

MEMORANDUM

To: CCP Executive Committee
Cc: Tim Ewell, CAO; Donte Blue, Office of Reentry and Justice
From: Jason Schwarz, CAB Chair
Date: February 16, 2018
Subject: CCP CBO Seat

The Community Advisory Board on Public Safety Realignment (CAB) very much appreciates the opportunity to recommend an individual to fill the CCP seat reserved for a CBO representative. At the January CAB meeting, as part of its officers and appointments discussion, CAB members discussed the eligibility criteria for this seat on the CCP and the profile of the optimal candidate.

CAB has determined that ideally this position would be filled by a CAB member that works for a CBO. Since CAB's mandate is to represent the community CAB believes that appointing a CBO representative who is also a CAB member will have important benefits in strengthening linkages and communication among the CBO community, CCP, and CAB and providing the CCP meaningful inputs from the perspective of the CBO community.

Accordingly, CAB unanimously nominated Patrice Guillory of HealthRIGHT 360, and current CAB Vice Chair, to fill this CBO seat. Not only does Patrice represent an organization with a long history of providing services to the reentry population, but she is also well versed in our local reentry system. CAB is also happy to announce that Patrice has chosen to accept a nomination from the Board of Supervisors to serve in this capacity.

Furthermore, CAB discussed the benefit of naming an alternate to provide back-up to Ms. Guillory in the event she is unable to attend a CCP meeting, if this can be accommodated by the board, CAB member Kaleana Johnson of Shelter Inc., CAB Secretary, has volunteered to serve in this role.

CAB also discussed the opportunity to institutionalize a process to nominate a representative for the CBO seat of the CCP on an annual basis, or in the event an incumbent resigns. CAB plans to discuss this in a future meeting and bring the results of that discussion to a future PPC meeting for endorsement.

CAB thanks you for the opportunity to nominate the CBO representative for the CCP, and we look forward to future opportunities to inform other important county processes.