Board Members: Chantel Bruce, Michael Publicker, Judge Amanda Philipps, Judge Cynthia McKedy, Brent Nelson, Deana O'Riley, Lt. Dave Gilman, Lt. Mower, Lorena Gray, LeeAnn Ortega, Ryan Graham, Michael McNeill, and Taylor Kallian.

Excused absences: Manuela Reising.

Unexcused absences: Jerry Jones.

Staff present: Vernon Stewart, MaCain Hildebrand, Daniel Huddleston, Tiffany Weaver, and Mark Allison.

Guests present: Steve Owens, Gwen Barlow, Mark Wester, Jenner Behan, and Terry Sample.

1. **Chantel Bruce called the meeting to order at 12:15 p.m.** The Board meeting was held with members attending virtually or in person.

2. **Attendance:** Chantel Bruce called roll.

3. **Case Review:**

   a. **VRA Statements:** Statements provided by victims or victim representatives.

   b. **Discussion and Balloting:** No Discussion. Balloting was opened.

4. **Approval of Minutes and Presentation:**

   a. **Lt. Mower moved, and Michael Publicker seconded the ratification of the meeting minutes for May 20th and the electronic meeting minutes for May 6th, 13th, and 27th, 2026; the motion passed unanimously by roll call vote.**

5. **Program Reports:**

   a. **Embrave (ECC):** Mark Wester reported for Embrave; he reported that their residential average daily census in May was 255 with 245 beds allocated by DCJ; that the child support collected was $3,854.82, and restitution collected was $7,437.50; he reported that Embrave had 41 admissions with 41 residential terminations during May; that the successful completion rate was 68.3%, totaling 28; that the negative terminations were 31.7%, totaling 13; he reported that the negative terminations included 19.5% for escapes, totaling eight, and 12.2% for technical violations, totaling five.

   Mr. Wester reported that in May, Embrave received 16 Diversion and 66 Transition referrals; he reported that Embrave accepted one auto Diversion referral and seven criteria Diversion referrals, as well as 20 Transition referrals and 29 criteria Transition referrals.

Mr. Wester reported that current staff vacancies include 13 security positions, two case management positions, four treatment staff positions, two support staff, and two admin positions; Mr. Wester reported that the current client employment rate is 78.42%, and that the positive UA rate for the month is 2.4%; he reported that Embrave imposed 95 client sanctions and had 12 medical emergencies in May, along with receiving nine client grievances.

He reported that Embrave built guides and held trainings on the utilization of the Buddi tracking app.

b. **Community Alternatives of El Paso (CAE)**: Steve Owens reported for CAE; he reported that the bed count for May was 241, with 243 allocated by the Division of Criminal Justice (DCJ); that the total child support collected was $5,866.00 and restitution was $14,240.00; that there were 51 admissions and 41 terminations in May; that 18 clients successfully finished the program in May, yielding a successful program completion rate of 43.9%; that negative terminations numbered 23, yielding a negative termination rate of 56.1%, including 29.3% terminations for escapes, numbering 12, 2.44% terminations for Committed New Crime, numbering one, and 24.4% terminations for house/technical violations, numbering 10; Mr. Owens stated that the May client employment rate was 81.2%, and that the positive UA rate for the month was 5.1%; that CAE imposed nine client sanctions in May; that there were three client grievances and three medical emergencies; and that the current staff vacancies include four security, and two Case Management positions.

Mr. Owens reported 56 Diversion and 51 Transition referrals in May; he reported that CAE accepted nine Diversion auto referrals and 37 Diversion criteria referrals, they accepted four Transition auto referrals, and 27 Transition criteria referrals.

Mr. Owens reported that in May, staff witnessed a resident drop a baggie out of their left pant leg; the baggie was suspected to be over 30 pills of fentanyl, and CSPD was called.

6. Monthly Reports:

a. **SFY25 Financial Report:** MaCain Hildebrand reported that for May 2026, expenditures were expected to be at 91.67%; that Embrave was at $6,664,739.04 expended, representing 7.77% overspent; that CAE was at $6,034,124.66 expended, representing 1.64% underspent.

b. **Provider Termination Report**: MaCain Hildebrand reported that for May 2026, Community Alternatives of El Paso County had a 43.90% positive/successful termination rate, an unauthorized absence termination rate of 29.27%, a new crime termination rate of 2.44%, and a 24.39% technical violation termination rate; he reported that Embrave had a 68.29% positive/successful termination rate, a 19.51% unauthorized absence termination rate, and a 12.20% technical violation termination rate.

c. **Staff Report:** MaCain Hildebrand reported on the Colorado Division of Criminal Justice; a document was attached for review, which specifically highlighted modifications to facility payment structure, the reinstatement of subsistence pay, and increases to per diem rates.

