



- 47 (c) Monitor and ensure accountability of the criminal justice system.
- 48 (d) Provide program oversight for certain criminal justice initiatives.
- 49 (e) Establish a subcommittee structure as follows to address specific issues  
50 and report to the Community Justice Council:
- 51 1. Racial Disparities Subcommittee
- 52 a. Composition:
- 53 i. District Attorney or their designee, to serve as co-chair;
- 54 ii. County Board Chair or their designee, to serve as co-chair;
- 55 iii. Presiding Judge of the Dane County Circuit Court or their designee to serve  
56 as co-chair;
- 57 iv. the Sheriff or their designee;
- 58 v. the Madison Police Department Chief of Police or their designee;
- 59 vi. a representative of the Office of the Public Defender, appointed by the State  
60 Public Defender;
- 61 vii. the Office for Equity and Inclusion Director;
- 62 viii. the Juvenile Court Administrator;
- 63 ix. the Youth Justice Manager
- 64 x. the Dane County Department of Human Services Community Programs  
65 Manager;
- 66 xi. two persons from diverse backgrounds who have lived experiences of  
67 incarceration or have been directly impacted by the criminal justice system  
68 selected from a list of applicants and appointed by the chair of the Community  
69 Justice Council.
- 70 b. Duties. The subcommittee shall 1) research local and national best  
71 practices to identify criminal justice system approaches to decrease and eliminate  
72 disparities, including making recommendations about current programs to  
73 decrease criminal justice system involvement; 2) use data to analyze racial equity  
74 gaps throughout the criminal justice system and set benchmarks for reductions; 3)  
75 lead inclusive engagement of communities most impacted by the criminal justice  
76 system; 4) report quarterly to the Community Justice Council
- 77 2. Pretrial Services Subcommittee
- 78 a. Composition:
- 79 i. District Attorney or their designee,
- 80 ii. the Clerk of Courts or their designee;
- 81 iii. the Presiding Judge of the Dane County Circuit Court or their designee;
- 82 iv. the Sheriff or their designee;
- 83 v. the County Executive or their designee;
- 84 vi. a representative of the Office of the Public Defender, appointed by the State  
85 Public Defender;
- 86 vii. a representative of the Wisconsin Department of Corrections appointed by  
87 the Secretary of the Department of Corrections
- 88 viii. the director of the Office of Pretrial Services
- 89 ix. the Criminal Justice Council Coordinator;
- 90 x. two persons from diverse backgrounds who have lived experiences of  
91 incarceration or have been directly impacted by the criminal justice system

92 selected from a list of applicants and appointed by the chair of the Community  
93 Justice Council;

94 **b.** Duties: The subcommittee shall 1) identify approaches to lowering the  
95 pretrial population; 2) analyze court appearance rates and publish findings; 3)  
96 investigate local and national best practices regarding peer supports and  
97 community engagement at pretrial; 4) report quarterly to the Community Justice  
98 Council.

99 **3.** Behavioral Health Subcommittee

100 **a.** Composition:

101 **i.** District Attorney or their designee,

102 **ii.** the Director of the Department of Human Services or their designee;

103 **iii.** the Presiding Judge of the Dane County Circuit Court or their designee;

104 **iv.** the Sheriff or their designee;

105 **v.** the Madison Police Department Chief of Police or their designee;

106 **vi.** a representative of the Office of the Public Defender, appointed by the State  
107 Public Defender;

108 **vii.** a representative of the Wisconsin Department of Corrections appointed by  
109 the Secretary of the Department of Corrections

110 **viii.** the Chief of Chiefs of Police or their designee;

111 **ix.** the Corporation Counsel or their designee;

112 **x.** the director of NAMI Dane County, or their designee

113 **xi.** one additional public member with behavioral health expertise selected  
114 from a list of applicants and appointed by the chair of the Community Justice  
115 Council.;

116 **b.** Duties: The subcommittee shall 1) review the intersection of behavioral  
117 health and criminal justice including data analysis; 2) investigate local and national  
118 best practice in the crisis continuum of care; 3) analyze data and set goals for  
119 reduction of criminal legal involvement; 4) report quarterly to the Community  
120 Justice Council.

121 **(f)** Section 15.04(2) shall not apply to the subcommittees set forth in sub (3)(e).

122 **(g)** all public members of the subcommittees listed in sub(3)(e) shall serve 2  
123 year terms and may receive per diems and mileage per section 15.04(7)(a).

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125 *[EXPLANATION: This amendment renames the Criminal Justice Council to the*  
126 *Community Justice Council, delineates the composition and duties of three (3)*  
127 *subcommittees including two (2) public members for each subcommittee, and*  
128 *provides mileage and per diems for such public members.]*