



Juvenile Justice Advisory Group (JJAG)

Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, February 3, 2026

4:30pm - 6:00 pm

Virtual - [Meeting Link](#)

Welcome/Roll Call	Welcome and Introductions	5 min.
State Advisory Group (SAG) Training	Guest Speaker: Melissa Milchman, Executive Director, Coalition for Juvenile Justice	45 min.
JJAG Committee Updates	Policy & Legislative Committee Youth Leaders In Action (YLA) Community Engagement (Ad Hoc) *New Committee Chair Volunteers Needed*	5 min.
JJAG Executive Committee Nominations and Voting	Sworn JJAG members will vote on candidates for the positions of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth Chair • Vice Chair • Secretary See attached slate of candidates. Additional floor nominations will be accepted.	30 min.
Announcements and Resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Annie E. Casey Foundation: https://www.aecf.org/blog/a-new-path-forward-ten-ways-to-transform-youth-justice • 2026 Coalition for Juvenile Justice Conference – accepting proposals, deadline March 9, 2026 	5 min.
Adjourn		6:00 PM ET

Acronyms to Remember:

- CJCC: Criminal Justice Coordinating Council (CJCC)
- Office of Victim Services and Justice Grants (OVSJG)
- Deputy Mayor's Office for Public Safety & Justice (DMPSJ)



Juvenile Justice Advisory Group (JJAG) Slate of Candidates

Voting Date/Meeting: February 3, 2026

Election Method: Virtual vote

Term Start Date: February 4, 2026

JJAG members had the opportunity to nominate themselves or others in advance of this vote. The following slate of candidates is respectfully submitted for consideration and vote by the membership:

Position: Youth Chair

Trevon Simmons:

Please state the reason you are nominating this individual for JJAG Vice-Chair.

I respectfully submit my self-nomination for the position of Vice Chair of the District of Columbia Juvenile Justice Board. My candidacy is grounded in lived experience, direct engagement with District agencies, and a demonstrated commitment to violence prevention, rehabilitation, and improving outcomes for system impacted youth.

As a teenager, I was incarcerated in the District for carrying a pistol without a license. This experience provided me with firsthand insight into the juvenile justice system and the lasting impact system involvement can have on young people. It reinforced the importance of accountability paired with developmentally appropriate, rehabilitative responses that address root causes of behavior and support long-term success. Since that time, I have worked intentionally to be part of the solution. Through my work with the Department of Youth Rehabilitation Services' OASIS program, I supported justice-involved youth navigating supervision, reentry, and behavioral change. I have also served as a facilitator teaching cognitive behavioral therapy informed skills to underserved youth, helping them strengthen decision-making, emotional regulation, and conflict-resolution strategies aligned with evidence-based practices used across the District.

In addition, through my work with the Office of Neighborhood Safety and Engagement, I have directly supported more than 20 peers identified as being at high risk for continued involvement in criminal activity. Through consistent mentorship, guidance, and connection to resources, I helped these individuals reduce their involvement in crime, disengage from harmful behaviors, and pursue safer, more stable pathways. Many have since secured employment and are maintaining a positive presence in their communities.

For the past three years, I have also coached basketball at my local recreation center, using structured programming and mentorship to engage youth at risk of justice involvement. These combined experiences align closely with the District's emphasis on coordinated services, credible messenger leadership, prevention, and public safety.

As Youth Chair, I would serve as a strong liaison between system-impacted youth and the Juvenile Justice Board, ensuring that lived experience informs policy recommendations, program oversight, and strategic decision-making. I appreciate your consideration and would be honored to serve.



Position: Vice Chairperson:

Brittany Mobley

Please state the reason you are nominating this individual for Secretary:

Nomination #1: Brittany Mobley has been a dedicated member of the JJAG for several years. In that time, she has contributed regularly, built meaningful relationships, and consistently kept the strengths, needs, and interests of young people at the core of her leadership. Ms. Mobley is an outstanding leader who is passionate about justice for young people, and she would be an invaluable member of the Executive Committee who would continue to move the JJAG's work forward.

Billy Easley

Please state the reason you are nominating this individual for JJAG Vice-Chair:

Nomination #1: As an Advisory Neighborhood Commissioner, I've heard residents express concern about juvenile crime for the entirety of my two terms serving our community. It's critical that the DC government provide residents with concrete pathways to provide resources to high-risk youth and respond to neighborhood concerns in a manner that's rooted in data and tailored to our community needs. I can use the role of Vice Chair to help direct the energy of the JJAG in a way to accomplish that goal. I have more than eight years of experience working on criminal justice issues - from Congress, to thinktanks, to the United States Sentencing Commission. And I'm familiar with running meetings under Robert's Rules of Order due to serving as co-Chair of ANC 1A's Public Safety Committee and experience as an ANC, which prepares me to serve as Vice Chair. My policy experience, devotion to making a safe community for DC as an ANC, and knowledge of how to operate under Robert's Rules of Order make me uniquely qualified to serve in this role.

Nomination #2: Billy seems to be an engaged and curious JJAG member who has also been clear in his desire to serve in this role. I also think that his role as an ANC Commissioner will support JJAG's efforts to be further engaged in our DC neighborhoods and communities.

Position: Secretary

Billy Easley

Please state the reason you are nominating this individual for Secretary:

Nomination #1: Billy Easley has shown a commitment to youth justice and an interest in the work of the JJAG, even before he became a sworn member. Mr. Easley is organized, engaged, and enthusiastic about making sure the JJAG is an effective advisory body. Mr. Easley has demonstrated that he is making the time to commit to both regular JJAG and subcommittee work. He will be an excellent support to the Executive Committee.