



COUNTY OF DUPLIN

JUVENILE CRIME PREVENTION COUNCIL

Meeting Time: 1st Tuesday of each month at 12:30 p.m.

Meeting Location: Typically at the Cooperative Extension Office in the Lois Britt Agriculture Building

Member	Representing or Designee
Ben Thigpen, Asst. Superintendent	Designee of Superintendent Dr. Austin Obasohan
Chief James Crayton	Chief of Police
Lance Turner	Designee of Sheriff Blake Wallace
Bob Roupe, Senior Asst. District Attorney	Designee of District Attorney Ernie Lee
Tracy Arrington, Chief Court Counselor	4 th Judicial District NC DPS Chief Court Counselor
Melissa Reese, Consumer Relations Specialist	Designee of Area Mental Health Director
Tiffany Smith, Social Worker	Designee of Social Services Director
Vacant	Designee of County Manager Davis H. Brinson
Jasmine Williams, 4-H Prevention Coordinator	Substance Abuse Professional
Jesse L. Dowe, III, Chairman	County Commissioner
Henry L. Stevens, IV, District Court Judge	Designee of the
Beth Ricci, Public Health Educator	Designee of Local Health Director
Darryl McCaster, Court Counselor Email: darryl.mccaster@ncdps.gov	County Commissioner Appointee
Andrea Boney-Dickens, System of Care Specialist	County Commissioner Appointee

George Futrelle, Asst. County Manager/Airport Director

County Commissioner Appointee

Rev. A.J. Connors, Mayor

Pastor, Member of Faith Community

Purpose: The Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC) is the local organization charged by the N.C. General Assembly to plan, organize, and evaluate locally-based programs designed to prevent and mitigate juvenile delinquency in Duplin County. Specifically, the JCPC is to develop community-based alternatives to training schools and to provide community-based delinquency and substance abuse prevention strategies and programs.

Qualifications: The membership of the Juvenile Crime Prevention Council shall include representatives from the following categories:

- Youth under the age of 18 - 2 members
- County Commissioner General Public Appointees - 6 members
- Faith Community - 1 member
- Director AMH / DD / SA – 1 member
- Substance Abuse Professional - 1 member
- Director of Dept. of Social Services or Designee – 1 member
- Local Health Director or Designee – 1 member
- Rep. of Non-Profit – 1 member
- Parks & Recreation – 1 member
- County Manager or Designee – 1 member
- County Commissioner – 1 member
- Superintendent of Schools or Designee - 1 member
- Sheriff or Desingee - 1 member
- District Attorney or Designee – 1 member
- Juvenile Defense Attorney (JDA) - 1 member
- Chief District Court Judge or Designee – 1 member
- Chief Court Counselor or Designee – 1 member
- Business Community – 1 member
- Police Chief or Designee – 1 member

Term Length: 1 year

Number of Members: 25

Contact: George Futrelle, JCPC Chairman futrellegh@gmail.com

[Download form to be considered to serve on this committee.](#)