



Chief Justice Maureen O'Connor, Chair • Sara Andrews, Director

AGENDA March 16, 2017 10:00 a.m.  
Moyer Judicial Center, Room 101

- I. Call to Order & Roll Call of Commission Members, Advisory Committee  
Vice-Chair Selvaggio
- II. [Approval of Minutes from December 15, 2016](#)  
Vice-Chair Selvaggio
- III. Membership update & Introductions  
Vice-Chair Selvaggio
- IV. Juvenile Justice, Sentencing/Criminal Justice, Data Collection & Sharing reports are included in meeting materials. [Committee Update](#)
- V. Items for Commission Vote:
  - A. [Operating Guidelines](#) – The draft guidelines were shared at our September meeting, revised for the December meeting and revised again following that meeting. Changes include reordering of sections, clarification of member attendance, replacement designee, quorum, proxy voting, meeting participation by phone, committee member reimbursement and removal of electronic voting option. Following the adoption of the guidelines, we will produce a member handbook to provide to Members as they are appointed.
- VI. Items for Commission Discussion/Information:
  - A. Staffing Update – Sara
  - B. Bail and Pre-Trial Services Reform – Jo Ellen  
The Ad Hoc Committee has completed its report. The Commission will formally vote on the recommendations at the June 15, 2017 meeting. Public comment will be accepted via the Commission website until May 15, 2017.
- VII. Marsy's Law Presentation & Discussion – Cathy Harper Lee  
("Amendment to Ohio's Constitution that ensures equal rights for victims of crime")  
[Marsy's Law Fact Sheet](#)  
[Marsy's Law Summary Petition](#)  
[Marsy's Law website](#)



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## VIII. Justice Reinvestment in Ohio – where are we now? Council of State Governments Justice Center Staff

The presentation is planned to build on the Commission awarding the contract to Case Western Reserve University to gather, compile data and identify trends regarding criminal sentence reform and other legislation impacting criminal sentencing enacted since HB86 in September 2011.

The presentation will consist of (1) a recap of the 2011 justice reinvestment process and the HB 86 policies enacted as well as state and local initiatives occurring since; (2) recent criminal justice system trends in Ohio as well regionally and nationally; and (3) next steps for Ohio to achieve greater impact from public safety policies, including opportunities to receive external support.

## IX. Adjourn

Updates are available on the Commission website  
<http://www.supremecourt.ohio.gov/Boards/Sentencing/>

**2017 Full Commission Meeting Dates**  
**Thursday, June 15, room 101**  
**Thursday, September 21, room 101**  
**Thursday, December 14, TBD**