reviewing grant options to expand mentorships and bring back diversion programs.

Health & Human Services Report -

Ms. Lyons reported that some of the program work being done in our County is being put into place in other counties so this influence is growing. Narcan distribution is at 205 at this time. They continue to advertise for the recovery coach. Senator Baldwin has acknowledged the work that Sawyer County is doing regarding fentanyl awareness.

Community Services Updates -

Mr. Gerber reported that the House of Hope has two open spots and they are reviewing applications. The warming house program continues to develop and search for funds.

Future Agenda Items – MOU draft; Legal aid position exploration**Correspondence, reports from conferences and meetings -****Adjournment – 12:59 pm**

Next Meeting: April 10, 2024

Time: 12:00 pm

Location: Board Room

Minutes recorded by Lynn Fitch, County Clerk



SAWYER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

DOUGLAS D. MROTEK - SHERIFF

JOSEPH E. SAJDERA - CHIEF DEPUTY

March 2024 Jail Report

	<u>March 2024</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>03/2023</u>
Average Daily Population Total:	66.75	68.7	70
Females:	23.75	22.6	14.5
Males:	43	46.1	55.5

Average Probation incarceration:	24.75	(37.1%)
Average Pre-Sentence incarceration:	27	(40.4%)
Average Sentenced incarceration:	15	(22.5%)

Currently on Electronic Monitoring:	5
Current # of Working Hubers	1

Total Population (Day of Report) 71

Current inmate unemployment rate: 74%

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715-634-5213

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715-634-9120

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715-634-3845

SAWYER COUNTY JAIL

Daily Population Report

Date: **03/25/24**
 Prepared By: **ANDERSON #346**

PRISONER LOCATION

Location

	Sawyer	Boarders	Total Inmates	
Secure Wing	31	0	31	
Huber Wing	33	0	33	#REF!
Total in Facility	64	0	64	
Hospital	2	0	2	
Other Jails	0	0	0	
Monitor	5	0	5	
Total Adults	71	0	71	
Juvenile Detention	0	0	0	
Total Assigned	71	0	71	

REASON FOR INCARCERATION

Status	Code	Total Inmates	NOTES
BAC Over .04%	BAC	0	ELECTRONIC MONITOR: DAMON
Cash Bond	CB	25	BUTTERFIELD, COLIN TINGO, KELLI
Hold for Other County	OC	0	KRENZELOK, JASON BARBER, STEVEN
New Arrestee Awaiting Court	AC	1	CLAUSE
Pending Revocation	REV	0	BARRON COUNTY:
P&P Hold Only	HOL	23	WORKING HUBER: SCOTT FRIEND
Sentenced Inmate	SEN	16	WINNEBAGO: KRISTINE DOUCETTE,
Sitting off Pay or Stay Warrants	WAR	0	ANGELICA HARRINGTON
Writ for Court	WRI	0	MENDOTA:
Drug Court Hold	DC	0	POLK COUNTY:
LCO Court Hold	LCO	0	WASHBURN COUNTY:
90 Day Payable Hold	90D	2	St. Mary's Hospital (Duluth):
Convicted Awaiting Sentencing	CAS	4	
Caseworker Hold (Juv)	CWH	0	
Temporary Physical Custody (Juv)	TPC	0	
TOTAL		71	

GENDER

	In County	Out of County	Monitor	Total
Male	43	0	4	47
Female	23	0	1	24
TOTAL	66	0	5	71

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
LAC COURTE OREILLES BAND OF LAKE SUPERIOR CHIPPEWA INDIANS
AND
SAWYER COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
CONCERNING THE SAWYER COUNTY CRIMINAL JUSTICE COORDINATION
COMMITTEE**

This Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU") is entered into by the Lac Courte Oreilles Tribal Governing Board ("Tribal Governing Board"); the Sawyer County Board of Supervisors ("County Board").

