

**Washington State Criminal Sentencing Task Force**  
**February 3, 2022 1:00pm-4:30pm / ZOOM Meeting**  
**DRAFT AGENDA**

**Meeting Goals:**

- Task Force Introductions and Updates
- Update from Sentencing Alternatives Workgroup
- Update on 2022 legislation related to Task Force's work
- Discuss vacant co-chair position
- Presentation and discussion of potential recommendations from Grid Subgroup

**12:45pm GET TECHNOLOGY WORKING, ZOOM TIPS, INFORMAL CONVERSATIONS**

- For those wanting ZOOM tips or refreshers on functions to be used during the meeting, the Facilitation Team will be available to give a quick tutorial and answer questions. There will also be time for informal virtual mingling. Bring your coffee and favorite treat!

**1:00pm REVIEW AGENDA**

**1:10pm INTRODUCTIONS & UPDATES**

- Members state name, organization, interest you represent
- Updates from co-chairs
- Updates from facilitation team
- Update from Sentencing Alternatives Workgroup
- Update on 2022 legislation related to Task Force's work

**1:40pm DISCUSSION: VACANT CO-CHAIR POSITION**

**1:50pm CRIMINAL HISTORY SCORING & MULTIPLIERS**

- Overview on scoring rules and multipliers including examples of scoring sheets, and background on how they cause complexity and errors.
- Overview of philosophy of punishment and evidence on specialization and recidivism.

**2:30pm BREAK**

**2:40pm POTENTIAL RECOMMENDATIONS FROM GRID SUBGROUP & DISCUSSION**

- Grid Group brief overview on their work to date focusing on criminal history score and the horizontal axis of the sentencing grid.
- Presentation, visual walk through, and full Task Force discussion of potential recommendation: to eliminate multipliers and to establish a repeat violent offense column on the grid.
- Grid Group update on current and future areas of discussions.

**4:15pm QUESTIONS FROM OBSERVERS**

**4:30pm ADJOURN**

## Members and Alternates List

CSTF Members & Designated Alternates	Affiliation/Perspective Represented	Attendance:
Jon Tunheim Russell Brown (alternate)	Washington Association of Prosecuting Attorneys	
Vacant	Statewide Reentry Council	
Rep. Roger Goodman	Washington State House of Representatives	
Sen. Chris Gildon	Washington State Senate	
Sen. Manka Dhingra	Washington State Senate	
Rep. Carolyn Eslick	Washington State House of Representatives	
Sonja Hallum	Washington State Office of the Governor	
Elaine Deschamps (Clela Steelhammer)	Washington State Caseload Forecast Council	
Julie Martin, Chief of Staff (Mac Pevey)	Washington State Department of Corrections	
Judge Wesley Saint Clair (Keri-Anne Jetzer)	Washington State Sentencing Guidelines Commission	
Suzanne Cook (Melody Simle)	Statewide Family Council	
Judge Josephine Wiggs-Martin	Superior Court Judges' Association	
Gregory Link (Kim Gordon)	Washington Association of Criminal Defense Attorneys; Washington Defender Association	
Chief Gregory Cobb (Chief Brian Smith)	Washington Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs	
Councilmember Derek Young	Washington State Association of Counties	
Judge Veronica Alicea-Galván (Frank Thomas)	Washington State Minority and Justice Commission	
Chief James Schrimpscher	Fraternal Order of Police, Labor Organization Representing Active Law Enforcement Officers in Washington State	
Nick Allen (Nick Straley)	Columbia Legal Services, Representing Interests of Incarcerated Persons	
Waldo Waldron-Ramsey (Ginny Parham)	Washington Community Action Network, Representing Interests of Incarcerated Persons	
Tiffany Attrill	King County, Representing Interests of Crime Victims	
Riddhi Mukhopadhyay	Sexual Violence Law Center, Representing Interests of Crime Victims	