

DMCJA BOARD MEETING FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2024 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM VIA ZOOM VIDEOCONFERENCE

PRESIDENT JEFFREY R. SMITH

| | AGENDA | PAGE |
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| 1. | Presentation A. Discussion regarding <u>Who We Are</u> documentary | |
| | Discussion Questions: 1. One of the themes of the film is that the truth about the history of race in United States' has often been hidden from us, but it's often been hidden in plain sight. Was there something in the film that was surprising to you? Is there something in the film that you were not aware of or learned for the first time? 2. The film makes a convincing and compelling case for the argument that the United States was founded on white supremacy. In particular, the film highlights the modern criminal justice systems roots in slave patrols and in its active maintenance of slavery and white supremacist paradigms, often by turning a blind eye to lynchings, massacres, and violence. What steps can we, as judges, take to disrupt this legacy and chart a new path for Courts in the criminal justice system? 3. Jeff Robinson has said that his film is an invitation for audiences "to have a naked lunch moment with me about race in America—a moment to look at what is on the end of our collective fork." What can DMCJA do to have a "naked lunch" moment and be part of charting a better, anti-racist future for Washington Courts? | |
| • | Take the Implicit Association Test | |
| 2. | General Business A. Minutes for January 2024 | |
| | B. Treasurer Report for January 2024 – Judge Jeffrey Goodwin | |
| | C. Special Fund Report for January 2024 – Judge Anita Crawford-Willis | |
| 3. | Liaison Reports | |
| | A. Superior Court Judges' Association (SCJA) – Judge Kristin Ferrera, President-Elect | |
| | B. District and Municipal Court Management Association (DMCMA) – Trish Kinlow, President | |
| | C. Misdemeanant Probation Association (MPA) – Meagan Terlep-Boxley, Representative | |
| | D. Washington State Association for Justice (WSAJ) – Mark O'Halloran E. Washington State Bar Association (WSBA) – Dan Clark | |
| | F. Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC) – Dawn Marie Rubio, State Court Administrator | |
| | G. Board for Judicial Administration (BJA) – Judge Tam Bui, Judge John H. Hart, Judge Mary Logan, Judge Rebecca Robertson | |
| | H. Judicial Information System Update (JIS) – Alex MacBain, Senior Court Program Analyst, AOC | |

4. Standing Committee Reports

- A. Bylaws Committee Report Judge Kristian Hedine
- B. Diversity Committee Report Judge Willie Gregory
- C. DOL Liaison Committee Report Judge Angelle Gerl
- D. Education Committee Report Judge John H. Hart
- E. Judicial Assistance Services Program (JASP) Judge Mary Logan
- F. Legislative Committee Report Judge Kevin G. Ringus and Judge Whitney Rivera
- G. Public Outreach Committee Report Judge Michelle K. Gehlsen and Judge Beth Fraser
- H. Rules Committee Report Judge Catherine McDowall and Judge Wade Samuelson
- I. Therapeutic Courts Committee Report Judge Fred Gillings and Judge Jenifer Howson

5. Action Items

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6. Discussion Items

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7. Information Items

- A. Washington State Association of Youth Courts In-Person Conference March 2, 2024
- B. 2024 State of the Judiciary Report

8. Other Business

- A. Attendee Information Sharing
- B. The next DMCJA Board meeting is scheduled for Friday, March 8, 2024 from 12:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. via Zoom Videoconference

9. Adjourn

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