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COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS PARTNERSHIP EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

MEETING AGENDA

THURSDAY, August 13, 2026

1:30 PM – 3:30 PM

STANISLAUS COUNTY PROBATION DEPARTMENT

2215 BLUE GUM AVENUE

PROBATION DEPARTMENT – TRAINING ROOM

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MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND.

Agenda

1. Call to Order – Chair/Chief Probation Officer Mark Ferriera
2. Public Comment
3. Adoption of Minutes of March 12, 2026, Meeting
4. Discussion/Review of the Five-Year Spending Plan and CCP Salary Line Items

MEETING AND PARKING NOTICE:

- The meeting will be held in the Human Resources Training Room in the gated parking lot on the corner of Blue Gum Avenue and Second Street.
- The entrance to the parking lot is off Second Street, directly across from the Modesto Junior College parking lot.
- Press the button for the gate attendant to allow you entrance into the parking lot.
- The meeting notice will be directly in front of the HR Training Room.
- A Map is attached.

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STANISLAUS COUNTY

COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS PARTNERSHIP

Executive Committee Meeting Minutes Thursday – March 12, 2026 Stanislaus County Probation Department

MEMBERS/DESIGNEES PRESENT

MARK FERRIERA, Chief Probation Officer, Probation Department
JEFF DIRKSE, Sheriff, Sheriff's Department
JEFF LAUGERO, District Attorney, District Attorney's Office
JENNIFER JENNISON, Public Defender
BRANDON GILLESPIE, Chief, Modesto Police Department
RUBEN IMPERIAL, Chief, Behavioral Health and Recovery Services

GUESTS:

Vicki Martin, Administrative Services Manager, Probation Department
Raul Dominguez, Realignment Manager, Probation Department
Tracie Martin, Assistant Chief Probation Officer, Probation Department

1. CALL TO ORDER AND INTRODUCTIONS

The meeting was called to order at 10:07 a.m. by Chief Probation Officer Mark Ferriera. Members of the group present at the meeting were identified.

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

No members of the public were present.

3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES FROM DECEMBER 01, 2025, MEETING

MOTION: District Attorney Jeff Laugero SECOND: Ruben Imperial. The December 1, 2025, meeting minutes were approved unanimously.

4. DISCUSSION OF THE FIVE-YEAR SPENDING PLAN

Administrative Services Manager Vicki Martin of the Probation Department presented an overview of the CCP Five-Year Spending Plan. The plan includes the current year budget, actual expenditures through December, and projections extending through 2031. Cost reductions from programs eliminated by the Sheriff's Office are incorporated. Importantly, the plan features two new funding requests totaling just over \$2 million, one from the Ceres Police Department and another from Workforce Development FY 2027. The projected base allocation is about \$33 million, with an additional \$1.7 million in growth anticipated for FY 2027, based on the Governor's January budget projections.

Chief Ferriera expressed concern that the estimated growth may be overly optimistic given that actual growth in the prior year was significantly lower than projected. Due to this uncertainty, no additional growth was projected for the remaining four years of the plan.

As of December 2025, spending is approximately 46%, indicating CCP budget spending of 92% by year-end, which is higher than the historical average of about 81%. If spending reaches 100%, the CCP fund balance could be depleted by mid-to-late 2028. If spending remains closer to 85%, the fund balance could last until around 2030.

The CCP Executive Committee also discussed the IST fines and the need to incorporate a payment plan into the CCP plan as directed by the Board of Supervisors.

The Public Defender's Office requested flexibility in the use of their CCP salary savings allocation. Specifically, the request is to allow the Public Defender to pay the HUB rent with CCP salary savings. This request does not require any additional funding.

MOTION: Sheriff Jeff Dirkse. Second: Chief Brandon Gillespie. To allow the Public Defender's Office to use CCP salary savings allocations to cover the rent for the HUB was approved unanimously.

5. REVIEW/DISCUSSION OF THE NEWLY SUBMITTED CCP FUNDING PROPOSALS (PROPOSALS ARE ATTACHED)

Due to the uncertainty in revenue growth and the potential long-term sustainability challenges for the CCP budget, the CCP Executive Committee acknowledged the need to prioritize and look for ways to maintain a balanced budget, rather than increasing expenditures. Ms. Martin will be creating multiple budget spending scenarios and will forward them to the group for projection review.

MOTION: Sheriff Jeff Dirkse. Second: Chief Brandon Gillespie. To deny all new funding requests was approved unanimously.

Chief Ferriera will contact the Ceres Police Department and Workforce Development to inform them of the CCP Executive Committee's decision.

The meeting adjourned at 10:58 a.m.

