CITYWIDE REENTRY STRATEGIC PLANNING FORUM FOR PUBLIC SAFETY:

Let no one seek his own, but each one his other's well being December 11, 2010 441 4th St NW, Washington DC – One Judiciary Square

Agenda

8:15 am REGISTRATION/ CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

8:30 am Welcome/ Introduction

Paul A. Quander, Jr., Executive Director of the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council Michael A. Blake, Deputy Associate Director, White House Offices of Intergovernmental Affairs & Public Engagement

9:05 am REENTRY AT A GLANCE IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Moderator: Paul A. Quander, Jr., Executive Director of the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council <u>Panel 1: Impact of Reentry Services on District Law Enforcement Agencies</u> The leaders of the District's law enforcement agencies will speak about their agency's focus on reentry and the impact of reentry services generally.

- Isaac Fulwood, Jr., Chairman, United States Parole Commission
- Cathy L. Lanier, Chief of Police, Metropolitan Police Department
- Vincent Cohen, Jr., Principal Assistant, United States Attorney's Office
- Devon Brown, Director, District of Columbia Department of Corrections
- Adrienne Poteat, Deputy Director, Court Services and Offender Supervision Agency
- Ike Eichenlaub, Regional Director of the Mid-Atlantic Region, Federal Bureau of Prisons

Panel 2: History of Reentry Policies and Programs in the District of Columbia

Policy makers and advocates, who have been involved with developing and implementing reentry policies within the District of Columbia, will recall the history of policies and programs.

- Cedric Hendricks, Associate Director, Legislative Intergovernmental and Public Affairs Division of Court Services and Offender Supervision Agency (CSOSA)
- Nancy Ware, Senior Management Analyst, Legislative Intergovernmental and Public Affairs Division of Court Services and Offender Supervision Agency (CSOSA)
- Herman Odom, Executive Director, Office of Ex-offender Affairs (OEOA)
- Rodney Mitchell, Founder, REentry Legal Services

10:25am **REVIEW OF THE DAY'S AGENDA**

10:40am BREAKOUT SESSION 1: EDUCATION/TRAINING

During this breakout session, participants will discuss (a) current education/training reentry services offered in the District of Columbia; (b) ways to improve these services and service delivery; and (c) innovative education/training services.

11:30 am BREAKOUT SESSION 2: EMPLOYMENT

During this breakout session, participants will discuss (a) the current employment readiness, placement and retention services available to returning citizens in the District of Columbia; (b) ways to improve these services and service delivery; and (c) viable new employment services approaches.

12:25 pm **DEBRIEF SESSION**

Participants will reconvene to report improvements/solutions proposed by each of the breakout groups from Session 1 and 2. Option Finders will be used to rank the recommendations.

1:30 pm <u>Lunch</u>

Speaker Darnella Adams will provide her insights on and personal experience with the D.C. criminal justice system and reentry services offered in the District of Columbia.

2:00 pm BREAKOUT SESSION 3: HOUSING

During this breakout session, participants will discuss (a) the current housing reentry services being offered in the District of Columbia; (b) ways to improve these services and service delivery; and (c) ways to make service providers and returning citizens more aware of available housing.

2:50 pm BREAKOUT SESSION 4: PHYSICAL, MENTAL HEALTH & SUBSTANCE ABUSE

During this breakout session, participants will discuss (a) the current healthcare, mental health and substance abuse services offerings for returning citizens in the District of Columbia; (b) ways to improve these services and service delivery; and (c) recommended services to assist returning citizens with accessing, understanding, and navigating these systems.

3:45 pm DEBRIEF SESSION

Participants will reconvene to report the improvements/solutions proposed by each of the breakout groups from Session 3 and 4. Option Finders will be used to rank the recommendations.

4:45 pm CLOSING: NEXT STEPS

Briefly summarize the top three suggestions from each breakout session and the necessary follow up to make an action plan to implement the suggestions