

**Minutes of the Manitowoc County Criminal Justice Coordinating Council
Executive Meeting
July 20, 2026 12:15 PM
Manitowoc County Courthouse**

Attendance: Judge Mark Rohrer, District Attorney Jacalyn LaBre, Chief Ben Meinnert, Probation and Parole Supervisor Jennifer Zick, Amanda Keagle and Jerome Mutchie, and Attorney Ann Larsen.

Call to order by Chair, Judge Mark Rohrer, at 12:16.

Minutes: No minutes since April meeting

Public Comment: None

Updates:

Drug Court: Amanda Keagle presented Drug Court information. 12 current participants consisting of 5 females and 7 males. No terminations or admissions pending.

There is a graduation scheduled for August 5th.

The 2027 TAD grant application was completed and submitted on July 2nd, requesting \$150,000 State funds with a \$50,000 match, the same as received in 2026. An additional \$30,000 with a \$10,000 match was requested for expansion in the drug court program, dedicated to a low-risk track court option with a goal of diversion prior to high-risk.

New drug court incentives include spin the wheel to win for successful clean, treatment, or life milestones. The program also implemented a POTM Facebook post to recognize the hard work of participants and reduce stigma. These posts have reached a great number of people not reached through other formats.

Annual Drug Court Picnic August 15th at Lincoln Park Fieldhouse Noon-4p.

Probation/Parole: No updates.

DA: No updates.

Ben Meinnert: Some Chief's with interest in showing more support for the successful program participants.

Attorney Larson: Statewide Juvenile Summit attendance by MTWC staff via Zoom at DHS.

Jerry Mutchie: Announced a recent participant wedding, supported by numerous other past participants. Another example of success from the program.

August 10th Core Team Training. Data System training was already completed by 3 necessary for the program. Mutchie Described the overall makeup and participation of the Manitowoc Team and will provide an update at the Sept 2nd meeting.

National Summit regarding Drug Trends completed and being analyzed.

Next Meeting: General Council – Sept 2nd 4:45pm, Executive Committee – Sept 10th, 2026 12:15pm.

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn was made by Att Ann Larson and second by Jennifer Zick. Meeting Adjourned @ 12:32 pm