

Minutes from the Louisiana CURE General Meeting..... April 12, 2016

Attending (18): Avis Henderson, Debra Sheehan, Linda Lala Duscoe, Cammie Maturin, Jenny Crawford, Jay Jackson, Carl Taylor, Linda Fjeldsjo, Checko Yancy, Fr. Dan Krutz, Lori Gros, Amy Dozier, James Windom, Linda Reed, Betty Carter, Kristen Antoine, Nicole Williams, Ingre Gordon "Red"

The meeting began with a moment of silence and was followed by the introductions

Keith Nordyke was the guest speaker and spoke on a new model aimed to lower the rate of recidivism called TIGER. They are working along with the LSU Sociology Department. The program has 122 questions that involve Risk and Needs Assessment. The current model is called LARNA.

The purpose is to lower mass incarceration by lowering recidivism. From the year 2000 to date, there have been approximately 163,000 releases and 110,000 individuals.

Cammie Maturin spoke about SB 424 and the difficulty of getting the bill off the ground. Senator Martini is sponsoring the bill and has helped Cammie and her efforts.

Respectfully submitted,

Jay Jackson,  
Secretary