## FY 2017-2018 ANNUAL PLANNING SUMMARY REPORT OF THE ROBESON COUNTY RISK AND NEEDS ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE

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## Part I. Risk Assessment Summary

The Risk and Needs Assessment Committee reviewed data gleaned from the Juvenile Risk Assessment instrument administered by Juvenile Court Counselors after juveniles are referred with a complaint alleging that a delinquent act has occurred and prior to adjudication of the juvenile. The Juvenile Risk Assessment is an instrument used to predict the likelihood of the juvenile being involved in future delinquent behavior. For some youth, some of the individual item ratings may be heavily dependent upon information reported by the juvenile or the parent(s). For these items (*represented by percentages which have a star next to them*), there is a likelihood of under-reporting the incidence of a particular behavior and the actual incidence may be higher than suggested by these figures. In those cases, the figure should be interpreted as a measure of the minimum level of occurrence.

## Part II. Needs Assessment Summary

The Risk and Needs Assessment Committee also reviewed data gleaned from the Juvenile Needs Assessment instrument administered by Juvenile Court Counselors prior to court disposition of a juvenile. The Juvenile Needs Assessment is an instrument used to examine a youth's needs in the various domains of his life: The Individual Domain, The School Domain, The Peer Domain, and the Community Domain. This instrument was designed to detect service intervention needs as an aid in service planning. As with the Juvenile Risk Assessment, some of the individual item ratings may be heavily dependent upon information reported by the juvenile or the parent(s). For these items (*represented by percentages which have a star next to them*), there is a likelihood of under-reporting the incidence of a particular behavior and the actual incidence may be higher than suggested by these figures. In those cases, the figure should be interpreted as a measure of the minimum level of occurrence.

## **Overall Youth Risk Level of Reoffending**

					FY 1	15-16						
County	RL1	RL2	RL3	RL4	RL5	Total	<b>RL1%</b>	RL2%	RL3%	RL4%	RL5%	Total
STATE	747	2,083	4,376	4,240	1,741	13,187	6%	16%	33%	32%	13%	100%
Bladen	2	1	4	4	2	13	15%	8%	31%	31%	15%	100%
Brunswick	5	20	87	59	21	192	3%	10%	45%	31%	11%	100%
Columbus	2	10	21	17	6	56	4%	18%	38%	30%	11%	100%
Cumberland	42	98	164	154	60	518	8%	19%	32%	30%	12%	100%
Harnett	9	40	68	64	27	208	4%	19%	33%	31%	13%	100%
Hoke	19	16	18	22	4	79	24%	20%	23%	28%	5%	100%
Lee	8	35	78	48	25	194	4%	18%	40%	25%	13%	100%
Robeson	7	57	98	94	31	287	2%	20%	34%	33%	11%	100%
Scotland	3	11	27	24	8	73	4%	15%	37%	33%	11%	100%

FY 14-15												
County	RL1	RL2	RL3	RL4	RL5	Total	<b>RL1%</b>	RL2%	RL3%	RL4%	RL5%	Total
STATE	884	2,285	4,700	4,517	1,609	13,995	6%	16%	34%	32%	11%	100%
Bladen	1	2	7	9	3	22	5%	9%	32%	41%	14%	100%
Brunswick	6	12	68	75	25	186	3%	6%	37%	40%	13%	100%
Columbus	6	14	34	26	11	91	7%	15%	37%	29%	12%	100%
Cumberland	63	111	172	162	67	575	11%	19%	30%	28%	12%	100%
Harnett	5	29	81	83	29	227	2%	13%	36%	37%	13%	100%
Hoke	27	14	16	23	12	92	29%	15%	17%	25%	13%	100%
Lee	1	11	70	87	31	200	1%	6%	35%	44%	16%	100%
Robeson	8	43	93	89	20	253	3%	17%	37%	35%	8%	1009
Scotland	7	12	21	28	5	73	10%	16%	29%	38%	7%	1009

