

# Peer Court Minutes 3/15/22

Meeting started at 5:00 PM.

A quorum was determined, and the meeting was properly posted.

Present at the meeting:

David Peterson  
Jill Rinzel  
Claudia Parkes  
Mark Hepfinger  
Jay Kiefer

No public appearances

Mark made a motion to approve the minutes from 1/16/21's meeting as written. Jill seconded. Motion passed 3-0.

Claudia sent out a report regarding updates.

Innovation grant was approved and found someone from Milwaukee (Restorative Circles - link to bios: <https://restorativecircles.net/our-people/>) who is coming to do a 2-day training next month.

A \$2K grant was used to host Global Youth Justice for a 9/11 event. Not all the funds were used, and they reached out to Claudia to use the funds to travel to Boston for the 20th Global Youth Justice training.

Claudia recommended producing a prevention guide. Claudia mentioned that Cottage Grove has a townhall meeting every month hosted by the Police Department to get community wide involvement. We could use that meeting to gather ideas for the prevention guide. David will research the townhall meeting and report back at our next meeting.

Future agenda items:

1. Updates from Briar Patch
2. Discuss community panel for Cottage Grove regarding auto thefts
3. Claudia to report on training in Boston

Next meeting: Tuesday, May 17, 2022 @ 5 PM

Mark made a motion to adjourn. Jill seconded. Motion carried 3-0 and the meeting adjourned at 5:17 PM.