



# Criminal Justice Oversight Council

67th Montana Legislature

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## UPDATED AGENDA

As of August 23, 2022

August 30, 2022 - 8:00 a.m.

State Capitol, Room 137 and Zoom

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- All times are approximate; some agenda items will take more or less time than allotted.
- Agenda may be modified at the discretion of the presiding officer.
- For information on accessibility and public participation, see page 3 of this agenda.

8:00 a.m.      **Call to Order and Roll Call**  
*Chair Barry Usher*

8:05 a.m.      **Best Correctional Practices**  
*Chris D'Amato, M.S. – Research Associate, University of Cincinnati Corrections Institute*

- Presentation
- Questions from the council
- Public comment on best correctional practices
- Council action on this agenda item, if any

9:00 a.m.      **Background of the Montana Incentive and Intervention Grid (MIIG)**  
*Kim Lahiff – Probation and Parole Bureau Chief, Department of Corrections*

- Presentations
- Questions from the council
- Public comment on the MIIG
- Council action on this agenda item, if any

9:45 a.m.      **Break**

10:00 a.m.      **Crime Survivors Panel**  
*Kristi Bice, Craig Crawford, Al Jenkins, Barb Jenkins, and Sharon Wilson*

- Panel
- Questions from the council
- Public comment on this panel
- Council action on this agenda item, if any

11:30 a.m.      **Lunch**

1:00 p.m.      **Council Legislation**

*Milly Allen – Researcher*

- Presentation of bills
- Questions and edits from the council
- Public comment on legislation
- Council action on this agenda item, if any

3:00 p.m.      **Public Comment** on any matter under the jurisdiction of the Criminal Justice Oversight Council that is not mentioned on this agenda

3:15 p.m.      **Break**

3:30 p.m.      **Introduction: Executive Director of Legislative Services**

*Director Jerry Howe – Legislative Services Division*

3:40 p.m.      **Work Session**

- Council legislation
- Next agenda
  - Next meeting date
  - Overview of topics for next meeting
  - Council requests for future meeting research and agenda items
- Other council business

4:30 p.m.      **Adjourn**

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