## JCPC YOUTH SERVED FY 15-16 BY PROGRAM COUNTY, COURT INVOLVEMENT STATUS AT ADMISSION AND RISK LEVEL

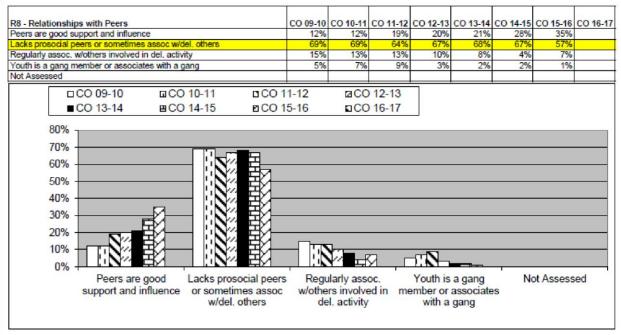
		Non Court Involved						Court Involved					
				RL4 (612)	RL5 (1330)	Non				RL4 (612)	RL5 (1330)		
	RL1	RL2	RL3	(012)	(1330)	Total	RL1	RL2	RL3	(012)	(1550)		
	(0)	(1-2)	(3-5)			TOtal	(0)	(1-2)	(3-5)		(	Court	STATE
County		2	-					2				Total	TOTAL
Bladen	0		31	13	0	46	2		5	16	2	27	73
Brunswick	0	21	19	17	0	57	5	28	99	51	8	191	248
Columbus	35	64	23	5	0	127	0	13	31	26	4	74	201
Cumberland	91	110	166	100	9	476	17	32	62	98	28	237	713
Harnett	5	16	22	4	0	47	2	14	47	46	25	134	181
Hoke	1	3	10	8	0	22	6	3	5	12	9	35	57
Lee	0	1	0	1	1	3	1	3	16	37	18	75	78
Robeson	149	54	98	38	0	339	1	7	10	33	8	59	398
Scotland	9	9	3	0	1	22	2	6	19	19	2	48	70
Total	1,814	3,707	4,127	1,976	180	11,804	462	1,561	3,975	4,605	1,5871	2,190	23,994

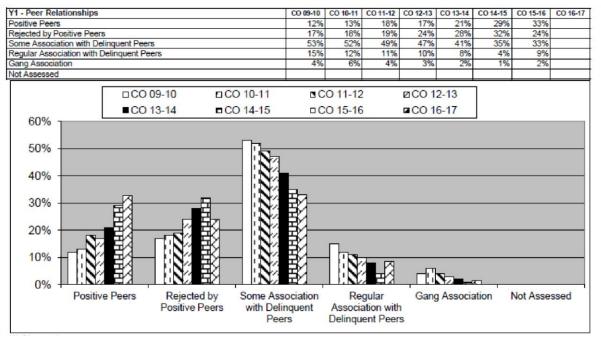
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		Non Court Involved						Court Involved				
						Non					RL5	
	RL1	RL2	RL3	RL4	RL5	Court	RL1	RL2	RL3	RL4 (6-	(1330)	Court
County		(1-2)	(3-5)	(6-12)	_ (13-30)	Total	(0)	(1-2)	(3-5)	12)		Total
Bladen	0%	4%	67%	28%	0%	100%	7%	7%	19%	59%	7%	100%
Brunswick	0%	37%	33%	30%	0%	100%	3%	15%	52%	27%	4%	100%
Columbus	28%	50%	18%	4%	0%	100%	0%	18%	42%	35%	5%	100%
Cumberland	19%	23%	35%	21%	2%	100%	7%	14%	26%	41%	12%	100%
Harnett	11%	34%	47%	9%	0%	100%	1%	10%	35%	34%	19%	100%
Hoke	5%	14%	45%	36%	0%	100%	17%	9%	14%	34%	26%	100%
Lee	0%	33%	0%	33%	33%	100%	1%	4%	21%	49%	24%	100%
Robeson	44%	16%	29%	11%	0%	100%	2%	12%	17%	56%	14%	100%
Scotland	41%	41%	14%	0%	5%	100%	4%	13%	40%	40%	4%	100%
Total	15%	<b>31%</b>	35%	17%	2%	100%	4%	<b>13%</b>	33%	38%	<b>13%</b>	100%

