

Valencia County Juvenile Justice General Board Meeting  
Henry Perea Bldg  
750 Morris Road  
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**February 26, 2015 @ 12:00 p.m**  
**General Meeting Minutes**

- ❖ Introductions and welcome
- ❖ Healthy Transitions grant presentation and request for board involvement: Leandro Romero from SWFGC presented to the board on the Healthy Transitions grant. She explained that this is an early intervention approach. They need a group of members who would goin a local transition team to represent Valencia County in Santa Fe. They also need youth outreach workers, life coaches, and other involved youth. They will utilize the JIFF. They explained the strict confidentiality guidelines which would be enforced. The wrap around concept was explained. There was a session of questions and answers from board members.
- ❖ Work within task forces: There was open discussion among board members as to which type of projects and task forces are needed going forward. It had been decided at the last meeting that BMS would be one of the projects for the board. After prolonged discussion and sharing, the board decided as follows:
  1. There would be 3 Task Forces; Systems Advocacy Task Force which included the following projects; parenting advocacy, BMS and homeless youth.
  2. The second task force was Services Task Force which would include the following projects: Parenting Education and TNT Boxing.
  3. The last task force was the Case Processing Task Force. This is a stand alone Task Force which will be chaired by Estevan Gallegos. Essential members include Judges,

prosecutor, defense attorney, JPO and law enforcement. Estevan gave a brief description to the board of what the task force would be working on.

- ❖ Other business as time allows; none
- ❖ Adjourned at 1:30 pm