Recitals:

The Lac Courte Oreilles Tribal Governing Board serves as the governing body of the Lac Courte Oreilles Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians ("Tribe") pursuant to Article III, Section 1 of the Lac Courte Oreilles Constitution and Bylaws, as amended in 1966.

The Sawyer County Board of Supervisors serves as the governing body for Sawyer County and is tasked with coordinating necessary services for the residents of Sawyer County, pursuant to the Wisconsin Constitution Article IV, Section 22 and Section 23; See also Wis. Stat. §§59.03 and §§59.10 (2)(3) (5).

Purpose:

The primary purpose of this MOU is to recognize and solidify the relationship between the Tribal Governing Board and the County Board in their efforts to assist with the provision of criminal justice services in Sawyer County. The existing criminal justice services in Sawyer County are; the Circuit Court, Tribal Court, County District Attorney's Office, Tribal Legal Department, Sawyer County Sheriff's Department, Tribal Police Department, Department of Corrections as well as Mental Health and Substance Facilitators.

The secondary purpose of this MOU is to establish and support a Criminal Justice Coordinating Committee that shall assist the existing criminal justice services provided in Sawyer County by coordinating the services provided so that strategies can be developed to ensure the efficient and effective deployment of both county and tribal resources.

Roles and Responsibilities:

Tribal Governing Board:

The Tribal Governing Board shall provide two (2) board members, or designate representatives, to serve on the Criminal Justice Coordinating Committee. Those two (2) members will participate with the CJCC and represent tribal interests in developing efficient and effective services for tribal members as well as county residents.

Sawyer County:

The County Board shall provide two (2) board members, or designate representatives, to serve on the Criminal Justice Coordinating Committee. Those two (2) members will participate with the CJCC and represent county interests in developing efficient and effective services for county residents as well as tribal members.

Contributions:

The County agrees to provide a minimum sum of Fifty Thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) annually for the next three (3) budget years with the purpose of establishing and maintaining a Criminal Justice Coordinating Committee. The Tribal Governing Board agrees to provide Fifty Thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) annually for the next three (3) budget years. The funds provided by the tribe and the county shall be coordinated through the Sawyer County Administration and used for purposes of this agreement and subsequent documents created consistent with the agreement. One of those purposes, will be to fund Justice Point to collect data for the purposes of developing programming to address the criminal justice and rehabilitation needs for residents of Sawyer County and tribal members.

Timeframe:

This Memorandum of Understanding shall become effective on Monday, February 1, 2021 and shall remain in effect for a period of three years and shall terminate on January 31, 2024.

Establishment of Responsibility:

This MOU is not intended to, and does not create, any right, benefit, or trust responsibility, substantive or procedural, enforceable at law or equity, by any party against Sawyer County or the Lac Courte Oreilles Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians, its agencies, its officers, or any other person.

Principal Contacts:

Tribal Governing Board
Louis Taylor
Chairman
13394W Trepania Rd
Hayward, WI 54843

Sawyer County Board
Tweed Shuman
Chairman
10610 Main St,
Hayward, WI 54843

Authorized Representatives:

By signature below, the cooperators certify that the individuals listed in this document as representatives of the cooperator are authorized to act in their respective areas for matters related to this agreement.

This Memorandum of Understanding is the complete agreement between Lac Courte Oreilles Tribal Governing Board and the Sawyer County Board of Supervisors; and this agreement shall be amended only by written agreement signed by each of the parties involved.

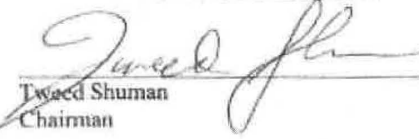
THE PARTIES HERETO have executed this instrument.