7. **Old Business:**
   a. **None**

8. **New Business:**

   a. **Holiday Ballot Structure:** MaCain Hildebrand reported to the Board the proposed modified holiday schedule for the Community Corrections Board's weekly electronic ballots.

      Michael Publicker moved, and Lt. Mower seconded the approval of the proposed modified holiday schedule for the Community Corrections Boards' weekly electronic ballots; the motion passed unanimously by roll call vote.

   b. **CY2025 Annual Board Report:** MaCain Hildebrand reported on the Annual Board Report; that the five-year state contract between the Colorado Department of Public Safety and 4th Judicial District Community Corrections Authority requires Type 3 boards to provide an annual written report to the State that documents the frequency of specified administrative functions.

   c. **Embrave Hiring Waiver Request:** Embrave's Director of Quality Assurance Jenner Behan presented to the board a hiring waiver; Embrave requested endorsement of the applicant, Travis Haynes, for hire as a Peer Support Specialist/Behavioral Health Assistant; the applicants prior felony convictions require a waiver.

      Michael Publicker moved, and Deana O'Riley seconded the approval of the proposed Embrave hiring waiver; the motion passed unanimously by roll call vote.

9. **Case Review – Ballot Results**: The Chair read the ballot results.

   Board/Staff Comments: No additional comments were contributed.

10. **Adjournment:** Chantel Bruce adjourned the meeting at 1:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

APPROVED
By MaCain Hildebrand at 3:20 pm, Jul 07, 2026

MaCain Hildebrand, Interim Division Director
Justice Services-El Paso County Community Corrections

Confirmed:

Chantel Bruce, Chair
El Paso County Community Corrections Board

4th Judicial District Community Corrections Board

Ballot of June 17, 2026

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Accept

Offender Name	CCD #	Referral	IRT	WRP	JD	Provider	Approve	Reject	Abst
BONILLA, ISIAH	26-1252	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	7	6	1
KROUT, ARIES	26-1258	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	13	0	1
DEAVER, NATASSIA	26-1261	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	9	4	1
CORDOVA, EDWIN	26-1262	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	7	6	1
BOWMAN, JAMES	26-1263	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	11	2	1
YARIAN, SHAWN R	26-1264	T	☐	☐		ECC	12	0	2
BENNETT, JUSTIN A	26-1268	T	☐	☐		ECC	8	5	1
GORDEN, EZRAH A	26-1269	T	☐	☐		ECC	11	2	1

Reject

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PELISHEK, CHRISTOPHER	26-1251	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	6	7	1
JUMISKO, INKA	26-1253	D	☐	☐	3rd	CAE	6	7	1
GARCIA JR, JOHN	26-1254	D	☐	☐	3rd	CAE	5	8	1
STINES, JOZIAH	26-1255	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	4	9	1
ARAGON, PAUL	26-1256	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	4	9	1
GOMEZ-CARMONA, MARIO	26-1257	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	5	8	1
KEEFE, BETHANY	26-1259	D	☐	☐	11th	CAE	6	7	1
BARCLAY, MICHAEL	26-1260	D	☐	☐	10th	ECC	6	7	1
MCMAHAN, MICHAEL L	26-1265	T	☑	☐		ECC	2	11	1
DICICCO, KEVIN T	26-1266	T	☐	☐		ECC	4	8	2
NINNEMAN, DILLON A	26-1267	T	☐	☐		ECC	3	10	1
GARRETT, MARISA G	26-1270	T	☐	☐		CAE	5	8	1
GONZALESAGUILAR, CRYSTAL L	26-1271	T	☑	☐		ECC	6	7	1
DOUTRICH, LOGAN J	26-1272	T	☐	☐		ECC	3	9	1
BUENO, MICHAEL J	26-1273	T	☐	☐		ECC	1	11	1
SANTISTEVAN, REUBEN J	26-1274	T	☐	☐		ECC	3	9	1
ROBERSON, KEITH L	26-1275	T	☐	☐		CAE	2	9	2

4th Judicial District Community Corrections Board

Ballot of June 17, 2026

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El Paso County Community Corrections Board
Electronic Screening Minutes
June 3, 2026

Staff present: Daniel Huddleston
Others present: Tiffany Weaver and Cassidy Keltner

The meeting was called to order at 1:00 p.m.

