Criminal Justice Racial Equity Workgroup

AGENDA
Thursday, November 3rd, 2022 @ 10:00am
In Person – 564 6th Street San Francisco

In accordance with Governor Gavin Newsom’s statewide order for all residents to “Stay at Home” – and with the numerous local and state proclamations, orders and supplemental directions – aggressive directives have been issued to slow down and reduce the spread of the COVID-19 virus. The Criminal Justice Racial Equity Workgroup meetings held through videoconferencing will allow remote public comment via the videoconference or through the number noted above.

Members of the public are encouraged to participate remotely by submitting written comments electronically to patricia.e.martinez@sfgov.org. These comments will be made part of the official public record in these matters and shall be brought to the attention of the members of the Subcommittee. Explanatory and/or Supporting Documents, if any, will be posted at: https://sfdistrictattorney.org/policy/sentencing-commission/agendas-minutes-and-documents/

1. Welcome and Light Refreshments
2. Icebreaker
3. Introduction to Circles
4. Community Circle: Common Grounds
   a. Participants are encouraged to bring an item(s) to share with the group that symbolizes family or community (ex. photo, stone, keepsake)
5. Adjournment
SUBMITTING WRITTEN PUBLIC COMMENT TO THE SAN FRANCISCO CRIMINAL JUSTICE RACIAL EQUITY WORKGROUP
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MEETING MATERIALS
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ACCOMMODATIONS
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TRANSLATION
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