Lac Courte Oreilles Tribal Governing Board


Louis Taylor
Chairman

3-22-21
DATE

Sawyer County Board of Supervisors


David Shuman
Chairman

3-18-21
DATE



**AMENDMENT TO THE MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
LAC COURTE OREILLES BAND OF LAKE SUPERIOR CHIPPEWA INDIANS
AND
SAWYER COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
CONCERNING THE SAWYER COUNTY CRIMINAL JUSTICE COORDINATION
COMMITTEE**

This Amendment to the Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU") is entered into by the Lac Courte Oreilles Tribal Governing Board ("Tribal Governing Board") and the Sawyer County Board of Supervisors ("County Board").

The Parties wish to amend the Section related to Roles and Responsibilities to allow for each party to include one more individual as a representative. The intent is that each party would like to include their respective judges on the Committee. The Tribe will add the Tribal Court Judge as an additional representative and the County Board of Supervisors will add the Judge for the Sawyer County Circuit Court.

This Amendment is not intended to, and does not create, any right, benefit, or trust responsibility, substantive or procedural, enforceable at law or equity, by any party against Sawyer County or the Lac Courte Oreilles Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians, its agencies, its officers, or any other person.

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This Amendment only modifies the section mentioned above in relation to the MOU between Lac Courte Oreilles Tribal Governing Board and the Sawyer County Board of Supervisors. The MOU and this Amendment shall be amended only by written agreement signed by each of the parties involved.



THE PARTIES HERETO have executed this Amendment.

Lac Courte Oreilles Tribal Governing Board



Louis Taylor
Chairman

3-25-21
DATE

Sawyer County Board of Supervisors



Tweed Shuman
Chairman

3-18-21
DATE



10610 Main Street, Suite 23 - Hayward, WI 54843
Phone: 715-638-3245

April 1, 2024

To Whom It May Concern:

The Sawyer County Criminal Justice Coordinating Council supports the diversion and recovery court efforts within Sawyer County, and has supported the application for Treatment Alternatives and Diversion Program (TAD) grants. The CJCC acts as the primary oversight body for the Sawyer County TAD grant and programs.

The subsequent awarding and receipt of grants funds is absolutely necessary to support our efforts. The treatment and diversion programs are needed in the Sawyer County community, where the drug overdose mortality rate is 31.3 per 100,000 residents and the percentage of vehicle crashes related to alcohol use is 12.6, double the rate for the State of Wisconsin. These programs are needed to literally save lives in our community.

Diversion programs and Treatment Courts allow law enforcement, probation, treatment providers, human services, and the court system to work together to provide comprehensive services to participants. This collaborative approach in both programs allows participants to have immediate sanctions and positive reinforcement.

Sawyer County also has a collaborative approach in working with the Lac Courte Oreilles (LCO) tribe. The LCO Reservation, located mostly in Sawyer County, has 7,275 tribal members. Members of the tribe hold positions on the CJCC. LCO also has a Tribal Healing to Wellness Court, which has been an asset to the community and one we expanded with the diversion and recovery court programs.

For these reasons, we have supported the annual applications to the Department of Justice and hope that future applications will be awarded.

Attached are the members of the Sawyer County Criminal Justice Collaborating Council.

Sincerely,

Kathy McCoy
Sawyer County CJCC Chair

CJCC Appointments – March 2024

- a. Sawyer County Circuit Court Judge
 - Hon. John Yackel
 - Hon. Monica Isham
- b. Sawyer County Sheriff or designee
 - Sheriff Doug Mrotek
- c. Sawyer County District Attorney or designee
 - DA Bruce Poquette
- d. Sawyer County Jail Administrator or designee
 - Lt. Mike Woller
- e. Sawyer County Administrator
 - Andy Albarado
- f. Two (2) tribal government representatives
 - Tweed Shuman
 -
- g. State Public Defender Office representative
 - Ryan Reed
- h. Wisconsin Department of Corrections representative
 - Katie Belanger
- i. Two (2) Sawyer County Board of Supervisor
 - Marc Helwig
 - Marshal Savitski
- j. Two (2) residents of Sawyer County
 - Kathy McCoy
 - Grant Gerber
- k. LCO Tribal Judge
 - Hon. Elaine Smith
- l. Sawyer County Health and Human Services representative (staff)
 - Julia Lyons, Health and Human Services Director

Job Title: Legal Aid Worker

Job Summary: As a Legal Aid Worker, you will provide essential support to legal professionals in assisting clients who may not otherwise have access to legal services due to financial constraints. Your role will involve a variety of tasks aimed at facilitating the legal process, ensuring clients understand their rights and options, and assisting with administrative duties. This position requires a strong commitment to social justice, empathy, and a passion for helping individuals navigate the legal system.

