



LEGISLATED GUIDELINES

Subject to the fiscal and budgetary provisions of the Charter, the Director shall designate staff to provide administrative support to the Working Group.

Subject to the fiscal, budgetary, and civil service provisions of the Charter, the Director shall hire and make available to the Working Group an outside consultant with expertise in juvenile justice reform, program evaluation, data analysis, youth development, development of alternatives to detention, and juvenile justice systemic change.

The outside consultant shall advise the Working Group, and, to the extent desired by the Working Group, may ~facilitate its meetings and compile required reports on behalf of the Working Group.

The Working Group's Chairperson or Chairperson's designee shall appoint members to the sub-committees. Subcommittees shall report findings and make recommendations to the full Working Group for its consideration.

Sub-committees shall meet at least every two months until juvenile hall is closed and a substitute place or places of detention are available for youth placement.

Subject to the fiscal, budgetary, and civil service provisions of the Charter, and to the extent consistent with open government laws, the Working Group shall investigate juvenile justice best practices by visiting other jurisdictions and request that the Director retain subject matter experts, as needed.

The Working Group shall also submit each report to the Mayor, any City department or office responsible for a program identified in the report, and the Director.

Director shall post each report on the Human Rights Commission website.

Establishment of Fund. The Youth Justice Reinvestment Fund is established as a category eight fund to receive monies appropriated for revenue dedicated to community-based alternatives to juvenile detention and other contributions to the fund. (b) Use of Fund. The fund is to be used exclusively by the Director, for the purpose of supporting community-based alternatives to juvenile detention and the work of the Close Juvenile Hall Working Group established in Article XL of Chapter 5 of the Administrative Code.