# Risk and Need Assessment Breakdown by RISK FACTOR DOMAINS Page 3 of 15 $\,$

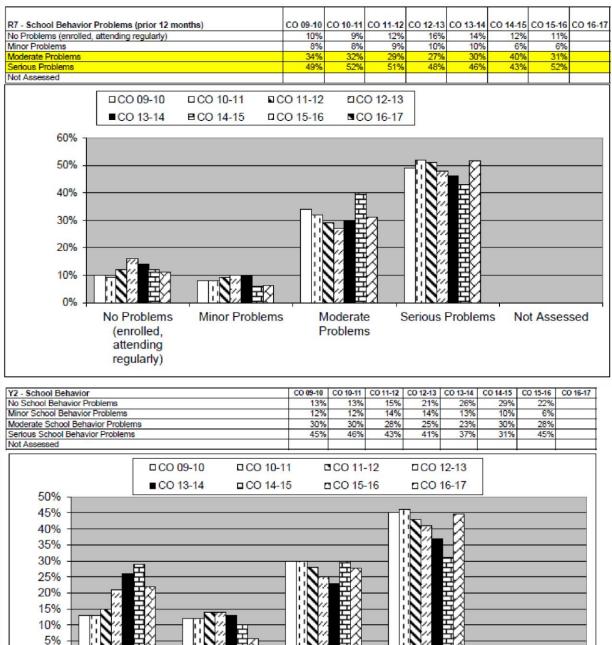
## PEER DOMAIN





- 1. **<u>R8-Peer Relationships-</u>** Youth lacks pro-social peers and/or sometime and/or regularly associates with negative/delinquent peers; and/or youth is a gang member or associates with a gang.
- 2. <u>Y1-Peer Relationships</u>- Youth sometimes and/or regularly associate with delinquent peers/negative peers; and/or gang member or associates with a gang member.

## <mark>SCHOOL DOMAIN</mark>



1. <u>**R7-Y2- School Behavior Problems**</u>-Youth reported having Moderate School Behavior Problems and youth reported having Serious School Behavior Problems.

Moderate School

**Behavior Problems** 

Serious School

**Behavior Problems** 

Not Assessed

Minor School Behavior

Problems

Moderate Problems-Youth has 4 to 10 unexcused absences; received 1 or more in-school suspensions; 1 short-term suspension less than 10 days.

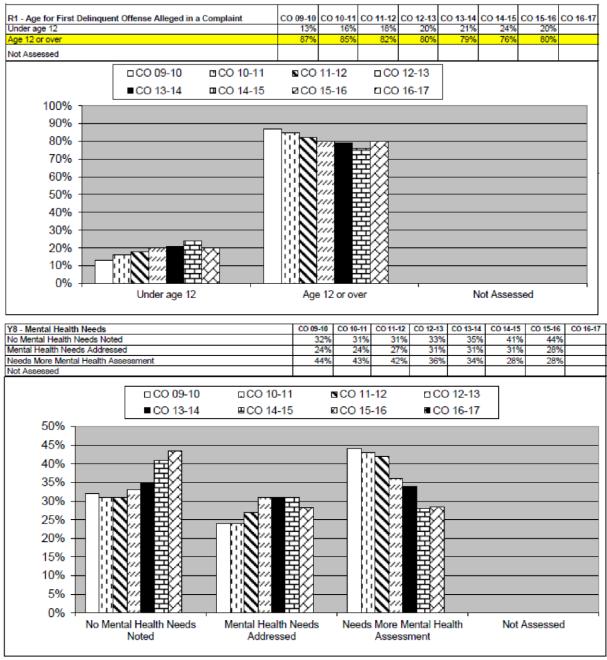
Serious Problems-Youth has dropped out of school or been expelled; received more than 1 short term suspension; receive 1 or more long term suspension of 10 days or more; has more than 10 unexcused absences.

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No School Behavior

Problems

## INDIVIDUAL DOMAIN

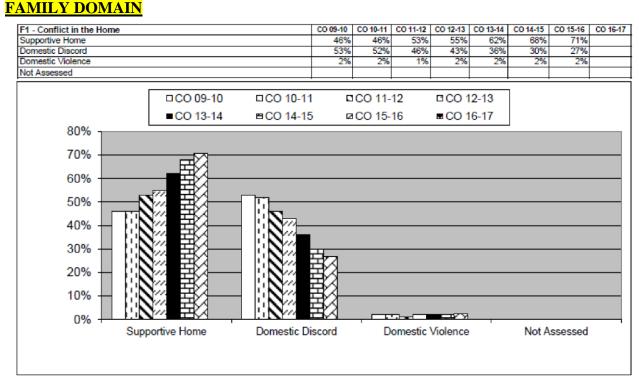


st Delinquent Offense Alleged in a complaint- Youth are age 12 years or older at the

## 1. <u>**R1-Age When 1**</u>

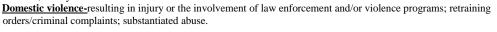
time of the 1st delinquent offense alleged in a complaint.

