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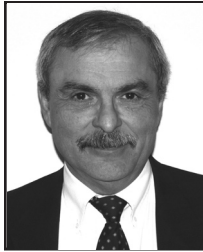
ILLINOIS CRIMINAL JUSTICE INFORMATION AUTHORITY 2011 ANNUAL REPORT



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To the Governor and the Honorable Members of the General Assembly:



Jack Cutrone

On behalf of the members and staff of the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, I am pleased to present the Authority's Fiscal Year 2011 Annual Report. This report features the Authority's work in criminal justice policy and planning, grants administration, research, and information systems development in Illinois during the fiscal year.

The Authority continued a comprehensive and collaborative strategic planning process in FY11 to formulate agency policy, research, and funding direction for the next several years. The Authority worked with representatives across the criminal justice system statewide and nationally to identify challenges facing the criminal justice community and programs and practices proven to be effective in addressing those challenges. The Authority's strategic plan will emphasize utilization of programs that conserve resources, share information across disciplines, and utilize evidence-based or promising practices. The plan also will promote proven crime prevention strategies, community participation in public safety, reinvesting justice resources, and addressing drug abuse and mental illness in the criminal justice system.

The Authority administered one state and 12 federal grant programs during the fiscal year. These programs enhance public safety and provide a variety of victim services to those in need. They also provide substance abuse treatment to non-violent offenders, decrease DNA backlogs, combat motor vehicle theft, and improve criminal background checks across the state. In FY11, staff administered 364 individual grants, with nearly \$40 million in designations for the fiscal year.

The Authority also initiated evaluation a variety of evaluation projects. Evaluations are under way to assess Anne's House, a residential home for women and girls who were victims of domestic commercial sexual exploitation, the utilization and processes of prison diversion program Adult Redeploy Illinois, and St. Leonard's Ministries, a community re-entry program that provides housing for adult men and women exiting prison. Research also was conducted on trends in prescription drug use and abuse, college campus crime, restorative justice program usage across the state, and Illinois' 19 metropolitan enforcement groups and drug task forces.

In addition, the Authority's website was redesigned during the fiscal year to enhance public access to the work of the agency. The site is a frequent destination of criminal justice professionals, educators, and members of the public. Site updates include increased transparency in grants administration and a popular variety of current data trend graphing and mapping tools. The site's Research & Analysis section was a recent recipient of the national Justice Research and Statistical Analysis's Statistical Analysis Center (SAC) Website Award. Developed and maintained by ICJIA staff, the Illinois SAC website was honored as being the best among all state SACs across the country.

We look forward to continuing our partnership with the criminal justice community, the legislature, and the general public in fulfilling our mission of improving the administration of criminal justice in Illinois.



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Executive Director

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Mission

Created in 1983, the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority is a state agency dedicated to improving the administration of criminal justice.

The Authority brings together key leaders from the justice system and the public to identify critical issues facing the criminal justice system in Illinois, and to propose and evaluate policies, programs, and legislation that address those issues. The agency also works to ensure the criminal justice system in Illinois is efficient and effective.

The Authority's specific powers and duties are detailed in the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Act [20 ILCS 3930 *et. seq.*].

The statutory responsibilities of the Authority fall under the categories of grants administration, research and analysis, policy and planning, and information systems and technology.

Grants administration

In the area of grants administration, the Authority:

- Implements and funds criminal justice and related programs under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act, Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant program, and other state and federal grant programs.
- Monitors program activity and provides technical assistance to grantees.
- Provides staff support to the Illinois Motor Vehicle Theft Prevention Council, an 11-member board working to curb motor vehicle theft.
- Coordinates the Juvenile Crime Enforcement Coalition, charged with evaluating statewide juvenile crime prevention needs and overseeing juvenile crime prevention planning initiatives.

Research and analysis

In the area of research and analysis, the Authority:

- Publishes research studies that analyze a variety of crime trends and criminal justice issues.
- Acts as a clearinghouse for information and research on crime, crime trends, and the criminal justice system.

- Audits the state central repositories of criminal history record information for data accuracy and completeness.
- Provide or directs partners to technical assistance opportunities.

Policy and planning

In the area of policy and planning, the Authority:

- Develops and implements comprehensive strategies for a coordinated response by the various components of the criminal justice system for crime prevention and control, and assistance to crime victims using federal funds awarded to Illinois.
- Advises the Governor and the General Assembly on criminal justice policies and legislation.
- Convenes groups of policymakers and practitioners to identify and address ongoing concerns of criminal justice officials.
- Develops and evaluates state and local programs for improving law enforcement and the administration of criminal justice.
- Participates in initiatives that improve the impact and cost effectiveness of the criminal justice system.
- Identifies and provides information about evidence-based and promising practices for implementation by policymakers and practitioners.

Information systems and technology

In the area of information systems and technology, the Authority:

- Designs, develops, and supports systems which enhance the quality of victim service data.
- Serves as the sole administrative appeal body for determining citizen challenges to the accuracy of their criminal history records.
- Monitors the operation of existing criminal justice information systems to protect the constitutional rights and privacy of citizens.
- Supports the development of an integrated criminal justice information network in Illinois.

Authority Values Statement

The Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority is dedicated to improving the administration of criminal justice in the state. The Authority works to identify critical issues facing the criminal justice system and proposes legislation, programs, and policies that address those issues. The Authority also strives to ensure the criminal justice system is as efficient and effective as possible. Authority staff are guided by the following values as they work to fulfill this mission.

Integrity

We believe in personal and professional integrity. We take pride in the Authority's mission and in maintaining and building on the agency's reputation for producing high quality work that is accurate, honest, fair, timely, and ethical. To that end, we will conduct our activities and ourselves in a manner that earns the public's trust and inspires confidence in our work. We will seek to encourage public feedback on our activities and public participation in planning activities and meetings.

Leadership

We are committed to supporting and developing staff leadership at all levels. Authority managers should lead by supporting innovation and by providing purpose, direction, example, and motivation while working toward the Authority's mission and improving the Authority. Our staff is encouraged to exercise leadership in motivating subordinates, coworkers, and/or supervisors to accomplish the Authority's mission and to adhere to the values established by the Authority. When appropriate, the Authority, as an organization, should assume a leadership role in the criminal justice system.

Diversity

We believe in an environment that supports and encourages a diverse workplace. We are committed to creating a comfortable and effective work environment; building rapport between people who are culturally, racially, and by gender different; utilizing the diverse ideas and experiences of all people in the workplace; supporting the right of every individual to be treated with fairness, consideration and respect; and enhancing our organizational culture by continuously improving human resource practices so that all staff feel welcome, their differences are valued, and they are supported in their work.

Professional development

We believe the most important asset of the Authority is its staff, and believe in giving each employee a chance to realize his or her fullest potential. We are committed to enhancing and expanding the skills, knowledge, and expertise of our staff. Therefore, we will work to meet training needs and promote individual as well as collective career enhancement.

Public service

We recognize that as a government agency, we serve the public. We understand that our purpose is to serve the best interests of the public. To maximize the use of public funds in support of our mission, we will strive to operate in a cost-effective and efficient manner, and support programs that operate in such a manner. We acknowledge our responsibility to disseminate information to maintain our accountability to the public.

Respect

We are committed to cooperation and teamwork and will keep the value of those with whom we associate, inside and outside of the Authority, at the forefront as we pursue the Authority's mission. We will strive to treat others with consideration, common courtesy, and dignity.

Teamwork and collaboration

We value teamwork and collaboration. We seek an atmosphere where individual talents and organizational expertise are combined to achieve successful outcomes. Internally, we will foster shared participation, responsibility, and recognition among staff at all levels and across functional units. Externally, we will facilitate constructive relationships among policymakers, criminal justice agencies, and stakeholders throughout the criminal justice system.

Excellence

We believe all our work must be of high quality. That is, it should be useful, informative, timely, complete, accurate, cost effective, objective, free from bias, accessible, and reflective of the best professional practice. We also believe that the work of any one staff person reflects upon the work of the entire Authority. We expect all staff members to generate high-quality work products.

Composition and membership

The Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority is governed by a 23-member board of state and local leaders in the criminal justice community, and experts from the private sector. The Authority is supported by a full-time professional staff working from the agency's office in Chicago.

The Authority is led by a chairman, who is appointed by the governor from among the board's members. The Authority is required to meet at least four times a year.

Authority members set agency priorities, track the progress of ongoing programs, and monitor the agency's budget. By law, the Authority includes:

- Cook County Board President
- Director, Illinois Department of Corrections.
- Director, Illinois State Police.
- Director, Office of the State Appellate Defender.
- Director, Office of the State's Attorney Appellate Prosecutor.
- Executive director, Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board.
- Illinois attorney general (or designee).
- Six members of the public.
- Two circuit court clerks (Cook and another county).
- Two police chiefs (Chicago and another municipality).
- Two public defenders (Cook and another county)
- Two sheriffs (Cook and another county).
- Two state's attorneys (Cook and another county).

Authority members include:

Peter M. Ellis, Chairman

Peter M. Ellis is an attorney in private practice focusing in the area of commercial and business litigation, and advising clients concerning a wide variety of business related disputes and transactions. His practice includes the representation of national and multi-national clients in the areas of franchise, licensing and distribution, product liability, unfair competition, trademark, and trade secrets and other intellectual property claims. Mr. Ellis' experience includes litigating complex commercial matters

including class action lawsuits and arbitration proceedings, as well as white collar and other criminal defense representation. He is a partner in the Chicago office of Reed Smith LLP. Prior to joining Reed Smith, Mr. Ellis served in several leadership roles as partner in the Chicago office of DLA Piper LLP (US). Mr. Ellis also served as a judicial law clerk for the Hon. Algenon L. Marbley in the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Ohio. Mr. Ellis commits a significant amount of his time to civic and charitable boards as well as to various pro bono activities.

Anita Alvarez, Vice-Chair

Anita Alvarez was sworn in as Cook County's first female and first Hispanic state's attorney in December 2008. Ms. Alvarez began her career in the Cook County State's Attorney's Office in 1986 and steadily worked her way up through the ranks, handling hundreds of felony cases ranging from homicide, narcotics, armed robbery, criminal sexual assaults, and domestic violence. She has argued before United States Supreme Court and tried more than 50 felony jury trials. Prior to her election as state's attorney, Ms. Alvarez served as chief deputy state's attorney; chief of staff to the state's attorney; chief of the Special Prosecutions Bureau; deputy chief of the Narcotics Bureau, and supervisor of the Public Integrity Unit. She also spent more than three years in the Gang Crimes Unit where she prosecuted gang-related homicides. Ms. Alvarez is past president of the Chicago Bar Association.

Dorothy Brown

Dorothy Brown was first elected Cook County Circuit Clerk in 2000, becoming the first African American to hold the position. She was re-elected in 2004 and again in 2008. Ms. Brown holds a master's in business administration, a juris doctorate, and is a certified public accountant. As the official keeper of records for all judicial matters brought into one of the largest unified court systems in the world, Ms. Brown manages an annual operating budget of more than \$100 million and a workforce of more than 2,300 employees.

Abishi C. Cunningham

Abishi C. Cunningham was named Cook County Public Defender in April 2009. Prior to becoming chief public defender, he was a Cook County Circuit Court Judge from 1986 to 2009. As a judge, he presided over thousands of bench trials and hundreds of jury trials, in both criminal and civil cases. His last assignment was to the Law Division, where he presided over civil jury trials in areas that included personal injury/wrongful death, motor vehicle injury, medical malpractice, product liability, and commercial litigation. Mr. Cunningham served as legal advisor to the State Superintendent of Public Instruction from 1972 to 1973, when he left to join the Cook County State's Attorney's Office as a felony trial assistant and then as chief of the Vertical Prosecutions Unit. After a period in private practice as a litigator in criminal and civil defense, Mr. Cunningham rejoined the Office of the Cook County State's Attorney, where he supervised 40 assistant state's attorneys responsible for prosecuting all criminal misdemeanor and quasi-criminal cases in Chicago, as well as advising the office on legislative issues. He left this position to join the bench in 1986. Mr. Cunningham is a member of the American Bar Association, National Bar Association, Cook County Bar Association, Chicago Bar Association, Illinois Public Defender Association, and the National Legal Aid and Defender Association. He graduated from Fisk University in 1969 and from Northwestern University School of Law in 1972.