Responsibilities:

1. **Client Assistance:** Provide support and guidance to clients seeking legal aid. Assist with intake procedures, gather necessary information, and explain legal processes in a clear and understandable manner.
2. **Legal Research:** Conduct research on relevant laws, regulations, and case precedents to assist legal professionals in building cases and providing accurate advice to clients.
3. **Document Preparation:** Assist in drafting legal documents such as petitions, complaints, affidavits, and correspondence. Ensure all paperwork is completed accurately and submitted within deadlines.
4. **Court Support:** Accompany clients to court proceedings, hearings, and meetings with attorneys. Provide moral support, explain court procedures, and help clients navigate the legal environment.
5. **Case Management:** Maintain organized records of client information, case details, and correspondence. Update case files, track deadlines, and communicate effectively with legal team members.
6. **Community Outreach:** Participate in outreach activities to raise awareness of legal aid services and promote access to justice within the community. Collaborate with community organizations, social services, and other stakeholders to identify and assist individuals in need.
7. **Legal Advocacy:** Advocate on behalf of clients to ensure their rights are upheld and they receive fair treatment under the law. Work closely with attorneys to develop strategies for achieving positive outcomes in legal matters.
8. **Education and Training:** Conduct informational sessions and workshops to educate clients about their legal rights, responsibilities, and available resources. Provide guidance on navigating legal challenges and making informed decisions.
9. **Administrative Support:** Assist with administrative tasks such as scheduling appointments, answering phone calls, responding to inquiries, and maintaining office supplies.

Qualifications:

1. Bachelor's degree in a relevant field such as Law, Criminal Justice, Social Work, or related discipline.
2. Strong interpersonal skills and ability to communicate effectively with individuals from diverse backgrounds, including those facing challenging circumstances.

3. Empathy, compassion, and a genuine desire to help others access justice and overcome legal barriers.
4. Excellent organizational skills with the ability to manage multiple tasks and prioritize responsibilities effectively.
5. Proficiency in legal research, document preparation, and case management software/tools.
6. Knowledge of relevant laws, regulations, and procedures related to the legal system, particularly in areas such as family law, housing law, immigration law, or criminal law.
7. Ability to maintain confidentiality and handle sensitive information with professionalism and discretion.
8. Previous experience working in a legal aid clinic, law firm, non-profit organization, or similar setting is preferred.

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sign-in begins

Sign-in begins between
4:00-4:30PM based on
volunteer arrival

SPANISH
INTERPRETERS
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Closed:

May 1 & 8, July 3 & 17,

August 14, 21, & 28

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August 15, 22, & 29

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THURSDAYS 11:30-1:30

WAITLIST OPENS AT 11:00

Scan QR codes for
closure dates

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THURSDAYS 11:30-1:30

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marzo-agosto 2024

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Legal assistance for victims, including divorce, child custody and placement, restraining orders, unemployment compensation, fair housing.
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(800) 472-1638 Legal assistance for low-income individuals. Handles cases involving bankruptcy, social security and SSI, family law, health, housing, income maintenance, wills, and Indian law.
- Language Assistance Program, Clerk of Court
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(715) 634-4886 The Language Assistance Plan serves to help ensure access to court services for persons with limited English proficiency (LEP). It also covers interpreter services to deaf and hard of hearing persons.
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Journals & Legal Databases

- HeinOnline (<https://wsll.idm.oclc.org/login?url=https://heinonline.org/HOL/Welcome>)

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