

The Probation Oversight Commission (POC) has rescheduled the December 21st Virtual Town Hall on Secure Track Youth Facilities to Wednesday, January 5th at 6:00 p.m.

- Given the recent changes to the boundaries of Supervisorial Districts (SD) 5 and 1, and the unavailability of many of the POC commissioners and other panelists, we have rescheduled this meeting to ensure that all appropriate offices and stakeholders are included in the conversation.
- The January 5th Public Meeting will be a virtual, official public meeting of the POC so that all members of the commission can attend, provide for a robust discussion of the issues, and allow significant time for public comment. Many of the commissioners and panelists are not available tomorrow due to scheduling conflicts.
- There will be a full panel including Probation, POC, the Juvenile Justice Coordinating Council- Juvenile Justice Realignment Block Grant (JJCC-JJRBG) Subcommittee, and community members with lived experience in DJJ.
- Questions submitted for the December 21st Town Hall will be answered during the presentation on January 5th and/or in writing before then.
- The next full Board of Supervisors (Board) meeting is not until January 11, 2022, giving full opportunity for public comment on this issue before the Board is in session again.
- The Probation Oversight Commission wants to clarify for attendees that the POC is **NOT** the decision-making body on site selection for the secure track facilities. The POC **IS** facilitating public engagement on the issue but the decision will be made by the JJCC-JJRBG Subcommittee of the [Juvenile Justice Coordinating Council – Probation \(lacounty.gov\)](https://www.lacounty.gov/jjcc-jjrbg) and the Board of Supervisors.

All comments and emails submitted for the 12/21/21 meeting will be forwarded to the POC, Probation, the JJCC-JJRBG Subcommittee, and SD5. Additional comments can be sent via email to info@poc.lacounty.gov.

Sincerely,

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Probation Oversight Commission