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## Sentencing Commission Member Meeting Schedule Survey, 2023

**\*Updated May 1, 2023\***

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### Respondents

The survey was emailed to the 29 current members of the Commission,<sup>1</sup> as well as two agency designees and the Executive Assistant of the Chief Justice.

Commission members were asked to reply by 12pm on April 18, 2023. As of that time, there were 21 respondents, a response rate of 72%. *Update: As of May 1, 2023, there was an additional response. This brings the total response rate to 75.8% (22 of 29). The results below are updated and based on all 22 responses.*

### Summary of Results

Based on the 22 responses, the existing quarterly Thursday morning meeting is the best overall time. An alternative time could be quarterly meetings on Friday morning or early afternoon.

The months of the quarterly meetings could be adjusted to February, May, September, and November to meet the preferences and availability of larger numbers of members. The third Thursday of the month is recommended (except when conflicting with holidays), as it seems most members are used to the current meeting schedule.

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<sup>1</sup> Currently, there are two vacancies on the Commission: one from the House of Representatives and a Mayor.

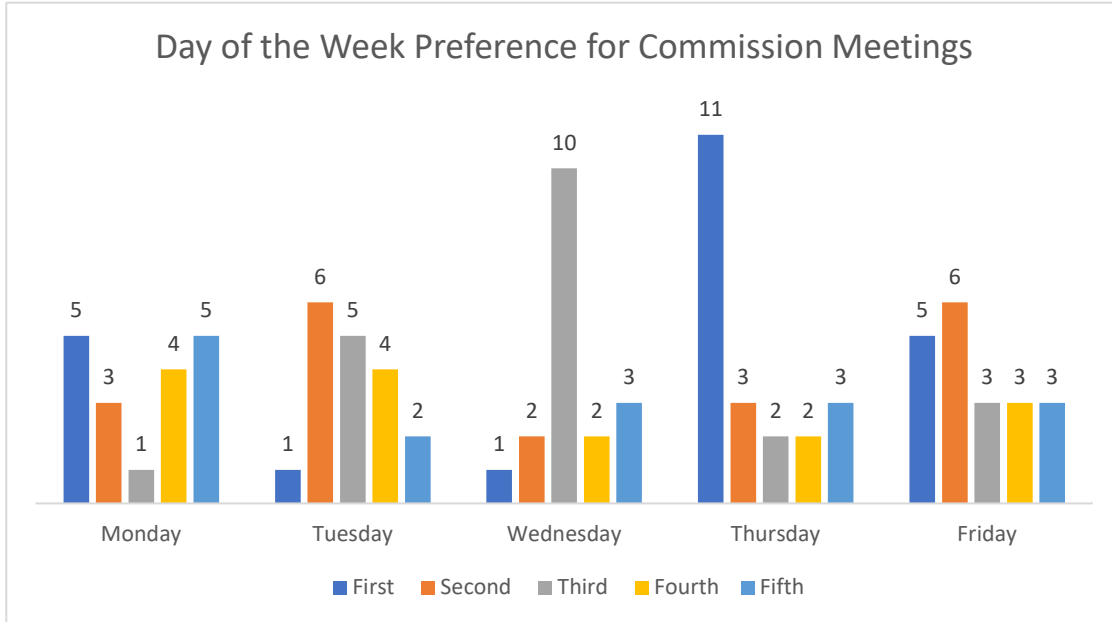


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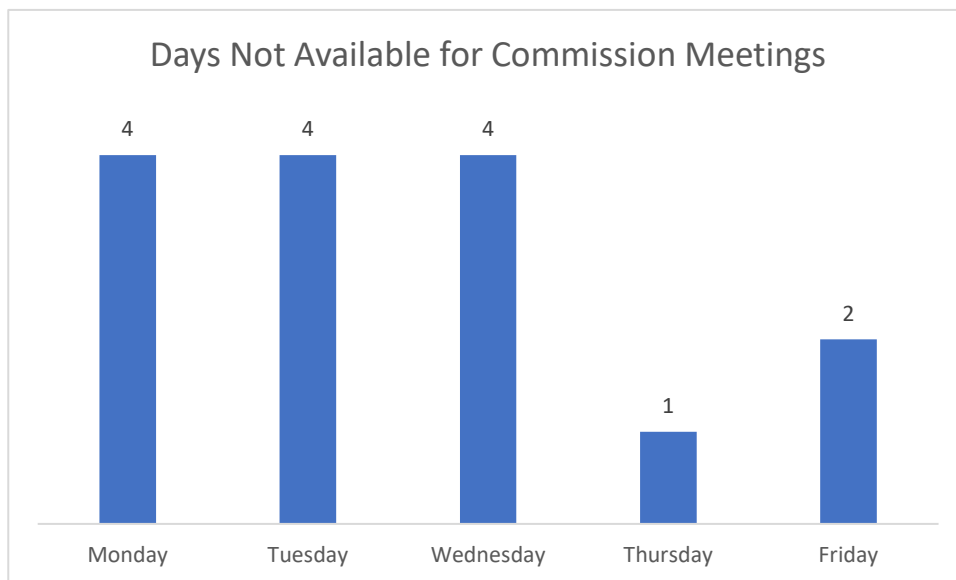
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## Result Summary