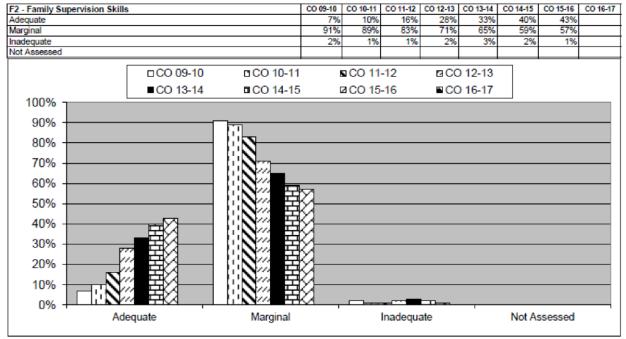
2. <u>Y8-Mental Health Needs</u>- Youth reported having mental health issues that are being addressed and/or need further assessing or treatment.



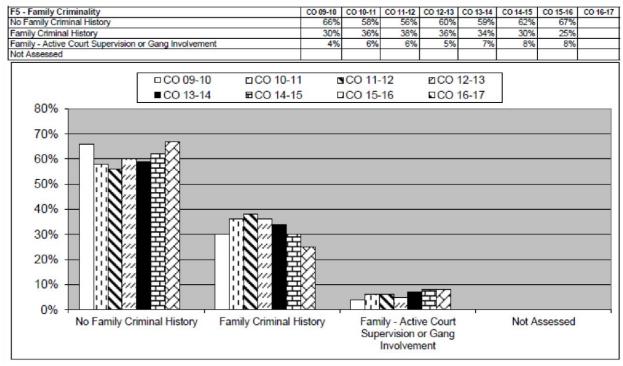
F1-Family Conflict at Home- Youth report domestic discord in their home.

Marital or domestic discord-resulting in emotional or physical conflict (without serious injury) with spouse, partner, and/or children; family members avoid contact with each other.





**F2-Family Supervision Skills**- parent/guardian/custodian supervision skills are reported as marginal.



**<u>F5-Family Criminal History</u>**- Youth's parent/guardian/custodian and/siblings have a Criminal History and/or is currently incarcerated or have been incarcerated.

Marginal-Parent may make rules, but has difficulty enforcing them; youth often engages in inappropriate activities without parent's knowledge; parent does not react with the necessary sanction when rules are broken. Inadequate-Parent supports juvenile's delinquency/independence or excuses it; parent refuses responsibility for youth; parent abandons youth.

## **Court Services Data**

	COMPLAINTS RECEIVED BY COUNTY: FY 13-14 TO FY 15-16								
		FY 13-14			FY 14-15			FY 15-16	
	Not			Not			Not		
	School-	SchoolBase	FY 13-	School-	SchoolBase	FY 14-	School-	SchoolBase	FY 15-
County	Based	d	14 Total	Based	d	15 Total	Based	d	16 Total
STATE	17,527	14,094	31,621	16,751	13,666	30,41	1,56	2,021	3,586
						7	5		
Bladen	3	15	48	3	15	51	1	10	25
	3			6			5		
Brunswick	17	226	397	17	383	553	13	371	504
	1			0			3		
Columbus	4	89	134	9	126	221	3	66	100
	5			5			4		
Cumberlan	79	821	1,612	61	366	979	60	332	937
d	1			3			5		
Harnett	30	264	567	14	349	495	20	233	438
	3			6			5		
Hoke	9	118	211	11	132	249	9	107	206
	3			7			9		
Lee	6	276	342	9	283	376	6	338	406
<mark>Robeson</mark>	6	<mark>312</mark>	<mark>601</mark>	3	<mark>346</mark>	<mark>558</mark>	8	<mark>420</mark>	<mark>735</mark>
	<mark>289</mark>			<mark>21</mark> 2			<mark>315</mark>		
Scotland	13	62	192	7	62	139	9	144	235
	0			7			1		