Thomas J. Dart

Tom Dart was sworn in as the 52nd Cook County sheriff in December 2006. Mr. Dart began his career in public service as an assistant state's attorney in Cook County. In 1992, Mr. Dart won a seat in the Illinois House, where he sponsored former Mayor Daley's Safe Neighborhoods Act and authored several state laws designed to crack down on child sex offenders, including a statute that targeted child predators that use the Internet to lure young victims. Mr. Dart also wrote the Sexually Violent Predators Commitment Act, enabling judges to detain sexual predators in state mental health facilities if they believe the offender is likely to commit new sex crimes. Mr. Dart joined the Cook County Sheriff's Office in 2003, where he served as chief of staff to former Cook County Sheriff Michael F. Sheahan.

Patrick Delfino

Patrick Delfino was appointed director of the Office of the State's Attorneys Appellate Prosecutor in December 2008. Mr. Delfino is a graduate of the University of Notre Dame Law School and is an experienced trial and appellate attorney. Before joining the appellate prosecutor's office as assistant director, Mr. Delfino served as a drug attorney and court specialist with the Illinois Law Enforcement Commission and as the Cook County State's Attorney's Office Director of Planning and Special Projects. Mr. Delfino has taught both at college and law school, and he is a member of the Sex Offender Management Board and the Children's Justice Task Force of the Department of Children and Family Services. Mr. Delfino also serves as executive director of the Illinois State's Attorneys Association.

William Fitzpatrick

William T. Fitzpatrick is chief of the Glenview Police Department, a post he has held since 2001. Prior to joining the Glenview Police Department, Mr. Fitzpatrick served as chief of police in Delavan, Wisc., from 1997 to 2001. He was a member of the Rockford Illinois Police Department for 27 years, the last 12 as chief, after rising through the ranks as a patrolman, detective, sergeant, and lieutenant. Mr. Fitzpatrick has served in all facets of police work and has received numerous awards. He holds a bachelor's degree in education from Northern Illinois University, and a master's degree in criminology from the University of Keele in Staffordshire, England, where he was a Rotary Scholar.

S.A. Godinez

S.A. Godinez is director of the Illinois Department of Corrections (IDOC). Prior to his appointment in May 2011, Mr. Godinez served as executive director of the Cook County Department of Corrections, a position he had held since June 2006. Mr. Godinez began his correctional career as a re-entry counselor with IDOC in 1973 and was promoted through the ranks in the agency's Juvenile Division as a parole counselor, assessment counselor, and assessment unit administrator. In 1981, he was appointed assistant warden of programs at Stateville Correctional Center and later became assistant warden of operations there until 1989 when he left to serve as warden of the newly opened super-maximum prison in Ely, Nev. Mr. Godinez returned to Illinois in September 1991 as warden at Stateville Correctional Center. In February

1995, he joined Michigan Department of Corrections as deputy director of administration and programs where he served until August 1997. He later accepted the appointment as facility administrator with Wackenhut Corrections Corporation with assignments in various locations, including Puerto Rico and Pennsylvania. Mr. Godinez later became administrator of Juvenile Field Services for IDOC in 1998, but rejoined Wackenhut Corrections Corporation in 1999 with assignments in Louisiana and Florida. In November 2003, he was appointed as chief of operations for IDOC and given additional responsibilities as chief of staff in 2005. Mr. Godinez also has participated in professional associations related to anti-violence and corrections policy nationwide. Mr. Godinez received a bachelor's degree in criminal justice from the University of Illinois-Chicago in 1973 and a master's degree in corrections from Chicago State University in 1978.

Felix M. Gonzalez

Felix M. Gonzalez is an attorney in private practice representing business clients. Mr. Gonzalez is a past board member of the Hispanic Lawyers Association of Illinois and immediate past president of the Hispanic Lawyers Association of Illinois Charities. He serves on not-for-profit boards which provide scholarships to financially disadvantaged students and mental health and substance abuse counseling. He also is the Iroquois Area District Chair for the Boy Scouts of America. Mr. Gonzalez received a bachelor's degree in philosophy and a juris doctorate at the University of Illinois.

Hiram Grau

Hiram Grau was appointed director of the Illinois State Police in April 2011. As director, he oversees a staff of 3,200 with four major divisions, including the third largest crime laboratory system in the world, and an annual agency budget of approximately \$404 million. Prior to his appointment as director, Mr. Grau served as deputy chief of investigations for the Cook County State's Attorney's Office. In that position, he partnered with other law enforcement entities to ensure public safety in Cook County. Prior to that, Mr. Grau served 27 years in the Chicago Police Department, working his way from beat cop to deputy superintendent for the Bureau of Investigative Services. In addition to receiving numerous law enforcement commendations and management training

certifications, Mr. Grau is a decorated Vietnam War Veteran. In 2003, he earned his master's in business administration from St. Xavier University.

John Harvey

John Harvey is a program development and grant consultant for Chestnut Health Systems, Inc., a large, not-for-profit mental health and substance abuse treatment agency. He has served in that role for 15 years. Prior to that, Mr. Harvey worked for Madison County government for 12 years, in juvenile detention and probation, and for the Community Mental Health Board and county state's attorney. Mr. Harvey has experience in developing specialized services for offenders, and collaborating to address child abuse, domestic violence, re-entry services for offenders, homelessness, and mental illness. He developed the first two statewide trainings for juvenile detention administrators in Illinois and wrote several widely distributed position papers on juvenile detention reform. Mr. Harvey has served on the Board of the Juvenile Justice Initiative since 2003, and worked as a consultant for the Governor's Interagency Task Force on Residential Care for Children and the Madison County Child and Adolescent Local Area Network. He has assisted a variety of community organizations develop resources and funding for the arts, environmental education, and social justice.

Lisa Jacobs

Lisa Jacobs is Illinois program manager for the Models for Change Initiative, funded by the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation and managed by Loyola University School of Law. In this capacity, Ms. Jacobs works with juvenile justice practitioners, advocates, and policymakers to implement positive changes in the Illinois juvenile and criminal justice systems. Ms. Jacobs is an attorney with more than 15 years of experience in court and justice system administration. Prior to joining the Models for Change Initiative, she was director of judicial education for the Illinois Supreme Court as an assistant director with the Administrative Office of the Illinois Courts. There, she worked closely with the Supreme Court, the Judicial Conference Committee on Judicial Education, and judges from across Illinois to develop and implement judicial education policy and programs on a variety of legal topics ranging from death penalty matters to complex civil litigation. Ms. Jacobs also has served in an executive capacity and as a court administrator for the Office of the Chief Judge in

the Circuit Court of Cook County. She was also the Juvenile Justice Specialist for the state of Illinois, charged with staffing the Illinois Juvenile Justice Commission. Ms. Jacobs was appointed to the Juvenile Justice Commission in 2010 and serves as chair of the commission's Planning and Grants Committee.

Becky Jansen

Becky Jansen was elected Effingham County Circuit Court Clerk in 2004 and re-elected in 2008, after 16 years of service to the office in various capacities. Ms. Jansen is president of the Illinois Association of Circuit Court Clerks. She also serves on the board of the Illinois Association of County Officials and on the Donors Relations Board for St. Anthony's Memorial Hospital, Effingham. Ms. Jansen also is a member of the Effingham Sunrise Rotary.

Lisa Madigan

Lisa Madigan was elected the state's first female attorney general in 2002 and was re-elected to the post in 2006 and 2010. Since becoming attorney general, Ms. Madigan has dedicated the energy and resources of her office to protecting women and children from sexual predators on the streets and on the Internet. She also has implemented a series of proactive law enforcement strategies to combat the spread of methamphetamine throughout the state. Ms. Madigan is a leader in the public's fight for open and accessible government, and she also has been credited with restoring integrity to Illinois' gambling industry. Prior to becoming attorney general, Ms. Madigan served as a state senator representing the 17th District on Chicago's North Side.

John Maki

John Maki is executive director of the John Howard Association of Illinois (JHA). JHA is Illinois' oldest prison reform organization and the only independent group that monitors the state's juvenile and adult prison systems. Mr. Maki is a lawyer and has represented wrongfully convicted people before the Illinois Prisoner Review Board in clemency proceedings. Before he began working for JHA, Mr. Maki was a new media consultant and organizer for several Midwest-based innocence projects, including the Center on Wrongful Convictions at Northwestern University School of Law. He also has worked in homeless prevention as a community organizer, a media consultant, and as a teacher at the high school and college levels. Mr. Maki received a bachelor's degree

in philosophy and English from Whittier College, a master's degree in literature from the University of Chicago, and a juris doctorate from Loyola University Chicago School of Law.

Garry McCarthy

Garry F. McCarthy was named Chicago Police Department Superintendent in June 2011. In this role, Mr. McCarthy employs crime fighting and prevention strategies that reduced violence and crime under his leadership in New York City, N.Y., and Newark, N.J. Mr. McCarthy began his career in law enforcement with the New York Police Department (NYPD) in 1981, and steadily rose through the ranks. He was named NYPD Deputy Commissioner of Operations in 2000 and served as the principal crime strategist for the department. Under his leadership, NYPD saw a significant decline in homicides. That steady decline culminated in 2005 with its lowest murder rate since 1963. Mr. McCarthy demonstrated strong leadership as a supervisor while commanding three separate precincts during a five-year period and bringing about significant positive changes. His success ultimately led him to a new assignment at the 70th precinct, where he helped diminish a double digit crime rate as well as decrease the number of complaints against police officers. These accomplishments garnered the praise of the U.S. Attorney's Office. In the fall of 2006, Mr. McCarthy was chosen to lead the Newark Police Department, which achieved a 9 percent reduction in murder within his first year. Along with this reduction, the Newark Police Department experienced additional improvements in efficiency and professionalism, including a 17 percent increase in arrests and diminished complaints against police officers.

Kevin T. McClain

An attorney with 30 years experience in both private law practice and public service, Kevin T. McClain was appointed director of the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board in August 2009. Mr. McClain served as the Board's general counsel from 1982 to 2004 and was general counsel for the Illinois Emergency Management Agency (IEMA) from 2004 to 2009. As general counsel for IEMA, Mr. McClain drafted public safety legislation and testified before Illinois House and Senate committees, and provided administrative direction and advice to the agency director and to bureau chiefs, including those of the Illinois Terrorism Task Force and the State Emergency Response Center. While chief legal

counsel and advisor to the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board, Mr. McClain wrote board legislation and rules, appeared on behalf of the Board before various legislative committees, and participated in development and implementation of the Mobile Team Training Program. Mr. McClain is a member of the Illinois Terrorism Task Force and International Association of Directors of Law Enforcement Standards and Training. Mr. McClain graduated with a juris doctorate from The John Marshall Law School in 1980.

Michael J. Pelletier

Michael J. Pelletier was named director of the Office of the State Appellate Defender in December 2007. Mr. Pelletier has spent his entire legal career with the Office of the State Appellate Defender, beginning as an assistant appellate defender in Ottawa in 1976. Prior to his appointment as director, Mr. Pelletier served for 20 years as the deputy defender and chief administrator in the First District Office in Chicago overseeing a staff of 120. Mr. Pelletier received a bachelor's degree in political science from Northern Illinois University in 1972 and a juris doctorate from The John Marshall Law School in 1976. He is a member of the Illinois State Bar Association and its Criminal Justice Section. He is also a member of the Appellate Lawyers Association and a former member of its board of directors, and he is a member of the National Legal Aid and Defender Association. He is a commissioner on the Criminal Law Edit Align and Rewrite (CLEAR) Commission.