1. Ballots: Daniel Huddleston tabulated ballots.

Meeting was adjourned at 1:17p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

APPROVED
By Daniel Huddleston at 1:18 pm, Jun 03, 2026

Daniel Huddleston
Community Corrections Specialist

Confirmed:

Chantel Bruce, Chair
El Paso County Community Corrections Board

4th Judicial District Community Corrections Board

Ballot of June 03, 2026

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Accept

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UBALLE JR., ECTOR	26-1202	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	8	5	1
CLARK, ANTHONY	26-1203	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	12	1	1
LARA-RAMIREZ, OSCAR	26-1204	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	12	1	1
SMITH, ALYSSA	26-1205	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	10	3	1
PEARSON, BAILEY JOSHUA RYAN	26-1210	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	8	5	1
SANCHEZ, CAROL	26-1211	D	☐	☐	11th	CAE	9	4	1
MCBRYDE, ISAIAH	26-1214	D	☐	☐	4th	ECC	10	3	1
HERRERA, ALEJANDRO F	26-1215	T	☑	☐		ECC	10	3	1
LOVATO, JUSTIN A	26-1216	T	☑	☐		ECC	12	1	1
KING, TYLER M	26-1218	T	☑	☐		ECC	11	2	1
EISLER, KRISTIN A	26-1220	T	☐	☐		ECC	10	3	1
SMITH, JUSTIN W	26-1221	T	☑	☐		CAE	8	5	1
LAMBERT, DILLAN A	26-1222	T	☐	☐		CAE	12	1	1
THOMPSON, TREVOR D	26-1224	C	☐	☐		CAE	11	2	1

Reject

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JAMES, ANDREW	26-1201	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	4	9	1
DURAN, ALEESHA	26-1206	D	☐	☐	3rd	CAE	1	12	1
KINSEY, MITCHEL	26-1207	D	☐	☐	11th	CAE	4	9	1
LUGO, ERIC	26-1208	D	☐	☐	16th	CAE	4	9	1
FRANK, DEVRIN	26-1209	D	☐	☐	12th	CAE	6	7	1
TOLLER, JADEN	26-1212	D	☐	☐	4th	ECC	4	9	1
WEST, KEYAN	26-1213	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	2	10	2
WATKINS, MITCHELL G	26-1217	T	☑	☐		ECC	6	7	1
HELLEM, MICHAEL	26-1219	T	☐	☐		ECC	3	10	1
KLEIN, DEBORAH E	26-1223	T	☐	☐		CAE	6	7	1
CHEEKS, COREY C	26-1225	C	☐	☐		CAE	5	8	0

4th Judicial District Community Corrections Board

Ballot of June 03, 2026

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El Paso County Community Corrections Board
Electronic Screening Minutes
June 10, 2026

Staff present: Daniel Huddleston
Others present: Tiffany Weaver and Cassidy Keltner

The meeting was called to order at 1:00 p.m.

1. Ballots: Daniel Huddleston tabulated ballots.

Meeting was adjourned at 1:01p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

APPROVED
By Daniel Huddleston at 1:03 pm, Jun 10, 2026

Daniel Huddleston
Community Corrections Specialist

Confirmed:

Chantel Bruce, Chair
El Paso County Community Corrections Board

4th Judicial District Community Corrections Board

Ballot of June 10, 2026

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HAMMER, KYLE	26-1226	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	7	6	1
GARRETT, CHRISTY	26-1228	D	☐	☐	11th	CAE	11	2	1
SPARROW, JOHN	26-1229	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	7	6	1
RAMIREZ-NORIA, CARLOS	26-1231	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	10	3	1
GILLESPIE, AARON	26-1233	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	9	4	1
LEWIS, LASHON	26-1234	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	8	4	2
ROCK, AARON C	26-1235	T	☐	☐		ECC	9	4	1
MERAY, DAVID M	26-1236	T	☑	☐		CAE	11	2	1
ORTIZ, MARKUS A	26-1238	T	☐	☐		CAE	7	6	1
BOUCHER, JOSHUAH S	26-1247	T	☐	☐		ECC	8	5	1

