

Josephine (JO) County (CO) Justice System (JS) & Public Safety Services (PSS)

JO CO JS&PSS The 2012 expiration of federal funding for services resulted in two JO CO proposed levies as a solution. We believe an informed public will consider the question behind the 2013 Measure 17 - 49, the Criminal Justice and Public Safety Three Year Local Option Tax: *"Is JO CO providing an adequate level of public safety services?"* We believe adequately answering the question involves several sub-questions, the answers of which will assist the public toward informed decision-making.

PSS RESEARCH PROJECTS On July 9, 2013 the *Exploratory Committee* identified the following preliminary JS&PSS research topics.

1. Issue & Analysis Method
2. Potential Research Projects
3. Facts: Historical Public Safety Services (PSS)
4. Facts: Historical PSS Costs
5. Facts: Historical PSS Revenues
6. Facts: Historical PSS Solutions
7. Facts: Laws Potentially Applicable to Issue
8. Facts: Public Debate
9. Facts: Demographics
10. Facts: Potential State Intervention
11. Analysis: Proposed New PSS
12. Analysis: Standards For New PSS
13. Analysis: Estimate of Revenues Needed For New PSS: Historical, Actual, and/or Average
14. Analysis: Potential Sources of Revenue
15. Analysis: Factual Comparisons
16. Analysis: Voter Approval
17. Recommendations: Brainstorming Solutions
18. Recommendations: Solutions

Justice System Exploratory Committee

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HNA	Hugo Neighborhood Association (HNA&HS)
I	Issue
RP	Research Projects
AM	Analysis Method
F	Facts
SA	Standards & Authorities
A	Analysis
R	Recommendations

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NHA1	Hugo Justice System Exploratory Committee
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NHA3	All Voters & Votes Are Legitimate

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Issue (I)

I1	Justice System & Public Safety Service Issue
I2	Justice System & Public Safety Services Educational Brochures

Potential Research Projects (RP)

RP1	Potential Research Projects
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Analysis Method (AM)

AM1	Analysis Method
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Facts (F)

F1	Justice System & Public Safety Services (JS&PSS)
F2	JS&PSS Funding History: 2000 - 2012
F3	JS&PSS Staff History: 2000 - 2012
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F5	JO CO Voter Registration & Voting

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Facts (F) (continued)

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F7	First Amendment Coverage in TDC
F8	JO CO Demographics
F9	JO CO JS&PSS Budgets
F10	Tax Rates
F11	Trust & Ownership By Citizens
F12	Crime

Standards & Authorities (SA)

SA1	Standards As Authorities - Legislation: Constitutions, Statutes, & Rules
SA2	Standards: JS&PSS Historical, Comparison, & Actual or Average Costs

Analysis (A)

A1	JS&PSS Support Of Citizens
A2	JS&PSS Vision Of Voters
A3	Adequate Information & Analysis
A4	Range Of JS&PSS Alternatives/Proposals
A5	Impacts Of Range Of JS&PSS Alternatives/Proposals
A6	Elected Officials Listening
A7	New Taxes Without A Vote Of The Locals
A8	Political Risk Of New Taxes Without A Vote Of The Locals
A9	New Security Groups

Recommendations (R)

R1	Brainstorming Solutions
R2	Solutions

Want more information? Contact a member of the *Exploratory Committee*.

1. Hugo Neighborhood Association & Historical Society (HNA&HS). July 9, 2013. *Justice System Exploratory Committee*. Hugo, OR.
2. Hugo Neighborhood Association. July 9, 2013. *All Voters & Votes Are Legitimate*. Hugo, OR.

Exploratory Committee's Mission

Mission An independent Justice System and Public Safety Services Exploratory Committee (*Exploratory Committee*) to investigate the JO CO Justice System & Public Safety Services (JS&PSS) issue was formed under the leadership of the Hugo Neighborhood Association and Historical Society (HNA&HS).

Big picture ideas for the exploratory effort include the following.

1. Identifying the JS&PSS issue.
2. Identifying the JS&PSS sub-issues for research and analysis.
3. Identifying a range in level of services
4. Identifying a range of costs for services.
5. Identifying revenues for services.

The ultimate goal is an adequate justice system and public safety services. Is it possible to have a higher level of service for a lower cost? The purpose of the *Exploratory Committee* is to gather information adequate enough to understand the JS&PSS issues. This includes educational outreach efforts.

The *Exploratory Committee's* purpose is limited to investigating and researching the JS&PSS issues. It will not make evaluations of right or wrong, nor make recommendations on how to vote.

The contents of this brochure are expressions of the opinions and beliefs of those that contribute based on their thoughts and experiences. Hopefully, their efforts will assist the public toward informed decision-making.

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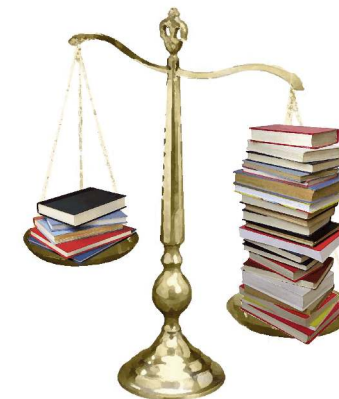
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