Patrick B. Perez

Patrick B. Perez was sworn in as Kane County Sheriff in 2006. After beginning his law enforcement career in 1992 with the Kane County Sheriff's Department, Sheriff Perez worked his way up the ranks, becoming sergeant while serving as supervisor of the Special Operations Unit. He also was a member of the Gang and Drug Enforcement Unit, supervisor of the Patrol Division, supervisor of the Investigations Division, supervisor of the Civil Division, and a member of the Illinois Attorney General's Gang Task Force. In 1998, Sheriff Perez was nominated for the Kane County Officer of the Year award. He is the recipient of two Meritorious Service Awards and a Leadership Award. In 2008, Sheriff Perez received the Hector Jordan Lifetime Achievement Award. He also participated in a 1,250-pound marijuana seizure, made jointly by the Kane County Sheriff's Department and the FBI, the largest in department history.

Toni Preckwinkle

Toni Preckwinkle was elected Cook County Board President in November 2010. Ms. Preckwinkle has been a dedicated community leader for more than two decades, providing independent and progressive leadership founded on experience, coalition building, and a commitment to practical results. Prior to joining the Cook County Board, Ms. Preckwinkle served as alderman of Chicago's 4th Ward for 19 years. In that time, Ms. Preckwinkle built a professional and responsive ward organization and worked tirelessly to meet the diverse needs of her constituents. She fought for greater funding for education and affordable housing in her ward. She also sponsored the living wage and affordable housing ordinances, and was a lead plaintiff in a lawsuit to institute a more racially equitable map of Chicago's ward boundaries. Prior to joining Chicago City Council, Ms. Preckwinkle taught high school history in Chicago for 10 years. During that time, she ran a non-profit organization aimed at neighborhood improvement. Ms. Preckwinkle was recipient of the IVI-IPO Best Alderman Award in 1993, 1995, 1997, 1999, 2005 and 2008, and the 1997 and 2009 Leon Despres Awards. She holds a bachelor's degree and a master's degree from the University of Chicago.

John B. "Ben" Roe

John B. "Ben" Roe is the Ogle County State's Attorney, a position he has held since December 2004. As Ogle County State's Attorney, Mr. Roe has assisted in a variety of evidence-based and promising practice initiatives, including the development and implementation of an adult drug court, a juvenile drug court (set to open in fall 2012), a domestic violence response protocol, and juvenile justice diversion and detention alternative programming. Prior to being elected state's attorney, Mr. Roe was an assistant state's attorney in Carroll County, where he served as juvenile prosecutor and assisted in a variety of other criminal and civil matters. He also was a juvenile probation officer at Focus House, a youth shelter care facility operated by the Ogle County Probation Department. Prior to that, he worked at the Ogle County Sheriff's Department as a correctional officer and control room operator. Mr. Roe was named 2009 MacArthur Foundation Models for Change State of Illinois Champion for Change and has presented at conferences across the country on juvenile justice reform policies, protocols, and best practices. He is a member of the U.S. Department of Justice Federal

Advisory Committee on Juvenile Justice, Juvenile Justice Initiative Board of Directors, and Illinois Juvenile Justice Commission. He received a juris doctorate from Northern Illinois University College of Law and a bachelor's degree in government from Centre College.

Randall Rosenbaum

Randall Rosenbaum is the Champaign County Public Defender. Mr. Rosenbaum has spent the majority of his career as a public defender, starting in New York City at the Legal Aid Society in 1991. He joined the Champaign County Public Defender's Office in 1996 and was appointed chief public defender in 1998. He has been an active leader in numerous county and statewide organizations. He is past president of the Illinois Public Defender's Association, past president of the Champaign County Bar Association, past chair of the Illinois State Bar Association's Criminal Justice Section Council, and a member of the Champaign County Juvenile Delinquency Prevention Board and Illinois Juvenile Defense Assessment Project. He serves as a hearing's board officer for the Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission. He also teaches trial advocacy as an adjunct professor at the University of Illinois College of Law. Mr. Rosenbaum graduated from Northwestern University and the University of Illinois College of Law.

Angela Rudolph

Angela Rudolph is program officer with The Joyce Foundation Education Program. Ms. Rudolph joined The Joyce Foundation in 2008. A former elementary school teacher, Ms. Rudolph previously served as special assistant to former Chicago Mayor Richard M. Daley. In that role, she was responsible for performing analytical research on ex-offender and gun control policy issues, and spearheading outreach to community-based groups and individuals to encourage involvement in the policy process. Prior to joining the Mayor's Office, Ms. Rudolph served as a program director at Chicago Metropolis 2020 where she focused on issues of childhood exposure to violence, ex-offender re-entry, juvenile justice, and sentencing reform. She also served as the Chicago Urban League Education Director, where she was responsible for coordinating the development and implementation of the League's education and youth development programming. Ms. Rudolph began her professional career at the North Central Regional Educational Laboratory working as a policy associate

and a program associate with the policy and advocacy division of the Ounce of Prevention Fund. She holds a master's degree in education policy from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign and a bachelor's degree in American history from Union College.

Committees

The Authority has both ad hoc and standing committees. The Authority chairman appoints committee chairs and vice chairs. Non-Authority members may be appointed to *ad hoc* committees as long as the committees include at least one Authority member. Standing committees help direct and review much of the agency's work. With the exception of the Appeals Committee, standing committees consist of at least seven members of the Authority.

Ad Hoc Victim Services Committee

The Ad Hoc Victim Services Committee defines priorities for use of S.T.O.P. Violence Against Women Act and Victim of Crime Act funds. The criminal justice and victim services professionals and victim advocates who comprise the committee review crime and victimization trend data, information on current efforts, and data from funded programs to ensure a minimum provision of basic services to all victims of crime and prioritize funding for direct services.

Appeals Committee

The Appeals Committee decides administrative appeals by citizens who have challenged the accuracy and completeness of their state criminal history records.

Budget Committee

The Budget Committee reviews the Authority's budget. It receives fiscal reports about the funds made available to further the purposes of the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Act and oversees grant award procedures of the Authority. In addition, committee members may present testimony and advocate for the Authority's budget request before the governor and General Assembly.

Information Systems Committee

The Information Systems Committee reviews and monitors the development and operation of comprehensive information systems in Illinois. The committee also oversees the annual and periodic audits of the state central repositories of criminal history records, as provided in the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Act, and evaluates programs and makes recommendations regarding proper reporting of dispositions to the Illinois State Police by state's

attorneys and clerks of the circuit courts. In addition, the committee reviews integration efforts to ensure that they fall within the broader goals of statewide justice information systems coordination.

Legislation and Regulations Committee

This committee reviews criminal justice-related legislation and regulations proposed by Authority staff and other agencies. It also provides testimony and makes recommendations to the governor and General Assembly, as provided in the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Act. The committee studies and recommends regulations to ensure the privacy and security of criminal history record information as required by law.

Planning and Research Committee

The Planning and Research Committee reviews the research projects, proposals, and programs of the Authority's Research & Analysis Unit, and evaluates and correlates state and local programs, as provided in the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Act. The Planning and Research Committee also helps determine research and evaluation priorities that meet the needs of decision-makers. In addition, the committee oversees the Institutional Review Board to ensure the protection of human research subjects and compliance with applicable laws and regulations. The board reviews all research involving human subjects that is conducted, sponsored, or supported by the Authority.

Staff organization

While Authority members set priorities for the agency and monitor their progress, the day-to-day work is carried out by Authority staff, who come from a variety of backgrounds and disciplines.

At the end of the fiscal year 2011, the Authority had 73 employees, with 63 on payroll and 10 contractual staff members. There were 12 staff vacancies. To maintain diversity, the agency aggressively pursues equal employment opportunities. As of June 30, 2011, the Authority's workforce was 56 percent female, 44 percent male, 67 percent white, 17 percent African American, 10 percent Asian, and 6 percent Hispanic.

Office of the Executive Director

The agency's executive director, who is appointed by the governor with the advice and consent of the Illinois Senate, is responsible for the direction and administration of Authority staff. The executive director determines staff priorities and administers resources and programs needed to meet agency goals. The executive director also serves as liaison to the governor, General Assembly, Authority members, and state and national criminal justice officials and organizations.

Office of General Counsel

The general counsel provides legal services to the Authority, particularly in areas such as access to criminal justice information, privacy and security concerns, the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, and interagency funding agreements. The office directs the Authority's legislative program, and the general counsel serves as secretary to the Authority and the Motor Vehicle Theft Prevention Council. The general counsel also acts as chief of staff and, in the absence of the executive director, provides leadership, direction, and policymaking decisions for the Authority. The Office of General Counsel also oversees the Office of Public Information.

Office of Human Resources

The Office of Human Resources develops and oversees compliance with mandated programs and implements personnel policies. It also coordinates a variety of employee training initiatives, and administers employee benefit programs, compliance with the

Awards and accolades

The Authority was honored with two research awards at the Bureau of Justice Statistics 2010 Justice Research & Analysis Association (JRSA) Conference in Portland, Maine.

The Authority received a Phillip Hoke Award for Excellence in Analysis in the area of Statistical/Management for its *Juvenile Justice System & Risk Factor Data 2007 Annual Report*, written by **Research Analyst Lindsay Bostwick**.

Also received was a Phillip Hoke Award for Excellence in Analysis in the area of Research/Policy Analysis for "Victimization and Help-Seeking Behaviors Among Female Prisoners in Illinois," a *Research Report* written by **Senior Research Analyst Jessica Reichert**, and **research analysts Sharyn Adams and Lindsay Bostwick**.

The Hoke Award recognizes outstanding efforts to apply empirical analysis to criminal justice policymaking in the states. JRSA is a national organization of state criminal justice planning and research agencies.

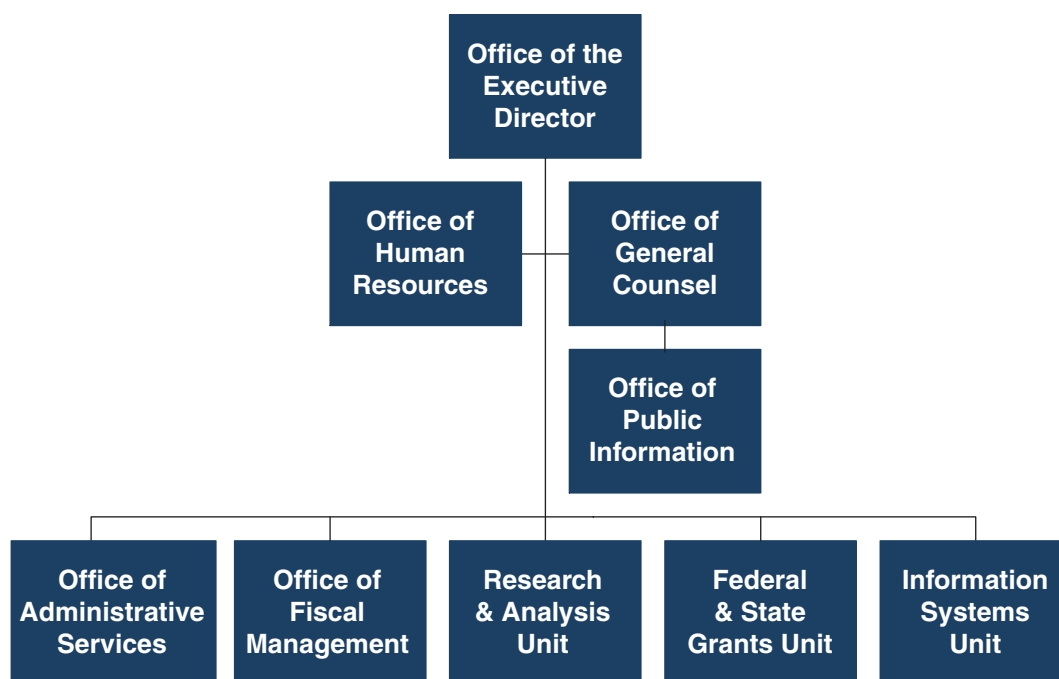
Americans with Disabilities Act, and the agency's annual Affirmative Action Plan.

Office of Administrative Services

The Office of Administrative Services is responsible for office security and the day-to-day general operations of the agency. This includes procurement of office equipment and supplies, telecommunications, inventory management, printing, and arrangements for meetings and travel.

