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Minutes from Dec. 6, 2023
Meeting of the Justice Center Oversight Committee

Committee members present: Marissa Mims (Chair), JoAnne Spoto- Decker, Tricia Wittkowski, John Falge.

Absent: Jeff Marier (Vice Chair), Nicole Stroud Godfrey, Cassandra Jones-Ingram

Community present: County Legislator Peggy Chase

County staff present: JCOC Administrator Montanette Murphy – Meeting via Zoom

Opening: Meeting began at 5:36 p.m.

1. **Welcomes/introductions:** Chairperson Marissa Mims welcomes community member and staff.
2. **Chair's report:** No report.
3. **Administrator's report:** Update on the search for a Human Rights Specialist; Population: 455 of that number 49 females. Covid/Flu cases: 0

Discussion:

Did not approve December agenda and did not approve November meeting minutes

Chair's report - N/A

Administrator's report

1. Update on HRS
2. More JCOC members needed to join committee
3. Discussed the terms of each member
4. Meeting dates for 2024
5. Jail visits for JCOC members

More Discussion: Discussed detainees' complaints about the medical care at the Jail which is administered by vendor Wellpath. Marissa asked Montanette to send data and complaints that JCOC members want to include in forthcoming recommendations and other correspondences. The JCOC also wants to look at or suggest other medical vendor options at the jail.

Meeting ended at 6:10 p.m.

Minutes submitted by Montanette Murphy on December 7, 2023.