

JUVENILE JUSTICE COORDINATING COUNCIL APPLICANTS' SUMMARY Attachment C

Last	First	District	Seat	City	Current Employment/Volunteer	Interest
Chimezie	Raymond	Lives in District 1	N/A	Lives in Richmond	This individual works as an Assistant Professor in the School of Allied Health Professions at Liberty University, where they mentor and supervise doctoral students through the dissertation process. Their responsibilities include guiding students in developing their PhD topics, conducting literature reviews, and ensuring ethical research practices. Additionally, they have over 15 years of educational experience and hold a higher degree in public health. They are passionate about helping young people, evidenced by their work with community-based organizations on behavioral risk factors and involvement as a Certified Health Education Specialist (CHES). Since 2023, they have been serving on this commission, where they focus on advocating for policy changes to improve outreach and support for youth at risk of becoming involved in the juvenile system.	This individual has been actively involved in addressing juvenile crime since 2023 and is committed to supporting programs that prevent youth from engaging in criminal behavior. Their focus is on providing training for youths who drop out of school, offering character education, and ensuring timely mental health interventions. They believe it is crucial to extend support to families affected by socioeconomic challenges, as these factors can impact young people's behaviors. Interventions should also target at-risk youth identified through school records to help redirect them before they become involved in the juvenile system.

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Davis	Julianne	Lives in District 5	N/A	Lives in Antioch	<p>This individual has 27 years of experience in public schools and coaching youth sports, with a strong background in Positive Behavior Intervention Strategies and Restorative Justice practices, along with various training received through the school district. The individual has been actively involved in various volunteer roles that demonstrate a strong commitment to education and youth development. They served on the District Parent Advisory Committee, representing parental perspectives in district decisions. As a site representative for the AEA Teacher Union, they advocated for teachers' rights and interests. Additionally, they lead the Counseling Enhanced Program, supporting students with emotional disturbances by providing essential resources and guidance. Beyond their academic contributions, they dedicate time as a head coach for youth soccer and baseball, fostering teamwork and sportsmanship among young athletes.</p>	<p>The individual has a profound interest in addressing the challenges faced by youth and families in Contra Costa County, stemming from their personal experience with their son's incarceration as a juvenile. They recognize the necessity for a comprehensive juvenile justice plan and express a willingness to contribute to an advisory body aimed at resolving issues within the community.</p>

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Drew	Tumani	Works in District 1	Community Representative Seat	Works in Richmond	<p>The individual is currently employed as a Program Manager at the Young Women's Freedom Center, where they have worked for 2.5 years. In this role, they focus on supporting system-impacted young women and transgender youth, creating empowering curriculums related to mass incarceration. They also engage with impoverished communities to prevent youth involvement with the Juvenile Justice system and build relationships with elected officials to address community needs and foster change.</p>	<p>The individual is interested in serving on the Juvenile Justice Coordinating Council to focus on preventing youth mass incarceration. They aim to advocate for funding for prevention programs such as youth employment, diversion programs, and mentorships, and they want to provide insights from a system-impacted perspective. They emphasize the need to strengthen community resources following the closure of the Division of Juvenile Justice in California to ensure safe outcomes for affected youth.</p>

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Hill	Edwin	Lives in District 3	N/A	Lives in Brentwood	The individual has extensive experience working with juveniles, starting as a juvenile hall counselor and then as a juvenile probation officer. They also spent eight years teaching elementary and middle school in Brentwood. Currently, they work part-time as a substitute teacher, focusing on special education students.	The individual has a strong interest in working with juveniles and has dedicated 35 years to the criminal justice system. Their experience includes roles as a juvenile hall counselor, juvenile probation officer, and a public school teacher for elementary and middle school students. Currently, they are focused on part-time work as a substitute teacher, specifically engaging with special education students.