Reject

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ST. JAMES, ANGELO	26-1227	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	6	7	1
JACOBSON, ERIC	26-1230	D	☐	☐	11th	ECC	4	9	1
FAIR, AARON	26-1232	D	☐	☐	4th	ECC	6	7	1
LUCAS, KARLI R	26-1237	T	☐	☐		ECC	2	11	1
LICATA, NICHOLAS K	26-1239	T	☐	☐		ECC	4	9	1
PARKER, DEREK W	26-1240	T	☐	☐		ECC	4	9	1
DUNN, ZACHARIAH	26-1241	T	☐	☐		ECC	2	11	1
SIERRA, CLIFFORD C	26-1242	T	☐	☐		ECC	5	8	1
SALAZAR, JOHN V	26-1243	T	☐	☐		ECC	4	9	1
SEGURA, KAYLEE M	26-1244	T	☐	☐		CAE	2	11	1
LOVE, STERLIN A	26-1245	T	☐	☐		ECC	2	11	1
VELARDE, ASHLEE L	26-1246	T	☐	☐		CAE	6	7	1
GAINES, ISAAC	26-1248	T	☐	☐		ECC	3	10	1
KUMPF, JEFFREY F	26-1249	T	☐	☐		ECC	2	11	1
MARTINLEE, RHONDA	26-1250	T	☐	☐		ECC	5	8	1

4th Judicial District Community Corrections Board

Ballot of June 10, 2026

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El Paso County Community Corrections Board
Electronic Screening Minutes
June 24, 2026

Staff present: Daniel Huddleston
Others present: Tiffany Weaver and Cassidy Keltner

The meeting was called to order at 1:00 p.m.

1. Ballots: Daniel Huddleston tabulated ballots.

Meeting was adjourned at 1:01p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

APPROVED
By Daniel Huddleston at 1:04 pm, Jun 24, 2026

Daniel Huddleston
Community Corrections Specialist

Confirmed:

Chantel Bruce, Chair
El Paso County Community Corrections Board

4th Judicial District Community Corrections Board

Ballot of June 24, 2026

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MAEZ, ALEX	26-1279	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	14	0	0
BROWN, JACOB	26-1286	T	☑	☐		ECC	10	4	0
ISHAYEV, VADIM	26-1288	T	☐	☐		ECC	8	6	0
LOPEZ, FRANK J	26-1296	T	☑	☐		ECC	10	4	0
LEYVA COTA, JESUS G	26-1297	T	☐	☐		CAE	11	3	0
MENCIA-CRUZ, JONIS R	26-1298	T	☑	☐		CAE	9	5	0
DUNLOP, DAMIEN E	26-1299	T	☐	☐		CAE	8	6	0

Reject

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COBB, CHRISTOPHER	26-1276	D	☐	☐	4th	ECC	6	8	0
MEDINA, DEMETRI	26-1277	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	4	10	0
MOORE, TRACEY	26-1278	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	5	9	0
LUCERO, CHRISTOPHER	26-1280	D	☐	☐	13th	CAE	6	8	0
ANDERSON, AMBER	26-1281	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	6	8	0
STEVENS, BRANDON	26-1282	D	☐	☐	4th	CAE	5	9	0
ARAGON, CANDIDO I	26-1283	T	☐	☐		ECC	5	9	0
HERRERA, ELOY R	26-1284	T	☐	☐		ECC	6	8	0
SANTIAGO, JESSE C	26-1285	T	☐	☐		ECC	2	12	0
JOHNSON, JONAPHAR D	26-1287	T	☐	☐		ECC	4	10	0
BEYLER, JILDEN K	26-1289	T	☐	☐		CAE	5	9	0
JONES, DERIAN C	26-1290	T	☐	☐		ECC	5	9	0
DAIGLE, JAMES N	26-1291	T	☐	☐		ECC	3	11	0
MILLS, ALFRED H	26-1292	T	☐	☐		ECC	7	7	0
LUCAS, RANDY L	26-1293	T	☐	☐		ECC	2	12	0
GARDNER, JAMELL T	26-1294	T	☑	☐		ECC	3	11	0
SALAS-MENDOZA, RAYMOND	26-1295	T	☐	☐		ECC	7	7	0
RIVERA, JOAQUIN R	26-1300	T	☑	☐		CAE	3	11	0

4th Judicial District Community Corrections Board

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