Office of Fiscal Management

The Office of Fiscal Management formulates the Authority's annual budget, administers its financial transactions, and prepares mandated financial reports for the Office of the Comptroller, the U.S. Department of Justice, and other funding agencies. The office also oversees compliance with the Business Enterprise Program and the Fiscal Control and Internal Auditing Act.



Office of Public Information

The Office of Public Information manages media relations and external communications for the Authority. It oversees the editing, design, and production of research reports, brochures, guidebooks, the annual report, and other documents published by the Authority.

Federal & State Grants Unit

The Federal & State Grants Unit oversees federal and state assistance programs administered by the Authority, including the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act, Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grants, Victims of Crime Act, and Violence Against Women Act, as well as the state-funded Motor Vehicle Theft Prevention Act. The unit is responsible for developing program strategies, recommending programs to be funded, and monitoring grant awards.

Research & Analysis Unit

The Research & Analysis Unit conducts research that supports criminal justice policy and program development. The unit serves as an information clearinghouse for criminal justice statistics and research. In addition, it collects, analyzes, and disseminates information on the extent and nature of crime and crime trends and the causes and prevention of crime. The unit also conducts evaluations of criminal justice programs. The Research & Analysis Unit has taken a leadership role in convening policymakers and practi-

tioners to coordinate and improve system response to crime and to promote the use of evidence-based and promising practices at the state and local level. The unit helps staff statutorily created criminal justice initiatives. It also develops statistical methodologies and provides statistical advice and interpretation to support criminal justice decision-making and information needs.

Information Systems Unit

The Information Systems Unit develops and manages the Authority's computerized information systems, including the Computerized Lab Reporting Information System, InfoNet, and the Motor Vehicle Automated Reporting System. The unit is responsible for website and software development, systems operations, and technical support. The unit also provides technical support for in-house systems and computer users.

Policy and planning efforts

The Authority led and participated in a variety of policy and planning initiatives during the fiscal year to improve the administration of criminal justice in Illinois.

Statewide strategic criminal justice plan

In FY11, the Authority continued its statewide strategic planning initiative to formulate agency policy, research, and funding direction for the next several years.

This process began in fall 2009 with a survey of state and local leaders, criminal justice practitioners, policymakers, and service providers across Illinois to identify the primary challenges and issues facing their agencies or jurisdictions. The Authority then hosted a two-day summit of local, state, and national lawmakers, policymakers, and criminal justice and mental health practitioners in fall 2010, titled *Smarter Solutions for Crime Reduction: The Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority Strategic Planning Initiative*.

Collaboration and information sharing have been key in the agency's efforts to craft a long-range plan that addresses issues confronting the criminal justice system in all areas—victims, crime prevention, law enforcement, prosecution, courts, probation, and corrections.

Five post-summit workgroups that included more than 140 stakeholders from all sectors of the justice and human services fields convened to review information gathered at the summit and identify action steps for programs and practices, professional development, public policy, and research and evaluation.

These strategic planning efforts will culminate into a plan to promote evidence-based and promising practices to prevent crime, encourage community participation in public safety, utilize justice reinvestment to reduce corrections spending, and address drug abuse and mental illness in the criminal justice system.

Adult Redeploy Illinois

The Adult Redeploy Illinois program was created by the Crime Reduction Act of 2009 (Public Act 96-0761) to increase alternatives to incarceration

Boards and commissions

The Authority houses, staffs, and/or participates in the following advisory councils, boards, and commissions:

- Adult Redeploy Illinois Oversight Board
- Alcoholism and Other Drug Abuse and Dependency Act Advisory Council
- Commission to Study Disproportionate Justice Impact Act
- Criminal History Record Checks Task Force
- Illinois Integrated Justice Information System Implementation Board
- Illinois Juvenile Justice Commission
- Illinois Motor Vehicle Theft Prevention Council
- Illinois Sentencing Policy Advisory Council
- Illinois Violence Prevention Authority
- Task Force on Inventorying Employment Restrictions Act
- Racial and Ethnic Impact Research Task Force
- Redeploy Illinois Oversight Board (Juvenile)
- Risk, Assets and Needs Assessment Task Force
- Sex Offender Management Board

for non-violent offenders. Adult Redeploy Illinois provides grants to local jurisdictions to design and implement community-based interventions that are not only more effective in protecting public safety and holding offenders accountable, but much less expensive to taxpayers than incarceration. In exchange for funding, local jurisdictions agree to reduce by 25 percent the number of prison commitments from their target populations of non-violent offenders.

An average Adult Redeploy Illinois (ARI) intervention costs \$5,900 per participant per year, while a year in prison cost \$22,000 in FY10. ARI interventions include evidence-based practices that are proven to reduce recidivism by as much as 20 percent. Interventions are assigned to the offenders based on a validated assessment of risk, assets, and needs, and are part of an individualized case management model.

Ten unique county-based programs have been approved as pilot sites by the Adult Redeploy Illinois Oversight Board and will serve as demonstrations of how diversion programs might work statewide. Local ARI programs range from intensive probation super-

vision to drug and mental health courts and are being carried out in Cook, DuPage, Fulton, Jersey, Knox, Macon, Madison, McLean, St. Clair, and Winnebago counties.

The Authority administers the federal grant supporting the pilot phase of Adult Redeploy Illinois. In addition, Authority researchers are conducting an evaluation of Adult Redeploy Illinois at the program and pilot site levels, and are supervising data collection that will provide critical information on the effectiveness of the program.

Sentencing Policy Advisory Council

The Sentencing Policy Advisory Council (SPAC), created by Illinois Public Act 96-0711, draws on criminal justice information collected by other agencies to explore sentencing issues and practices and how they impact the criminal justice system as a whole. SPAC consists of a nonpartisan group of 18 key stakeholders from across state and local criminal justice systems, including legislators, retired judges, prosecutors, defense attorneys, corrections and administrators of the court officials, law enforcement, victims rights advocates, and academics. The Authority, Administrative Office of the Illinois Courts, and Illinois Department of Corrections provide data to the Council.

SPAC is charged with objectively informing sentencing and corrections policy decisions. To perform this function, the Council is responsible for collecting and analyzing data, conducting correctional population projections based on simulation models, and producing fiscal impact statements for the legislature. In addition, in the realm of criminal sentencing, SPAC is charged with ensuring that effective evidence-based practices are used in policy decisions and within the criminal justice system.

Victims services planning

In FY11, the Authority held a two-day Ad Hoc Victim Services Committee meeting to develop priorities for federal S.T.O.P. Violence Against Women Act and Victim of Crime Act funds. A plan was drafted for federal fiscal years 2010 through 2012.

The Ad Hoc Victim Services Committee is comprised of criminal justice and victim services professionals as well as members of the community who review crime and victimization trend data, current efforts, and data from funded programs. Executive directors of the major statewide victim service associations (including the coalitions against

domestic violence and sexual assault) and individual agencies representing underserved communities, such as Mujeres Latinas en Accion, Arab American Family Services, and the Center on Halsted also participate.

In developing a multi-year victim services plan, committee members considered the needs for development and/or enhancement of a criminal justice data infrastructure to include more information on actual incidents and the crime victim, cross-training and interdisciplinary training, and partnerships to coordinate the effective use of resources. The committee also focuses on education efforts on victims' rights, and ensuring a minimum provision of basic services to all victims of crime and prioritize funding for direct services.

The *S.T.O.P. Violence Against Women in Illinois Multi-Year Plan: FFY10-12* is available on the Authority's website.

Illinois Integrated Justice Information System

Implementation Board

The Illinois Integrated Justice Information System (IJIS) Implementation Board is an intergovernmental effort dedicated to improving the administration of justice by facilitating the electronic sharing of justice information throughout the state.

The IJIS Implementation Board continued in its efforts to develop a plan for statewide integrated criminal justice information sharing in FY11. Work of the Implementation Board was handled by Planning & Policy, Technical, Outreach, and Funding committees.

In FY11, the committees continued to pursue goals of the *Strategic Direction for Enterprise Information Sharing 2009-2012*.

The Planning & Policy Committee developed strategic, tactical, and project plans that will improve the electronic sharing of critical information throughout Illinois' justice system. The committee is also responsible for developing policies to ensure the appropriate collection, use, and dissemination of justice information.

The Technical Committee continued its focus on securing reliable, effective, and efficient information technology infrastructure that facilitates justice information sharing. The Technical Committee continued review of exchange points involved in the Court and Bond Hearing process and conducting a detailed analysis of the existing IT infrastructures throughout the state. The committee also identified existing successful technical architectures that could be used as a framework for developing the technical architecture model for integrated justice in Illinois.

The Outreach Committee continued efforts to raise awareness of the IJIS initiative. This committee informs justice practitioners and the public about the benefits of developing an integrated justice system in Illinois and publishes the IJIS electronic newsletter. In FY11, the committee developed educational materials to facilitate the recruitment of members and support for the IJIS initiative.

The IJIS Funding Committee continued to seek potential sources of funding through private and governmental entities and developing a boilerplate for grant applications.

The 26-member IJIS Implementation Board was created by Executive Order 2003-16 to imple-

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ment the Illinois Integrated Justice Information System Strategic Plan. The Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, Illinois State Police, Office of the Circuit Court of Cook County, and other agencies throughout the state provide staff to support the board's work. In addition to promoting the integration of justice information systems throughout Illinois, the board is charged with:

- Coordinating the development, adoption, and implementation of plans and strategies for sharing justice information.
- Coordinating the development of systems that enhance integration.
- Establishing standards to facilitate the electronic sharing of justice information.
- Promulgating policies that protect individuals' privacy rights related to the sharing of justice information.

For more information, visit the IJIS website at www.icjia.state.il.us/ijis.

Motor Vehicle Theft Prevention Council

With the support of the insurance industry, the General Assembly established the Illinois Motor Vehicle Theft Prevention Council in 1991 to combat vehicle theft, insurance fraud, and related crimes. The 11-member Council is made up of law enforcement and insurance industry officials. Day-to-day work of the Council is carried out by Authority staff.

The Council's responsibilities, as listed in the Illinois Motor Vehicle Theft Prevention Act, include assessing the scope of motor vehicle theft, particularly in those areas of the state with the highest theft rates, allocating funds made available for the purpose of the act, and developing and implementing strategies to combat motor vehicle theft.

The Act requires that certain insurance companies pay into a special trust fund in the state treasury. Insurance companies licensed to write private passenger comprehensive coverage are required to pay \$1 into the fund annually for each vehicle insured in the previous year. Collected and administered by the Council, contributions to the fund totaled \$6.4 million in 2011.

The Council allocates grants supporting programs such as special auto theft task forces and

Council highlights: 1991 to FY11

Investigations initiated	33,841
Audits of vehicle businesses.....	60,230
Arrests made	16,135
Convictions obtained	6,402
Vehicles recovered	37,143
Value of recoveries	\$280 million

investigative teams, prosecutions, statewide audits of salvage yards, public education, officer training, and data analysis. The Council funded 12 programs in FY11.

Vehicle thefts down 64 percent

Reports of motor vehicle theft in Illinois dropped 64 percent between 1991, when the Council was created, and calendar year 2009. The 26,917 vehicles reported stolen in 2009 represented 6,008 fewer stolen than in the previous year.

For more information or a copy of the Motor Vehicle Theft Prevention Council Annual Report, call (312) 793-8550, or visit the MVTPC website at www.icjia.state.il.us/mv.

Motor Vehicle Theft Prevention Council grants

The Council awarded MVTPC grant funds to the following programs for calendar year 2011. Funds distributed during the fiscal year may differ from the total award received for each program.

