

Minutes

Committee on Court Security Hostile Incidents Subcommittee

April 8, 2014
9:00 am

90 Washington Street
4th Floor Conference Room
Hartford

The Hostile Incidents Subcommittee met at 9:00 a.m. in the 4th floor conference room at 90 Washington Street, Hartford.

Members in attendance: Chief Judicial Marshal Dennis Dowd, Detective Michael Grieder, Chief Inspector James Hankard, Ms. Melanie Kerr (chair), Mr. Robert Kilpatrick, Mr. Robert Kirchner, Atty. Richard Loffredo, Director O'Donovan Murphy, Atty. Denise Poncini, and Chief Judicial Marshal Relford Ward.

Members not in attendance: Chief Thomas Grimaldi

The meeting was called to order by Melanie Kerr at 9:00 a.m.

1. The minutes from the March 19, 2014 meeting were unanimously approved.
2. Director Murphy provided an overview of Judicial Marshal Services' response to hostile incidents
3. Director Murphy discussed options for enhanced communication with law enforcement.
4. Mr. Kirchner described the JTAP system that he oversees.
5. Detective Grieder stressed the importance of communication and the need for plans to be constantly revisited.
6. The next meeting is scheduled for 9:00 on April 29, 2014 at 90 Washington Street, Hartford. At this meeting, the subcommittee will review the JMS response policy and determine how best to present it to the full security committee.

The meeting adjourned at 9:50 a.m.