## COMPLAINTS RECEIVED BY COUNTY: FY 13-14 TO FY 15-16

PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL COMPI	AINTS RECEIVED THAT V	VERE SCHOOL-BASE	D: BY COUNTY
County	FY 13-14	FY 14-15	FY 15-16
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STATE	45%	45%	56%
Bladen	31%	29%	40%
Brunswick	57%	69%	74%
Columbus 66% 57% 66% Cumberland 51% 37% 35%	%		
Harnett	47%	71%	53%
Hoke	56%	53%	52%
Lee	81%	75%	83%
Robeson	<mark>52%</mark>	<mark>62%</mark>	<mark>57%</mark>
Scotland	32%	45%	61%

Title:	Complaints Received in Robeson FY 14-15
Reference:	WP1509-02
DATABASE:	NC-JOIN

#### Table 1: Statewide School Based Offense FY 14-15

	Statewide School Based Complaints					
Complaints						
School-Based Offense	Received	Percent				
No	16,760	55.0%				
Yes	13,659	45.0%				
Total	30,419					

#### Table 2: Robeson School Based Offense FY 14-15

	<b>Robeson School Based Complaints</b>			
	Complaints			
School-Based Offense	Received	Percent		
Yes	346	62%		
No	212	38%		
Total	558			

## Table 3: Statewide Offense Type of School Based Complaints Received during FY 14-15

Statewide Sch	ool Based Complaints	Complaints
Offense Type	Received	Percent
Misdemeanor	22,299	73.3%
Felony	5,698	18.7%
Status/Infractions	<u>2,422</u>	8.0%
Total	30,419	

## Table 4: Robeson Offense Type of School Based Complaints Received during FY 14-15Robeson School Based ComplaintsOffense TypeComplaints

Percent		
	Received	
Misdemeanor	330	95%
Felony	14	4%
Status/Infractions	2	.6%
Total	346	

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Statewide	Distinct Juveniles	Race Distinct Juveniles	Percent
Black	6,531	47.8%	
White	5,355	39.2%	
Hispanic	1,180	8.6%	
<u>Other</u>	<u>607</u>	4.4%	

Total

13,673

#### Table 6: Distinct Juveniles with Complaints Received during FY14-15 Robeson County

Robeson County Percent	Race	Distinct Juveniles	
Black	129	42%	
White	24	8%	
Hispanic 22 7% Other 129 42%			
Total	304		

#### Table 7: North Carolina Population Age 6 – 17

	Robeso	n	Statewide Tot	al
Race	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
White	5,813	26%	1,029,574	65.4%
Non-White	16,960	74%	545,409	34.6%
Total	22,773		1,574,983	

Table 8: School Based Complaints by School Resource Officers FY 14-15 Statewide **Statewide School Based Complaints** SRO Complaint Complaints Received Percent No 9,903 75.8% Yes 3,157 24.2% Total 13,060 Table 9: School Based Complaints by School Resource Officers FY 14-15 Robeson County **Robeson County School Based Complaints SRO Complaint Complaints Received** Percent Yes 335 97% No 11 3% Total 346

## Part III. Summary of the Existing Community Resources

**I. STRUCTURED ACTIVITIES-** Any non-residential program that provides a structured service plan of learning s identified need(s) and with the purpose of improving the juveniles' (or nowledge in a particular area, or enhancing academic performance.

- 1. Expo Gro Afterschool Remedial Academic Program (Pembroke Area)
- 2. Red Springs Middle Remedial Academic Program (Red Springs Area)
- **3.** Colors of Life Afterschool Social Skills Program (Lumberton Area)
- 4. Keeping My Child Drug Free Social Skills-Parenting Skills Program (Pembroke Area)
- 5. Local Parks and Recreation Athletic Programs
- 6. Middle/High School Athletic Programs & Clubs

**<u>II. RESTORATIVE PROGRAMS</u>**-Programs that offer immediate and short-term involvement with juveniles to haviors with the aim of resolution of the presenting problem and extinction of

behavior.

- 1. Robeson Restitution Program
- 2. Robeson County Teen Court Program

III. COMMUNITY DAY PROGRAM	S- Programs that offer well supervised and highly structured program of
	youth to remain in the community. Clients may be long-term suspended therwise result in placement in detention. Typically, this type structure
	ile court counselors. Programs can either be
serves youth who are	e in the afternoon/after school hours). It is desirable for programs to have
court full both	s, such as, Individual and/or Family Counseling, Substance Abuse
Education/Treatment, Restitution/Com	Education, Vocational Development
and Structured Activities.	