Community Corrections Partnership Funding Request

Agency Name:	Ceres Police Department
Contact Person:	Trenton Johnson
Phone Number:	209 595 6007
Email:	trenton.johnson@ci.ceres.ca.us

Amount of New Funding Request for Year 1:	\$272,750
Amount of New Funding Request for Year 2:	\$286,387
Amount of New Funding Request for Year 3:	\$300,706
Amount of New Funding Request for Year 4:	315,105
Amount of New Funding Request for Year 5:	348,105
Total Number of New Positions Requested:	2

Description of New Positions:
Analyst position:

This request is for 1 analyst position that will be responsible for collecting, analyzing, and managing data related to homeless, mental health, and quality-of-life issues within the community. This position supports informed decision-making by providing accurate data, trend analysis, and performance metrics to City leadership, the Police Department, and partner agencies. The analyst will play a critical role in shifting the City's response to homelessness from a reactive model to a coordinated, data-driven approach.

Police Officer:

This request is for 1 police officer position that will be responsible for addressing issues related to homelessness, mental health crises, and quality-of-life concerns through a coordinated, problem-solving approach. This position focuses on proactive engagement, crisis intervention, and service coordination rather than traditional enforcement-only responses. The officer works closely with Code Enforcement and the CARE Team to conduct outreach, respond to community concerns.

Target Population:	50,000
Projected Number to be Served:	50,000
Evidence-Based or Promising Practice:	Promising Practice

Project Title and Description (Include agencies that will receive funding and general description):

Project title: Ceres Community Outreach, Response, and Enforcement (CORE)

Project Description:

The City of Ceres, serving approximately 50,000 residents, continues to face complex challenges related to homelessness, mental health crises, and quality-of-life issues. These challenges generate recurring calls for service and require involvement from the Police Department, Code Enforcement, and the CARE Team. Historically, the City ' s response has been fragmented, with enforcement authority, outreach, and data collection spread across multiple departments and partners. The CORE – Coordinated Outreach, Response, and Enforcement Project is designed to integrate these efforts into a unified, proactive, and data-driven response. CORE combines targeted enforcement, compassionate outreach, and centralized analysis to improve public safety, service delivery, and accountability. Current Efforts and Demonstrated Success The City has previously deployed a Police Officer one day per week in partnership with Code Enforcement. This limited CORE-style deployment has demonstrated measurable success, particularly in enforcing laws that Code Enforcement Officers and the CARE Team are not authorized to enforce. The presence of a Police Officer has improved compliance, addressed chronic problem locations, and strengthened coordination in the field. While effective, this approach is limited by part-time staffing and the absence of a centralized data function, resulting in continued reactive responses rather than long-term problem resolution. The Homelessness Analyst is a foundational component of CORE, responsible for collecting, analyzing, and managing data related to homelessness, mental health, encampments, repeat contacts, and service outcomes. This position integrates information from the Police Department, Code Enforcement, the CARE Team, and partner agencies to create a comprehensive picture of community needs. By “ putting the pieces of the puzzle together, ” the analyst transforms a fragmented response into a coordinated, evidence-informed strategy. The analyst supports deployment decisions, identifies trends, measures program effectiveness, and provides reporting for City leadership, the City Council, and potential funding sources.

Anticipated Outcomes:

The CORE Project is expected to: Reduce repeat calls for service and chronic enforcement issues Improve coordination between Police, Code Enforcement, and the CARE Team Ensure laws are enforced fairly, legally, and compassionately Shift the City ' s response from reactive to proactive and data-driven Enhance public confidence and community quality of life Improve outcomes for individuals experiencing homelessness or mental health crisis

Anticipated Recidivism Reduction:

The CORE – Coordinated Outreach, Response, and Enforcement Project is expected to significantly reduce recidivism related to homelessness and mental health-driven calls for service by addressing the root causes of repeat contact rather than relying on isolated or reactive enforcement. Recidivism in this context is defined as repeated calls for service, repeated enforcement actions, and recurring quality-of-life complaints involving the same individuals or locations. CORE reduces recidivism through continuity, coordination, and accountability. By assigning a dedicated Police Officer to work consistently with Code Enforcement and the CARE Team, CORE ensures that individuals experiencing homelessness or mental health crises are engaged by familiar personnel who understand their history, needs, and prior interventions. This continuity improves compliance, increases trust, and reduces repetitive enforcement cycles. The Homelessness Analyst supports recidivism reduction by identifying high-utilizer individuals, repeat locations, and patterns of behavior that drive calls for service. Using this data, CORE can prioritize interventions, track outcomes, and adjust strategies to prevent repeated contacts rather than simply responding to them. Additionally, CORE integrates enforcement authority with service referral and follow-up. Laws that cannot be enforced by Code Enforcement or the CARE Team alone can be addressed legally and appropriately by the CORE officer, while outreach and service connections continue in parallel. This balanced approach reduces the likelihood that unresolved issues will resurface as repeat calls or violations.

Additional supporting documents can be submitted with the funding request via e-mail: CarrazcE@stanpro.org

ADVISORY: Submission of proposals must be no earlier than January 1st and no later than February 14th. Proposals submitted late will not be considered.

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Email:

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Anticipated Outcomes:

Anticipated Recidivism Reduction: