

Re-Imagining the Criminal Justice System

Where We Were
 What We've Done/Where We Are
 What's Next?

Presented by the Commission on Racial and Ethnic Disparity in the Criminal
 Justice System (C.G.S. sec. 51-10c)

Thursday, June 15, 2023

8:30-9:00	Breakfast & Registration	
9:00-9:10	Welcome	Justice Harper
9:10-10:15	Where We Were: Keynote Speaker: Historical Relationship between Law Enforcement and Communities of Color	Dr. Lorenzo Boyd
BREAK 10:15-10:30		
BREAKOUT SESSION I 10:30-11:45		
1. Diversifying Criminal Justice Organizations: Strategies and Challenges	2. Wellness for Criminal Justice Professionals	3. Bail Reform: Are We Making Progress? Efforts and Current Status
LUNCH 11:45– 12:45		
Presentation - What We've Done: Review of significant changes to Connecticut's CJ system over the past 15 – 20 years, including a review of the Police Accountability law Presenter: Mike Lawlor		
BREAKOUT SESSIONS II 12:45-2:00		
4. Law Enforcement Developments Panel re. the Recommendations of the: a. Police Transparency & Accountability Task Force b. CBA Task Force	5. Panel Discussion of the Wide- ranging Impact of the Legalization of Cannabis	6. Panel Discussions with System Professionals: What's Working and What's Not Probation Officers, Bail Staff, Prosecutors, Defense Attorneys
BREAK 2:00-2:15		
FACILITATED SMALL GROUP DISCUSSIONS What's Working? What's Not? Recommendations for Change 2:15-3:15		
SMALL GROUP REPORTING BACK CONCLUSION OF CONFERENCE 3:15-4:00		