Program	Implementing agency	State funds awarded
Beat Auto Theft Through Law Enforcement	DuPage County Sheriff's Department	\$433,199
Insurance Vehicle Expense Fund	National Insurance Crime Bureau	\$63,590
Kane County Auto Theft Task Force	Elgin Police Department	\$458,048
Metro East Auto Theft Task Force	Belleville Police Department	\$694,112
Motor Vehicle Theft Intelligence Clearinghouse	Illinois State Police	\$432,541
Motor vehicle theft prevention training	Illinois State Police	\$110,641
Motor Vehicle Theft Prosecution Unit	Cook County State's Attorney's Office	\$802,644
Northeast Metro Auto Theft Task Force	Illinois State Police	\$351,590
Northern Illinois Auto Theft Task Force	Winnebago County Sheriff's Department	\$624,188
Special audit teams	Illinois Secretary of State Police Department	\$1,282,036
State and Local Auto Theft Enforcement	Peoria Police Department	\$424,624
Tri-County Auto Theft Task Force	Joliet Police Department	\$801,305

Federal and state grants

The Federal & State Grants Unit (FSGU) administers grant programs overseen by the Authority. Authorized under the Authority's power to receive and disburse grant money, this responsibility includes assuring compliance with federal and state regulations.

The Authority began administering federal grants in 1985, following the passage of the Justice Assistance Act and the Victims of Crime Act by Congress. In FY11, 18 staff members administered 364 individual grants under one state and 12 federal programs, with nearly \$40 million in designations for the fiscal year.

FSGU staff perform a variety of functions in developing, implementing, and monitoring state and local programs. These tasks include planning, program development, technical assistance, coordination, and administration.

American Recovery and Reinvestment Act

Passed in response to the nation's economic crisis, the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) of 2009 was designed to create new jobs and save existing ones, spur economic activity and invest in long-term economic growth, and foster unprecedented levels of accountability and transparency in government spending.

With the Act, Illinois received \$50.2 million to administer the ARRA Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program (JAG), \$1.3 million to administer the ARRA Victims of Crime Act (VOCA), and \$5 million to administer the ARRA Violence Against Women Act (VAWA). The Authority set funding priorities for these awards and developed program data reporting tools for agencies that received ARRA grants in order to meet the Act's strict reporting requirements.

The Authority designated almost \$3.3 million in ARRA JAG funding to 47 programs in FY11. The Authority also designated \$276,000 in ARRA VAWA funding to the Illinois State Police for rape kit backlog relief. See page 25 for a list of programs supported with ARRA funding in FY11.

Kirk Bloodsworth Post-Conviction DNA Testing Program

The National Institute of Justice awards Kirk Bloodsworth Post-Conviction DNA Testing Program grants to states trying to defray the costs associated with post-conviction DNA testing of forcible rape, murder, and non-negligent manslaughter cases in which actual innocence might be demonstrated. Funds may be used to review such post-conviction cases and to locate and analyze biological evidence associated with these cases.

Postconviction DNA testing has received considerable attention in recent years. Since the advent of forensic DNA analysis, a number of people convicted of crimes have been subsequently exonerated through DNA analysis of crime scene evidence that was not tested at the time of trial. Additionally, newer technologies have substantially increased the successful DNA analysis of aged, degraded, limited, or otherwise compromised biological evidence. As a result, crime scene samples once thought to be unsuitable for testing in the past may now yield DNA profiles. Moreover, samples that previously generated inconclusive DNA results may now be amenable to reanalysis using newer methods.

Illinois' federal fiscal year 2011 Bloodsworth award was \$687,448 million. These funds were designated to the University of Illinois at Springfield.

Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grants

The Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program (JAG) was designed to streamline justice funding and grant administration. The program blended funding for Edward Byrne Memorial State and Local Law Enforcement Assistance (also known as ADAA) and Local Law Enforcement Block Grant programs to provide agencies with the flexibility to prioritize and place justice funds where they are needed most.

JAG funds can be used for state and local initiatives, technical assistance, training, personnel, equipment, supplies, contractual support, and information systems for criminal justice for any one or more of the following purpose areas:

- Law enforcement.
- Prosecution and court.
- Prevention and education.
- Corrections and community corrections.
- Drug treatment and enforcement programs.
- Planning, evaluation, and technology improvement.
- Crime victim and witness programs (other than compensation).

Priorities for these areas include:

Law enforcement

- Support programs which pursue violent and predatory criminals.
- Support efforts with law enforcement, prosecution, and probation to combat and disrupt illegal drug use, violent crime, illegal gun and gang activity.
- Support programs which provide law enforcement agencies throughout the state with necessary means to prevent, deter, or investigate crime through staffing, training, special projects or equipment in order to improve public safety and quality of life.

Prosecution and court

- Support prosecution efforts that focus on violent and predatory criminals and drug offenders.
- Support programs which contribute to the effectiveness and efficiency of the criminal justice court system at state and county levels in all facets: the judiciary, clerks, prosecution, defense, probation, and victim services.

Prevention and education

- Support proven or innovative prevention or intervention programs for juveniles and adults identified as being at risk for involvement or already involved with the criminal justice system to provide services aimed to mitigate risk factors that are recognized as contributing factors to violent crime, involvement in drugs, gangs, and guns, and other criminal behavior.

Corrections and community corrections

- Support juvenile and adult re-entry programs and programs that enhance jail or correctional facility security and safety.

- Support proven or innovative programs for those already involved in the criminal justice system, those incarcerated, or those on probation which are targeted to address recognized risk factors for recidivism by mitigating risk factors that contribute to criminal behavior.

Drug treatment and enforcement programs

- Support programs which combat and disrupt criminal drug networks and programs which provide substance abuse treatment.

Planning, evaluation, and technology improvement

- Support efforts to implement integrated justice information systems throughout the state to ensure that each component of the criminal justice system has access to timely, complete and accurate information necessary to informed decision-making at each state of the criminal justice process.

Crime victim and witness programs

- Restore state-use funds to victim services programs that have been cut out of the state's budget.

Illinois' federal fiscal year 2011 JAG award was \$9.5 million. In FY11, \$10.5 million in JAG funds were designated to 128 programs. See page 26 for a list of programs supported by JAG in FY11.

Juvenile Accountability Block Grants Program

Juvenile Accountability Block Grants (JABG) Program funding supports local efforts to reduce juvenile delinquency and crime, and hold young people, their families, and the juvenile justice system accountable for improving the quality of life in every community. Purpose areas include developing graduated sanctions and providing funding to train law enforcement and court personnel. Program requirements include establishing and maintaining restorative justice programs, hiring detention personnel, providing risk and needs assessment, and establishing a juvenile records system.

Illinois' federal fiscal year 2011 JABG award was \$1.3 million. In FY11, the Authority awarded more than \$2 million to 27 juvenile justice programs throughout Illinois.

Juvenile Accountability Block Grants

The Authority designated Juvenile Accountability Block Grants to the following programs between July 1, 2010, and June 30, 2011. Federal funds disbursed during the fiscal year may differ from the total designated to each program.

Program	Agency	Federal funds designated
Assistant state's attorney, juvenile division	Peoria County	\$13,792
Community service program	City of Evanston	\$31,000
Improving operational effectiveness	Cook County	\$30,000
Improving operational effectiveness	DuPage County	\$5,387
Improving operational effectiveness	City of Evanston	\$4,125
Improving operational effectiveness	Lake County	\$11,962
Improving operational effectiveness	Macon County	\$19,997
Improving operational effectiveness	Will County	\$28,500
Juvenile accountability incentive block grants	Champaign County	\$11,916
Juvenile accountability incentive block grants	City of Chicago	\$187,330
Juvenile accountability incentive block grants	DuPage County	\$38,408
Juvenile accountability incentive block grants	City of East St. Louis	\$10,674
Juvenile court services	Lake County	\$28,722
Juvenile Crime Prevention & Intervention Program	Will County	\$25,952
Kane County Juvenile Accountability Initiative	Kane County	\$24,089
Mediation program	Lake County	\$58,380
Multi-agency support collaborative	Chicago Area Project	\$129,924
Parole readjustment program	Illinois Department of Juvenile Justice	\$252,384
Pre-employment program	Cook County	\$66,888
Pre-employment program	DuPage County	\$195,000
Pre-employment program	Lake County	\$170,000
Project RECLAIM	Cook County	\$623,295
Stepping Stones	Community Justice for Youth Institute	\$116,000
Truancy court	Macon County	\$46,000

A minimum of 75 percent of the funds must be allocated to units of local government. Allocations are based on law enforcement expenditure data and the average annual number of Uniform Crime Report Part 1 violent crime arrests. JABG requires matching funds of 10 percent.

Paul Coverdell National Forensic Sciences Improvement Act

The Paul Coverdell National Forensic Sciences Improvement Act (NFSIA) authorizes funding to improve the quality, timeliness, and credibility of forensic science services for criminal justice purposes. NFSIA funding is directed to crime laboratories and medical examiners' offices based on population and crime statistics. The program permits funding for facilities, personnel, computerization, equipment, supplies, education, and training.

Illinois' federal fiscal year 2011 NFSIA award was \$791,358. In FY11, the Authority awarded \$750,554 to Illinois State Police for forensic science

initiatives. ISP operates nine laboratories that provide forensic services to almost 1,500 law enforcement agencies in Illinois.

The Authority also designated \$83,395 to the Northern Illinois Crime Lab and \$83,395 to DuPage County for forensic science initiatives.

National Criminal History Improvement Program

The National Criminal History Improvement Program (NCHIP) was established in 1995 to promote the accuracy, completeness, and timeliness of criminal history records. Funds are used at the state and local levels to improve the quality of criminal history records, or "rap sheets," which are vital to police, prosecutors, judges, and various government agencies.

In FY11, the Authority designated \$194,400 in NCHIP funds to the Illinois State Police and \$129,600 to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County for records improvement initiatives.

National Instant Criminal Background Check System Reporting Improvement Program

The purpose of the National Instant Criminal Background Check System (NICS) Reporting Improvement Program grant is to improve the records utilized by NICS by providing assistance to states to improve the completeness, automation, and transmittal of records to state and federal systems. These include criminal history records, records of felony convictions, warrants, records of protective orders, convictions for misdemeanors involving domestic violence and stalking, records of mental health adjudications, and others, which may disqualify an individual from possessing or receiving a firearm under federal law. Helping states to automate these records also reduces delays for law-abiding gun purchasers.

In federal fiscal year 2011, Illinois received \$1,209,500 for the NICS Reporting Improvement Program. The Authority designated this funding in FY11 to the Illinois State Police.

Project Safe Neighborhoods

Project Safe Neighborhoods (PSN) is a nationwide program committed to reducing gun and gang crime by enhancing cooperative initiatives between local, state, and federal agencies. Led by regional task forces, the Authority administers PSN awards on behalf of the Office of the U.S. Attorney in the geographic area of the U.S. District Courts for Northern and Central districts of Illinois.

In the Central District, headquartered in Springfield, PSN provides funds to facilitate local participation in cooperative gun and violent fugitive task forces. In the Northern District, headquartered in Chicago, the PSN strategy focuses on integrated public information, enforcement, prosecution, and parole, and re-entry efforts in the five Chicago police districts with the highest incidence of gun crime.

In FY11, \$62,234 was designated to three anti-gang and anti-gun crime initiatives in Illinois.

The Illinois Department of Corrections received \$31,916 to support the Parolee Forum program. Champaign County received \$10,597 to fund Champaign Police Department overtime to address a growing rash of gang assaults on university students. Finally, SGA Youth and Family Services received \$19,721 to provide gang prevention programming to youth in Chicago's 9th and 10th districts.

Residential Substance Abuse Treatment Program

The Residential Substance Abuse Treatment Program (RSAT) provides funding for treatment programs in a correctional setting and is available to the Illinois Department of Corrections (IDOC) and Illinois Department of Juvenile Justice (IDJJ). RSAT funds are used to implement residential, jail-based, and after-care programs.

In federal fiscal year 2011, Illinois received \$694,370 for RSAT. In FY11, \$114,273 was designated to IDJJ to support a drug treatment program at the Illinois Youth Center-Warrenville.

RSAT provides formula grants to correctional agencies to implement treatment programs for prisoners housed in IDOC facilities. RSAT funding requires the following criteria be met for funding eligibility:

- Length of treatment must be six to 12 months.
- Offenders must receive treatment services in a residential setting away from the general inmate population.
- The primary focus of the program must be on the substance abuse problems of the inmate, but the program also must develop inmates' social, cognitive, behavioral, and vocational skills.