### Which days of the week do you prefer for Sentencing Commission meetings?



The largest number of respondents indicated that Thursday was the preferred day of the week to meet. Combining the first and second choices, Thursday was still the most popular (14), followed by Friday (11) and Monday (8).



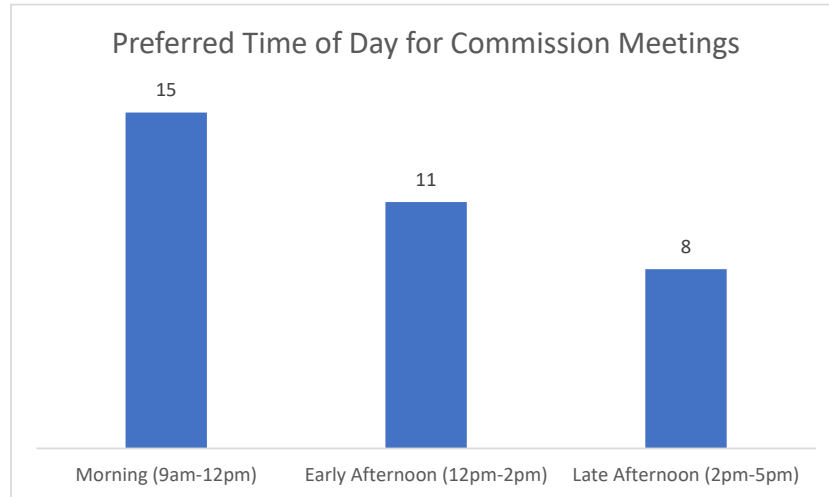
Respondents were asked to rank a day as “0” (zero) if it would generally not work for meetings. There was only one respondent that indicated Thursdays would not work.



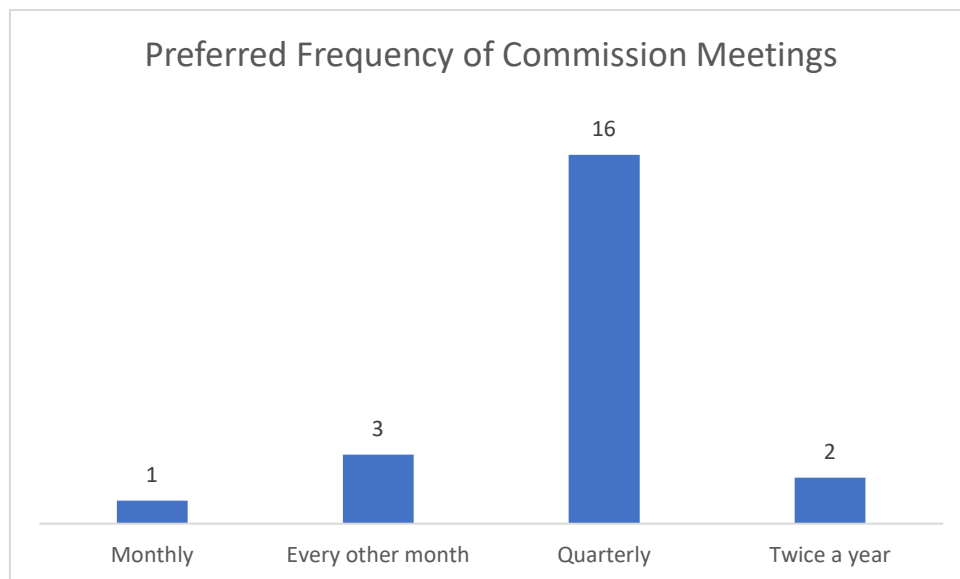
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**What general time of day would you be able to attend a Sentencing Commission meeting?  
Select all that apply.**



**Currently, the Sentencing Commission meets quarterly. How often would you like the Commission to meet during the year? Select one.**





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**As previously mentioned, the Commission has traditionally met quarterly. Below, the months of the years have been separated by quarters.**

**Please select the month(s) in each quarter you would most likely be available to attend a Commission meeting. Select all that apply.**

