

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON  
ORDINANCE NO. 754

An ordinance abolishing the Justice Coordinating Council, MCC  
2.30.300(K), (L), pursuant to Resolution 93-41.

(Language in brackets [ ] is to be deleted; underlined language is new)

Multnomah County ordains as follows:

Section I. REPEAL MCC 2.30.300(K) and (L) are Repealed.

~~[(K) Coordinate and staff the activities of the justice  
coordinating council.]~~

~~[(L) Justice coordinating council. The justice services  
coordinating council is established to provide assistance  
to the department of community corrections, the juvenile  
justice division, the Multnomah County sheriff, the  
district attorney, and the other agencies and functions  
with the criminal justice system.~~

~~(1) Policy and purpose. The board of county  
commissioners finds that the local justice services  
system would be more effectively coordinated by the  
addition of a council of elected and appointed  
officials and citizens.~~

~~(2) Membership.~~

~~(a) The council shall consist of 14 members  
appointed in accordance with section 3.70,  
county charter.~~

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- ~~(i) The Multnomah County chair;~~
- ~~(ii) The Multnomah County district attorney;~~
- ~~(iii) The Multnomah County sheriff~~
- ~~(iv) The presiding judge of the Multnomah County circuit court;~~
- ~~(v) The chief of the Portland police bureau;~~
- ~~(vi) The chief of the Gresham police department;~~
- ~~(vii) The director of community corrections;~~
- ~~(ix) The division manager of the juvenile services division of Multnomah County;~~
- ~~(x) The metropolitan public defender;~~
- ~~(xi) Two members, to be selected from areas such as mental health, social services, the health professions, labor, business, minorities and the religious communities;~~
- ~~(xii) A representative of the citizen's crime commission; and~~
- ~~(xiii) One county resident appointed to a two-year term by the citizen involvement committee.~~

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1 ~~(e) The chairperson and vice chairperson of the~~  
2 ~~council shall be elected by members of the~~  
3 ~~council for a term of one year. The vice-~~  
4 ~~chairperson will preside in the absence of the~~  
5 ~~chairperson. Members may send a designee to~~  
6 ~~all justice coordinating council meetings in~~  
7 ~~case of the member's unavoidable absence. The~~  
8 ~~designee shall be eligible to vote.~~

9 ~~(3) Meetings. The council will be convened monthly on~~  
10 ~~a regular schedule as established by the~~  
11 ~~chairperson.~~

12 ~~(4) Duties and responsibilities.~~

13 ~~(a) The council will provide the opportunity for~~  
14 ~~advance notification to justice system~~  
15 ~~decision makers of proposed policy or~~  
16 ~~procedure changes by other system~~  
17 ~~participants.~~

18 ~~(b) The council will provide a mechanism for~~  
19 ~~undertaking and coordinating policy research~~  
20 ~~and demonstration activities and will enhance~~  
21 ~~the return on research and demonstration~~  
22 ~~project investments by allowing system~~  
23 ~~decision makers greater opportunity for~~  
24 ~~information exchange.~~

25 ~~(c) The council shall examine and advise the~~  
26 ~~executive and legislative branches about~~

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1 ~~custodial supervision ranging from low to high~~  
2 ~~in both institutional and noninstitutional~~  
3 ~~settings and will assist in the development of~~  
4 ~~a system for placement of justice system~~  
5 ~~clients.~~

6 ~~(d) The council shall make regular reports to the~~  
7 ~~board of county commissioners and county chair~~  
8 ~~on all matters affecting Multnomah County~~  
9 ~~criminal justice programs, including:~~

10 ~~(i) System coordination;~~

11 ~~(ii) Policy planning and research, and~~  
12 ~~experimentation in all areas of~~  
13 ~~justice system operations;~~

14 ~~(iii) Jail space;~~

15 ~~(iv) Alternative correctional space;~~

16 ~~(v) Criminal justice legislative~~  
17 ~~packages~~

18 ~~(vi) Criminal justice administrative~~  
19 ~~policy;~~

20 ~~(vii) Law enforcement, prosecution, public~~  
21 ~~defender, courts; and~~

22 ~~(viii) Coordination, preparation, and~~  
23 ~~submission of budget~~  
24 ~~recommendations.~~

25 ~~(e) The council shall prepare and recommend for~~  
26 ~~adoption by the board of county commissioners~~

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1 ~~a public safety plan for Multnomah County.~~  
2 ~~The first step in this planning effort should~~  
3 ~~be the development of a model which shows the~~  
4 ~~existing allocation of resources to the public~~  
5 ~~safety system and how the systems interrelate.~~

6 ~~(f) The council shall monitor the implementation~~  
7 ~~of the plan, following board modification and~~  
8 ~~approval, and continue to make additional~~  
9 ~~recommendations.~~

10 ~~(g) The council shall monitor the board's~~  
11 ~~appropriation of new revenue to and approval~~  
12 ~~of grant applications in the public safety~~  
13 ~~area to assist the board in its commitment to~~  
14 ~~act in a manner not inconsistent with an~~  
15 ~~approved public safety plan.~~

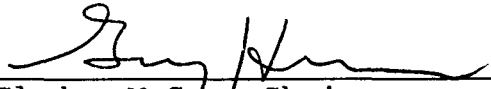
16 ~~(5) Coordination. The council shall have an advisory~~  
17 ~~role to the board of county commissioners and the~~  
18 ~~county chair.]~~

19 ADOPTED this 11th day of March, 1993, being  
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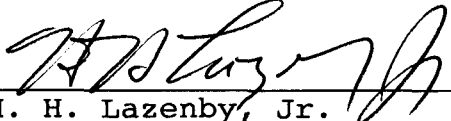
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1 the date of its second reading before the Board of County  
2 Commissioners of Multnomah County, Oregon.



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