In addition, treatment is limited to offenders who are nearing the end of their incarceration so that they may be released upon completion of the substance abuse program.

Violence Against Women Act

Congress first passed the Violence Against Women Act in 1994 and reauthorized the Act in 2000. With a reauthorization in 2005, Congress began the S.T.O.P. (Services * Training * Officers * Prosecutors) VAWA program. Among the provisions of the Act is a section authorizing grants to states for programs that would improve the response of the criminal justice system to female victims of sexual assault and domestic violence.

As the agency charged with administering VAWA awards in Illinois, the Authority relies on statistical data, public testimony, and surveys of criminal justice and victim service agencies to ensure the most effective distribution of funds. The program's objectives include:

- Providing services to women who are victims of sexual assault and domestic violence by establishing satellite programs in one or more counties and extending services to victims who are unserved or underserved.
- Developing, implementing, and evaluating a plan for training police, prosecutors, judges, circuit clerks, probation officers, and service providers that reflects the unique information and skills necessary to promote an interdisciplinary approach to sexual assault and domestic violence.
- Implementing measures that document and assess the response of criminal justice agencies in Illinois to sexual assault and domestic violence.

Illinois' federal fiscal year 2011 VAWA award was more than \$4.8 million. Nearly \$4.7 million in VAWA funds were designated in FY11 to support 38 programs.

The Act specifies that states must allocate 25 percent of the funds to law enforcement, 25 percent to prosecution, 30 percent to service providers, and 5 percent to the courts. The remaining 15 percent can be allocated at the state's discretion.

Funds have a two-year lifespan and must be spent in accordance with a plan drafted by the Authority Ad Hoc Victim Services Committee and submitted to the Office on Violence Against Women, U.S. Department of Justice. See page 30 for a list of programs funded through VAWA in FY11.

VAWA Sexual Assault Services Program

The VAWA Sexual Assault Services Program supports the provision of hotline, advocacy, counseling, and outreach services to adults and children at 33 local victim service agencies across Illinois.

Illinois' federal fiscal year 2011 VAWA Sexual Assault Services Program award was \$247,414. The Authority designated \$235,565 in VAWA Sexual Assault Services Program funding to the Illinois Coalition Against Sexual Assault in FY11.

Victims of Crime Act

The Victims of Crime Act (VOCA), funded with fines paid by offenders convicted of violating federal laws, supports direct services to victims of crime. The act requires that priority be given to services for victims of sexual assault, domestic violence, child abuse, and other groups identified by the state as underserved victims of crime.

Illinois' federal fiscal year 2011 VOCA award was \$16.9 million. The Authority designated \$15.6 million in VOCA grant funding in FY11 to 118 victim service providers. These funds supported victim advocacy programs throughout Illinois, including services provided by agencies that are members of the Coalition Against Domestic Violence and Coalition Against Sexual Assault. Other grants supported services to survivors of homicide victims, victims of drunk driving crashes, and violent crime victims with special needs, such as those with disabilities and the elderly.

See page 28 for a list of programs funded through VOCA in FY11.

American Recovery and Reinvestment Act Funding

The Authority made the following designations with American Recovery and Reinvestment Act funding to support the Justice Assistance Grant Program between July 1, 2010, and June 30, 2011.

Program	Agency	Federal funds designated
Correctional initiatives	DuPage County	\$379,004
Correctional initiatives	Jersey County	\$207,800
Correctional initiatives	Knox County	\$250,000
Correctional initiatives	Macon County	\$250,000
Correctional initiatives	McLean County	\$16,823
Correctional initiatives	St. Clair County	\$260,623
I-CASE interface	City of Abingdon	\$35,000
I-CASE interface	City of Elgin	\$30,000
I-CASE interface	Village of Forest Park	\$15,000
I-CASE interface	City of Highland Park	\$20,000
I-CASE interface	City of Huntley	\$65,000
I-CASE interface	Village of Lincolnwood	\$21,000
I-CASE interface	Village of Melrose Park	\$30,300
I-CASE interface	City of Morton Grove	\$17,720
I-CASE interface	City of Quincy	\$33,350
I-CASE interface	City of Rockford	\$85,000
I-CASE interface	Village of Streamwood	\$189,200
Law enforcement reserve	Lake County	\$165,079
Starcomm radios	Village of Addison	\$26,305
Starcomm radios	City of Belleville	\$39,099
Starcomm radios	City of Bloomington	\$133,276
Starcomm radios	Village of Chatham	\$21,231
Starcomm radios	City of Chicago	\$138,432
Starcomm radios	Village of Coal City	\$15,215.82
Starcomm radios	City of Columbia	\$29,287
Starcomm radios	City of Effingham	\$24,824
Starcomm radios	City of Elgin	\$86,740
Starcomm radios	Grundy County	\$121,622
Starcomm radios	Village of Jerome	\$9,410
Starcomm radios	City of Leland Grove	\$5,111
Starcomm radios	Village of Loami	\$3,578.75
Starcomm radios	Village of Marissa	\$5,788
Starcomm radios	Village of Maryville	\$12,777
Starcomm radios	Village of Minooka	\$27,930.39
Starcomm radios	Monroe County	\$31,058
Starcomm radios	City of Morris	\$29,880
Starcomm radios	Village of Pawnee	\$4,050
Starcomm radios	City of Rolling Meadows,	\$15,247
Starcomm radios	Village of Rosemont,	\$3,539
Starcomm radios	Sangamon County	\$59,675
Starcomm radios	City of Tinley Park	\$33,057.50
Starcomm radios	City of Troy	\$5,890
Starcomm radios	Village of Valmeyer	\$6,436.25
Starcomm radios	City of Waterloo	\$24,153
Starcomm radios	Winnebago County	\$290,420

The Authority made the following designation with American Recovery and Reinvestment Act funding to support the Violence Against Women Act between July 1, 2010, and June 30, 2011.

Program	Agency	Federal funds designated
Statewide rape kit backlog relief	Illinois State Police	\$276,000

Justice Assistance Grants

The Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program (JAG) was designed to streamline justice funding and grant administration. The Authority designated JAG funds to the following programs between July 1, 2010, and June 30, 2011. Federal funds disbursed during the fiscal year may differ from the total designated to each program.

Program	Agency	Federal funds designated
Community violence prevention	Governors State University	\$20,000
Community violence prevention	DuPage County	\$20,000
Community violence prevention	Illinois State Police	\$285,386
Community violence prevention	Lake County	\$144,341
Correctional initiatives	Will County	\$112,000
Evaluations	Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority	\$1,250,000
Evaluations	Winnebago County	\$260,000
Ex-offender re-entry services	St. Leonard's Ministries	\$125,000
Expanding multijurisdictional narcotics units	Adams County	\$133,389
Expanding multijurisdictional narcotics units	City of Collinsville	\$467,598
Expanding multijurisdictional narcotics units	Kankakee County	\$150,730
Expanding multijurisdictional narcotics units	Village of Libertyville	\$271,209
Expanding multijurisdictional narcotics units	Lombard	\$145,625
Expanding multijurisdictional narcotics units	City of Loves Park	\$119,996
Expanding multijurisdictional narcotics units	Macoupin County	\$85,064
Expanding multijurisdictional narcotics units	City of Marion	\$142,498
Expanding multijurisdictional narcotics units	City of Mattoon	\$107,122
Expanding multijurisdictional narcotics units	McLean County	\$64,106
Expanding multijurisdictional narcotics units	City of Peoria	\$74,995
Expanding multijurisdictional narcotics units	City of Robinson	\$134,002
Expanding multijurisdictional narcotics units	Rock Island County	\$31,895
Expanding multijurisdictional narcotics units	Sangamon County	\$138,569
Expanding multijurisdictional narcotics units	City of St. Charles	\$139,670
Expanding multijurisdictional narcotics units	Vermilion County	\$143,581
Expanding multijurisdictional narcotics units	City of West Frankfort	\$201,393
Expanding multijurisdictional narcotics units	Whiteside County	\$69,579
Expanding multijurisdictional narcotics units	Will County	\$139,644
Information systems	Lake County	\$9,200
Information systems	Winnebago County	\$62,584
Law enforcement equipment program	Village of Broadview	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	Village of Brooklyn	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	Village of Buffalo	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	Carroll County	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	Christian County	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	City of Clinton	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	Coles County	\$15,830
Law enforcement equipment program	City of DeKalb	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	Village of East Alton	\$18,507
Law enforcement equipment program	City of East Moline	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	Village of Forreston	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	Village of Glenwood	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	Hardin County	\$15,895
Law enforcement equipment program	City of Harrisburg	\$15,895
Law enforcement equipment program	City of Harwood Heights	\$17,131
Law enforcement equipment program	City of Henry	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	City of Macomb	\$18,847
Law enforcement equipment program	Village of Manteno	\$19,875
Law enforcement equipment program	Marion County	\$16,208
Law enforcement equipment program	Village of Millstadt	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	City of Minonk	\$16,971
Law enforcement equipment program	City of Mounds	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	City of Oregon	\$17,315
Law enforcement equipment program	City of Pana	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	Village of Park Forest	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	City of Paxton	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	City of Pekin	\$19,608
Law enforcement equipment program	Piatt County	\$15,563

Justice Assistance Grants, continued

Program	Agency	Federal funds designated
Law enforcement equipment program	Pulaski County	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	Randolph County	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	City of Robinson	\$18,404
Law enforcement equipment program	City of Shelbyville	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	City of Staunton	\$16,500
Law enforcement equipment program	Village of Stone Park	\$16,282
Law enforcement equipment program	Village of Summit	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	City of Taylorville	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	Village of Villa Park	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	Village of Washington Park	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	Wayne County	\$20,000
Law enforcement equipment program	Williamson County	\$19,500
Local law enforcement officer safety	City of Auburn	\$7,500
Local law enforcement officer safety	City of Belvidere	\$4,526
Local law enforcement officer safety	Village of Bourbonnais,	\$7,500
Local law enforcement officer safety	City of Bradley	\$4,065
Local law enforcement officer safety	City of Braidwood	\$3,893
Local law enforcement officer safety	Village of Campton Hills	\$3,764
Local law enforcement officer safety	Village of Clarendon Hills	\$7,500
Local law enforcement officer safety	Village of Crete	\$7,380
Local law enforcement officer safety	City of East Moline	\$7,500
Local law enforcement officer safety	City of Fairview Heights City	\$7,043
Local law enforcement officer safety	Village of Frankfort	\$7,482
Local law enforcement officer safety	City of Genoa	\$7,500
Local law enforcement officer safety	Henderson County	\$5,618
Local law enforcement officer safety	Village of Lake Villa	\$7,499
Local law enforcement officer safety	City of Lanark City	\$5,874
Local law enforcement officer safety	Village of Libertyville	\$4,339
Local law enforcement officer safety	Village of Orion	\$5,712
Local law enforcement officer safety	City of Peru City	\$7,500
Local law enforcement officer safety	Village of Richmond	\$4,047
Local law enforcement officer safety	Village of Walnut	\$2,738
Local law enforcement officer safety	Warren County	\$4,478
Local law enforcement officer safety	City of Washington	\$7,446
Local law enforcement officer safety	Village of Wauconda	\$6,780
Local law enforcement officer safety	Village of Winthrop Harbor	\$7,500
Multijurisdictional drug prosecution	Cook County State's Attorney's Office	\$1,174,104
Multijurisdictional drug prosecution	DuPage County	\$156,415
Multijurisdictional drug prosecution	Kane County	\$143,967
Multijurisdictional drug prosecution	Lake County	\$204,858
Multijurisdictional drug prosecution	McHenry County	\$83,394
Multijurisdictional drug prosecution	Office of the Illinois State's Attorney's Appellate Prosecutor	\$440,486
Multijurisdictional drug prosecution	St. Clair County	\$108,003
Multijurisdictional drug prosecution	Will County	\$132,528
Probation initiatives	Tazewell County	\$24,000
Residential treatment	Haymarket Center	\$621,434
Specialized defense initiatives	Macon County	\$81,000
Specialized defense initiatives	Office of the Illinois State Appellate Defender	\$189,529
Specialized defense initiatives	University of Illinois	\$39,828
Specialized prosecution initiatives	Cook County State's Attorney's Office	\$271,238
Specialized prosecution initiatives	Office of the Illinois State's Attorney's Appellate Prosecutor	\$284,300
Task force support	South Suburban Major Crimes Task Force	\$100,000
Technology improvement	Illinois State Police	\$500,000
Technology improvement	Marshall County	\$7,000

Victims of Crime Act grants

The Victims of Crime Act created a federal block grant program designed to help states increase services to victims of crime. The Authority designated VOCA grant funds to the following programs between July 1, 2010, and June 30, 2011. Federal funds disbursed during the fiscal year may differ from the total designated to each program.

