



# Yamhill County Department of Community Justice

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**Date:** 8/12/2021

**To:** Yamhill County Board of Commissioners

**From:** Jessica Beach, Yamhill County Department of Community Justice (YCDCJ) Director

**Re:** 2021-23 Criminal Justice Commission (CJC) Justice Reinvestment Initiative (JRI) Formula and Supplemental Grant Application – Phase II – Submission Request

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This memo serves as request for approval to submit the Phase II 2021-23 Criminal Justice Commission Justice Reinvestment Initiative Formula and Supplemental Grant Application. The first phase of the JRI application was approved by the Board of Commissioners (BOC) on 05/13/21 (BO #21-179) and submitted by it's due date on 5/14/21. This second phase of the application is due 8/25/21 by 1pm.

Historically, Yamhill County has been awarded JRI funds for the last four biennium to support our Pretrial Justice and SMART Sentencing Prison Diversion Program with very successful program outcomes. Our 2021-23 proposes to continue to support these programs through funding of FTE, pretrial information systems/court notification systems, program administration, subsidy housing for Short Term Transitional Leave for Department of Corrections Adults in Custody who are eligible for prison release 120-days early, data analysis, pretrial equipment (computers and phones) as well as pretrial travel and training. Please see the enclosed grant application draft for reference.

Per Yamhill County's 2021-23 Department of Corrections Allocation of 2.39%, we are eligible to received \$1,032,657 for the biennium via the formula grant if awarded. Three percent of these funds will be held by the CJC for research and ten percent will be allotted to victim's services with Juliette's House, allowing for a total of \$898,411 to be awarded to Yamhill County YCDCJ. The JRI Supplemental Grant is a competitive process by our application includes a request for \$318,250 for the biennium to support a full time Deputy District Attorney assigned to the SMART Sentencing Prison Diversion Program. If awarded, ten percent would also be awarded to victim's services which would be an additional \$31,825 to Juliette's House if awarded the full amount requested.

On 08/11/21, this proposal was approved by the LPSCC Membership, with unanimous support, for submission to the BOC for final approval for submission to the CJC.

Thank you for your consideration of Yamhill County's 2021-23 JRI Formula and Supplemental Grant application.

Accepted by Yamhill County  
Board of Commissioners on  
8/19/21 by Board Order  
# 21-350