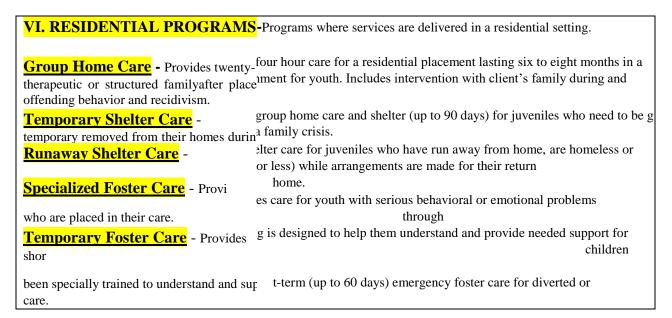
**IV. ASSESSMENT SERVICES**-Clinical Evaluations and Assessments, including Psychological Evaluations to help court counselors and judges ecommend the most appropriate consequences and treatment for court involved youth.

1. <u>Psychological Evaluations/SOSE Evaluation Program-(Robeson Restitution)-</u>Evaluation Services

V. CLINICAL TREATMENT SERVICES-Programs in which a professional helps a juvenile and/or his or her planning. It may include individual, group, family counseling or a h as sex offender treatment or substance abuse treatment. Services

may be community or home based.

- 1. Adolescent Substance Abuse/Individual Counseling Program (Pembroke Area)
- 2. <u>AMIKids Non-Residential Contractual Services</u>-provides Functional Family Therapy (FFT), an evidence-based intervention for working with adjudicated youth and their families as a home-based dispositional alternative.
- **3.** Eckerd Non-Residential Contractual Services-provides community-based services in North Carolina, are designed to address the emotional and behavioral needs of youth and their families as a juvenile justice dispositional alternative. Youth are referred in the following situations: (1) to maintain youth in their communities as a dispositional alternative to residential placement; (2) to maintain youth in their community while they await residential placement; (3) to provide support and services to the family while the youth is receiving treatment in a residential placement; and (4) to provide transitional services for youth returning to their home communities from a residential placement.



emporary removed from their home during a family crisis. Foster parents have

- 1. Robeson House (Temporary Shelter Care)-Lumberton Area
- 2. Eckerd Residential Services- serves on average 48 youth a day who have received Level II dispositions at two short-term juvenile justice residential facilities where youth receive a complete rehabilitative experience delivered in an average of 90 days.
- 3. WestCare Residential Services- serves on average 16 females a day who have received Level II dispositions at a short-term residential facility. The program provides a gender-responsive therapeutic environment which focuses on trauma-informed care.
- 4. **Methodist Home for Children Residential Services-** operates five multipurpose juvenile group homes across the state. The homes address antisocial behaviors through implementing a social and life skills curriculum that is individualized for each youth. MHC also operates a transitional home for youth exiting youth development centers who cannot return to their home communities due to gang violence or family disorder. The transitional home provides youth with independent living skills to assist them when they leave the home and begin living on their own

## Community Resources available but difficult to access

## Part IV. Summary of Gaps and Barriers in the Continuum of Services

#### **Barriers to JCPC Programs**

- Lack of transportation continues to be a barrier to children having access to some services when transportation is not provided by the program.
- Children with no Medicaid or private insurance
- Lack of parental participation continues to be a barrier for children and families having access to services and not consequence/leverage on the parent for following through with recommended services.

Gaps and Barriers of other programs in the Community

## Part V. Proposed Priority Services for Funding

The committee compared the services needed to address the elevated Juvenile Risk Factors and Juvenile Needs with services currently available in the community. Services which are currently available in the community and sufficient to meet the needs of court involved youth or those youth most at risk for court involvement are not considered as a priority for JCPC funding.

## The Committee proposes that the following services in ranked order be approved as the funding priorities for FY <del>2016-2017</del>: (FY 2017-2018)

- 1. Parent/Family Skill Building
- 2. Interpersonal Skill Building
- 3. Mentoring
- 4. Tutoring/Academic Enhancement
- 5. Substance Abuse Treatment
- 6. Restitution/Community Service
- 7. Teen Court
- 8. Temporary Shelter Care
- 9. Clinical Assessment or Psychological Evaluations

Sincerely,

Community Assessment Chair Robeson County JCPC