Program	Agency	Federal funds designated
Centralized training for Chicago-area domestic violence agencies	Chicago Metropolitan Battered Women's Network	\$21,194
Child advocacy center services	Amy Schultz Child Advocacy Center	\$32,239
Child advocacy center services	Champaign County Children's Advocacy Center	\$50,338
Child advocacy center services	Chicago Children's Advocacy Center	\$151,384
Child advocacy center services	Child Network	\$30,880
Child advocacy center services	Children's Action Network	\$25,337
Child advocacy center services	Children's Advocacy Center of East Central Illinois	\$38,367
Child advocacy center services	Children's Advocacy Center of Northwest Cook County	\$92,207
Child advocacy center services	Children's Advocacy Renewal & Enlightenment, Inc.	\$81,741
Child advocacy center services	DuPage County	\$58,347
Child advocacy center services	Hull House Child Advocacy Center of Cook County	\$75,342
Child advocacy center services	Kane County	\$22,254
Child advocacy center services	Lake County Children's Advocacy Center	\$88,299
Child advocacy center services	Larabida Children's Hospital	\$87,043
Child advocacy center services	McHenry County Child Advocacy Center	\$32,756
Child advocacy center services	McLean County	\$107,941
Child advocacy center services	Procure Centers (Proviso Family Services)	\$24,478
Child advocacy center services	Sangamon County Child Advocacy Center	\$82,806
Child advocacy center services	Shining Star Children's Center	\$62,159
Child advocacy center services	St. Clair County Child Advocacy Center	\$34,472
Child advocacy center services	Tazewell County Children's Advocacy Center	\$45,766
Child advocacy center services	The Guardian Center, Inc.	\$25,661
Child advocacy center services	Will County Child Advocacy Center	\$64,821
Child advocacy center services	Winnebago County	\$83,684
Civil legal services for victims of domestic violence	Land of Lincoln Legal Assistance Foundation - East St Louis	\$281,498
Civil legal services for victims of domestic violence	Legal Assistance Foundation of Chicago	\$45,132
Civil legal services for victims of domestic violence	Life Span	\$142,332
Civil legal services for victims of domestic violence	Prairie State Legal Services, Inc.	\$249,303
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	Arlington Heights	\$50,462
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	Carroll County	\$16,753
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	Champaign County	\$34,525
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	Cook County State's Attorney's Office	\$1,212,926
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	City of Elgin	\$38,858
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	City of Evanston	\$44,406
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	Franklin County	\$41,684
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	Kane County	\$81,121
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	City of Kankakee	\$28,547
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	Kankakee County	\$57,894
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	Lake County	\$61,127
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	LaSalle County	\$35,338
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	Macon County	\$16,122
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	McLean County	\$43,902
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	Menard County	\$13,908
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	Ogle County	\$11,580
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	City of Prospect Heights	\$64,067
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	St. Clair County	\$38,944
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	Union County	\$33,869
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	City of Wheeling	\$66,458
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	Whiteside County	\$12,949
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	Williamson County	\$48,557
Law enforcement/prosecutor-based victim assistance services	Winnebago County	\$47,473
Services to Chicago victims of violent crime	Circle Family Care, Inc.	\$48,043
Services to Chicago victims of violent crime	Legal Assistance Foundation of Chicago	\$142,846
Services to Chicago victims of violent crime	Rogers Park Community Council	\$48,447
Services to child victims of domestic violence	Dove, Inc.	\$28,893
Services to child victims of domestic violence	Heartland Human Care Services, Inc.	\$40,597
Services to child victims of domestic violence	Illinois Coalition Against Domestic Violence	\$10,347

Victims of Crime Act grants, continued

Program	Agency	Federal funds designated
Services to child victims of domestic violence	Life Span	\$109,176
Services to child victims of domestic violence	Rainbow House	\$24,345
Services to child victims of domestic violence	Sarah's Inn	\$39,929
Services to child victims of domestic violence	South Suburban Family Shelter	\$96,167
Services to child victims of domestic violence	St. Pius V Church	\$64,004
Services to child victims of domestic violence	The Pillars Community Services	\$33,488
Services to downstate victims of violent crimes	Quanada	\$30,731
Services to downstate victims of violent crimes	Southern Illinois Health Care Foundation	\$36,334
Services to hearing impaired victims of violent crime	Lester and Rosalie Anixter Center (Chicago Hearing Society)	\$49,782
Services to juvenile victims of crime	Freedom House	\$21,066
Services to non-English speaking or bilingual domestic violence victims	Howard Area Community Center	\$38,246
Services to non-English speaking or bilingual domestic violence victims	Korean American Women in Need	\$35,464
Services to non-English speaking or bilingual domestic violence victims	Mujeres Latinas En Accion	\$59,748
Services to senior victims of violent crime	Catholic Charities	\$65,326
Services to senior victims of violent crime	Effingham City/County Committee on Aging	\$32,295
Services to senior victims of violent crime	Legal Assistance Foundation of Chicago	\$40,835
Services to senior victims of violent crime	Prairie Council on Aging, Inc.	\$17,261
Services to senior victims of violent crime	Shawnee Alliance for Seniors	\$32,295
Services to senior victims of violent crime	Stopping Woman Abuse Now, Inc.	\$32,295
Services to underserved domestic violence populations	Center on Halsted	\$53,556
Services to underserved sexual assault victim populations	Illinois Coalition Against Sexual Assault	\$4,870,665
Services to victims of child abuse	Children's Memorial Hospital	\$47,929
Services to victims of child abuse	YWCA Of Metropolitan Chicago	\$60,362
Services to victims of convicted offenders	Illinois Department of Corrections	\$53,867
Services to victims of domestic violence	Apna Ghar, Inc.	\$41,677
Services to victims of domestic violence	Between Friends	\$122,206
Services to victims of domestic violence	Center for Prevention of Abuse	\$52,642
Services to victims of domestic violence	City of Chicago	\$220,504
Services to victims of domestic violence	Crisis Center of South Suburbia	\$62,737
Services to victims of domestic violence	Hull House Association (Jane Addams)	\$50,349
Services to victims of sexual assault	Assault & Abuse Services of Stephenson County	\$48,512
Services to victims of sexual assault	Women's Center	\$37,211
Services to victims of sexual assault	YWCA of Metropolitan Chicago	\$98,317
Statewide services to victims of domestic violence	Illinois Coalition Against Domestic Violence	\$3,753,062
Statewide services to victims of drunk drivers	Alliance Against Intoxicated Motorists	\$87,704
Statewide services to victims of drunk drivers	Mothers Against Drunk Driving	\$70,646
Statewide victim assistance training	Office of the Illinois Attorney General	\$25,230
Transitional housing and support services	Apna Ghar, Inc.	\$39,398
Transitional housing and support services	Crisis Center of South Suburbia	\$41,340
Transitional housing and support services	Hamdard Center for Health and Human Services	\$43,124
Transitional housing and support services	Korean American Women in Need	\$42,082
Transitional housing and support services	Mutual Ground, Inc.	\$31,069
Transitional housing and support services	Phase, Inc. (Wave Domestic Violence Services & Homeless Program)	\$29,485
Transitional housing and support services	Quanada	\$19,175
Transitional housing and support services	Safe Passage, Inc.	\$52,552
Transitional housing and support services	Stopping Woman Abuse Now, Inc.	\$43,841
Transitional housing and support services	YWCA of Freeport	\$33,444
Centralized training for Chicago-area domestic violence agencies	Chicago Metropolitan Battered Women's Network	\$20,000

Violence Against Women Act grants

The Violence Against Women Act created a block grant program designed to help states improve the criminal justice system's response to victims of sexual assault or domestic violence. The Authority designated VAWA grant funds to the following programs between July 1, 2010, and June 30, 2011. Federal funds disbursed during the fiscal year may differ from the total designated to each program.

Program	Agency	Federal funds designated
Domestic violence and sexual assault prosecution training	Chicago Metropolitan Battered Women's Network	\$49,763
Domestic violence law enforcement training	Chicago Metropolitan Battered Women's Network	\$20,000
Sexual assault medical advocacy	Office of the Illinois Attorney General	\$116,499
Domestic violence & sexual assault prosecution	Cook County	\$665,879
Domestic violence law enforcement	City of Chicago	\$127,485
Domestic violence multidisciplinary team response	City of Bloomington City	\$67,732
Domestic violence multidisciplinary team response	Center for Prevention of Abuse	\$70,906
Domestic violence multidisciplinary team response	McLean County	\$52,370
Domestic violence multidisciplinary team response	McLean County	\$210,407
Domestic violence multidisciplinary team response	Mid Central Community Action, Inc.	\$59,351
Domestic violence multidisciplinary team response	City of Peoria City	\$54,359
Domestic violence multidisciplinary team response	Peoria County	\$305,274
Domestic violence multidisciplinary team response	St. Clair County	\$454,405
Domestic violence multidisciplinary team response	Violence Prevention Center of Southwest Illinois	\$68,791
Services for underserved areas or victim groups	Illinois Coalition Against Domestic Violence	\$654,306
Services for underserved areas or victim groups	Illinois Coalition Against Sexual Assault	\$654,306
Services to female inmates	Illinois Department of Corrections	\$72,000
Services to victims of domestic violence	City of Chicago	\$364,000
Sexual assault medical advocacy	Office of the Illinois Attorney General	\$116,499
Sexual assault multidisciplinary team response	Kankakee County	\$49,362
Sexual assault multidisciplinary team response	Kankakee County	\$105,642
Sexual assault multidisciplinary team response	Kankakee County Center Against Sexual Assault	\$60,000
Transitional housing and support services	Apna Ghar, Inc.	\$21,664
Transitional housing and support services	Crisis Center of South Suburbia	\$16,416
Transitional housing and support services	Hamdard Center for Health And Human Services	\$33,235
Transitional housing and support services	Korean American Women in Need	\$34,272
Transitional housing and support services	Mutual Ground, Inc.	\$34,080
Transitional housing and support services	Phase, Inc. (Wave Domestic Violence Services & Homeless Program)	\$14,340
Transitional housing and support services	Quanada	\$24,000
Transitional housing and support services	Safe Passage, Inc.	\$7,392
Transitional housing and support services	YWCA of Freeport	\$18,048
Domestic violence law enforcement training	Chicago Metropolitan Battered Women's Network	\$45,000
Sexual assault prosecution & court training	Rape Victim Advocates	\$50,000

Research and analysis

The Authority is responsible for conducting criminal justice research in Illinois, and its Research & Analysis (R&A) Unit handles the majority of the program and policy research efforts. Also known as the Illinois Statistical Analysis Center (SAC), the unit's primary mission is to identify and explore current or emerging criminal and juvenile justice issues that affect the Illinois justice system. The results are then made available to state, county, and local criminal justice decision-makers to assist them in their policy discussions and planning. R&A attempts to make timely and objective information available on key issues by emphasizing short-term projects that address narrow topics, so that important policy, program, and funding decisions are based on data and factual information rather than general perceptions. R&A is leading the Authority's efforts to promote the implementation of evidence-based and promising practices.

A number of research efforts were under way or concluded in state fiscal year 2011.

Projects to support criminal justice programming

The Authority continually collects, analyzes, and disseminates statistical information on a variety of criminal and juvenile justice issues. By working with various agencies responsible for initial data collection, staff have developed what is perhaps the most comprehensive repository of crime, criminal justice, and risk factor data in Illinois, as well as a unique and widely recognized expertise in data analysis and interpretation. R&A encourages and supports community problem assessment and planning by making much of this data available on the Authority's website.

The unit also is responsible for evaluations to assess implementation and impact of drug and violent crime control programs, community re-entry post-incarceration, and drug treatment efforts, and other justice initiatives in Illinois. Evaluation projects supported with federal funds are carried out in-house, and through subcontracts with universities and private research firms.

R&A provides a variety of program development support to the Authority's Federal & State Grants Unit. Some of these activities are supported

with grants from the U.S. Department of Justice Bureau of Justice Assistance, and from the VOCA, and VAWA grant programs. R&A also provides the Federal and State Grants Unit with research and evaluation support.

Evidence-based practices

The Authority continued its focus on evidence-based and promising criminal justice practices in FY11. Staff are researching successful strategies and programs across the county. Creation of an online portal of promising and evidence-based juvenile and criminal justice practices is under way to assist agencies around the state that are interested in applying these strategies in their own communities.

Components of this resource will include descriptions of and links to existing online repositories and searchable databases of promising and evidence-based practices, and descriptions of and links to existing online technical assistance manuals and guides for identifying promising and evidence-based practices. Also available will be summaries of selected promising and evidence-based practices and evaluations and snapshots of selected current Illinois practices, resulting from current promising and/or evidence-based initiatives, which can be applied to the implementation of other promising or evidence-based programs.

Online data tools

The Statistical Analysis Center website is host to a variety of online data and tools to assist in interpreting the data. These tools allow users to research broad issues facing the criminal justice system or simply examine crime trends in a specific Illinois county or regional area. Criminal offense and arrest data from ISP Uniform Crime Reports are available on each Illinois county.

The Authority has received \$127,000 in grant funding from the U.S. Department of Justice Bureau of Justice Statistics to enhance web access and online presentation formats of the agency's holdings of criminal justice and social risk factor data.

In FY11, staff continued to develop updated maps, charts, and other data applications. Topic areas for these tools include crime trends for violent and property offenses, drugs seizures, drugs submitted for

testing at Illinois State Police labs, drug treatment admissions, arrest trends for violent, property and drug offenses, probation sentence statistics, and juvenile data. Also included are data on special topics, such as domestic violence and elder abuse.

Visit the Illinois SAC site at www.icjia.org/sac.

College campus crime study

Authority researchers continued research on Illinois college campus crime trends in FY11. Researchers analyzed crime trends over a three-year period on all four-year Title IV schools across the state with student enrollment of 2,500 or more, and completed a *Research Report*, “Issues in Illinois college campus safety trends in campus crime at four-year institutions, 2005-2008.” Trend analyses included reported burglaries, motor vehicle thefts, arsons, homicide and negligent manslaughters, sex offenses, robberies, and aggravated assaults. Researchers also determined where crime most often occurs on and around college campuses.

In addition, staff initiated studies examining 2009 and 2010 data from two-year colleges in Illinois, and 2010 arrest and referral for disciplinary action data from four-year colleges. Completion of these reports is expected in fall 2012.

Criminal history records research

The Authority established the Criminal History Records Audit Center in 1993 to improve the state’s criminal history record information (CHRI) system and ensure compliance with federal mandates and state laws for criminal history records. Criminal history records, commonly known as “rap sheets” are used by criminal justice agencies throughout Illinois to identify and prosecute repeat offenders, as well as for research, employment, and professional licensing purposes.

Record quality is examined through periodic audits of the computerized criminal history database maintained by Illinois State Police (ISP). In FY11, researchers continued investigations of court disposition and sentencing reporting trends by each of the 102 Illinois counties to develop sampling strategies for the next statewide audit.

In partnership with ISP, staff also facilitates research utilizing criminal history records. Through a permanent online connection, the Authority has access to ISP’s electronic data tables, which can be downloaded onto secure Authority servers and shared

with authorized users. The data is used by both outside researchers and Authority staff conducting in-house research.

In FY11, staff processed CHRI data user agreements with the University of Chicago, Loyola University, Social Policy Research Associates, and Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science. The data were used by these entities to conduct research on recidivism of Illinois prison inmates, evaluate a school-based violence prevention program, and investigate dating violence and links to early violence exposure.

In addition, a CHRI dataset was developed spanning the years 1990 to 2010. These data were used to answer information requests from legislators, the media, outside researchers, and students. Staff also provided technical assistance on the interpretation of CHRI data provided for research.

Deaths in Custody Reporting Program

The Authority continued participation in the Department of Justice Bureau of Justice Statistics Deaths in Custody Reporting Program (DCRP). The Death in Custody Reporting Act of 2000 required the U.S. Department of Justice to begin a quarterly collection of individual death records for anyone incarcerated in state and local correctional facilities at the time of death, and for any person who died while in the process of arrest.

Through DCRP, the Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS) collects and disseminates data on deaths that occur in local jails and state prisons, and during the process of arrest by state and local law enforcement agencies. The Authority has acted as the state reporting agency for Illinois since 2003 for deaths that occur in the process of arrest. Staff identify and collect data on eligible deaths through a variety of methods and report all information to BJS. Downloadable forms and information for police agencies and coroners is available on the Authority website.

Evaluations

Anne’s House Program Evaluation

In FY11, Authority staff initiated a process evaluation of Anne’s House during its first year of operation. The residential home, operated by Salvation Army can accommodate up to eight women and girls between the ages of 12 and 21 years old who were victims of domestic commercial sexual exploitation.

Contracted evaluation and research

The Authority supported the following outside research projects and evaluations in FY11:

Evaluation project

Evaluation of Multi-Disciplinary Teams

Mental Health Courts in Illinois

Peoria Drug Market Intervention Program

Safer Return Demonstration: A Research-Based Community Re-entry Initiative-An examination of the Family-Inclusive Case Management Service Component

Sheridan Correctional Center Therapeutic Community

Southwestern Illinois Correction Center Therapeutic Community

Evaluator/s

University of Illinois at Springfield

Loyola University Chicago

Southern Illinois University at Carbondale

Urban Institute

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Research project

Analysis of the Illinois Prison Population: Risk and Recidivism

Student Perceptions of Campus Safety Initiatives: Assessing Views of Critical Incident Prevention & Response

Researchers

Loyola University Chicago

Southern Illinois University at Carbondale

The evaluation will describe the program's services and its participants with input from Anne's House staff. Evaluation completion is expected in summer 2012.

Adult Redeploy Illinois Utilization-Focused Evaluation

The Crime Reduction Act established the Adult Redeploy Illinois program in 2010 to provide financial incentives to local jurisdictions for designing community-based programs that treat offenders in the community rather than sending them to state prisons.

Authority researchers are tracking the policy implementation process, guiding development of performance and outcome measures, and providing other relevant technical assistance toward insuring the program model aligns with the Crime Reduction Act. Researchers will analyze program data collected by the local jurisdictions to measure progress toward performance and outcome measures. The results of the evaluation will be used to assist the sites with improving their programs going forward. Project completion is expected in spring 2014.

Chicago Police Department Juvenile Crisis Intervention Training evaluation

The Chicago Police Department established its Crisis Intervention Team in 2004 to address the high prevalence of mental illness among incarcerated adults. Team members volunteer for training, which teaches

law enforcement officers to identify signs and symptoms of mental illnesses and exercise skills to defuse crisis situations.

In FY11, Authority staff continued an evaluation to determine the extent to which the training curriculum is helpful for officers as they respond to situations involving youth in crisis. This evaluation will measure officer pre-and post-training knowledge, retention of training material, officer satisfaction with training, and officer intention to use training material, officer use of the training curriculum in the field. Findings will be used to improve and enhance crisis intervention training programs. Project completion is expected in summer 2013.

River Valley Juvenile Detention Center Mental Health Program evaluation

Authority researchers continued their partnership with River Valley Detention Center administrative staff to conduct an evaluation of the facility's mental health program. The three-year evaluation will measure youth satisfaction with the conditions and treatment provided by facility staff, the use of court-ordered psychological reports, and the influence psychological reports have on juvenile justice system outcomes. Evaluation completion is expected in fall 2013.

St. Leonard's Ministries program evaluation

St. Leonard's Ministries operates four community re-entry programs—St. Leonard's House, Grace House, the Michael Barlow Center, and St. Andrew's Court. These programs provide housing for adult men and women exiting prison. In FY11, Authority researchers initiated an evaluation of St. Leonard's to identify program components that are effective in contributing to successful client outcomes. This information will also help educate policy makers about the potential benefit of long-term, structured re-entry programming for formerly incarcerated men and women. Evaluation completion is expected in winter 2014.

Drug task force research

Illinois metropolitan enforcement group and drug task force profiles

In 2009, the Authority supported with federal funding 19 metropolitan enforcement groups (MEGs) and drug task forces. These units pool resources, knowledge, and personnel to more efficiently and effectively fight the proliferation of illicit drugs in their regions. MEGs and task forces are staffed by officers representing federal, state, county, and local police agencies. Periodically, the Authority creates profiles of each MEG and task force to provide a general overview of the drug and violent crime problem in their jurisdictions and share their responses to these problems. Profile project completion is expected in summer 2012.

Focus groups

Staff initiated focus group research to examine multijurisdictional enforcement group and drug task force operations in Illinois, including the process for developing strategic priorities. Besides informing the field and advancing the literature on drug task forces, researchers hope to identify core components of program success. Drawn from focus groups of task force participants, this research will be used to inform ICJIA's grant review and grant administration process for this program area. Project completion is expected in spring 2012.

Hate crime trends

Authority researchers continued a study of reported hate crime incidents in Illinois and across the United States between 1997 and 2007.

Using Illinois Uniform Crime Reporting supplemental case level data and comparable data from the

FBI, staff conducted analyses by county and region of the state, specific offense type, incident location, and bias motivation. Victim and offender characteristics also were compared to attempt to identify relationships between hate crime victims and offenders. The report is slated for publication in spring 2012.

Information clearinghouse

The Authority serves as a statewide clearinghouse for statistics and other information about the criminal justice system. In FY11, the agency responded to 191 requests from people seeking information, an average of 16 per month. Requests for information came from private citizens, government and private agencies, students, media representatives, legislators, and researchers.

Staff received 82 e-mail requests for information via the Authority's website during the fiscal year.

Juvenile justice system overviews

In FY11, staff completed *Research Report* "Juvenile Justice System and Risk Factor Data: 2008 Annual Report." Compiled at the request of the Illinois Juvenile Justice Commission, the report provided a comprehensive overview of risk factors for juvenile crime, juvenile involvement with the justice system, county-level data, special issues within the system, and programs and initiatives active within Illinois. Staff also began planning and collecting data for the 2009 and 2010 reports.

Juvenile offender recidivism study

In FY11, staff continued an in-depth examination of recidivism among about 4,200 youth exiting Illinois Department of Juvenile Justice correctional facilities between FY05 and FY07. Various statistical methods are being employed to explore juvenile re-offending and track youth into the adult system. The study was supported with a \$19,575 grant received by the American Statistical Association and Bureau of Justice Statistics. Project completion is expected in summer 2012.

Juvenile Redeploy Illinois monthly data report development

In FY11, Authority staff continued monitoring the use of a monthly data collection tool used by juvenile Redeploy Illinois sites. Designed in FY10, this tool assists in the collection quantitative and qualitative data on youth in the Redeploy Illinois program.

Data are collected on demographic information, assessments/screenings, referrals for service, and termination of participation, and helps assess youth experience in the program. These data will be used in the 2011 Juvenile Redeploy Illinois Annual Report.

Prescription drug research

Authority staff completed a *Research Bulletin* on prescription drug use in Illinois during the fiscal year. Statewide data was used to examine illegal prescription drug use. The report describes the types of prescription drugs, the prevalence of illegal use, and includes data on overdoses and deaths. Also included are data on prescription drug-related treatment admissions and emergency room visits. The report, "Prescription drug abuse, accidental overdose on rise in Illinois," is available on the Authority's website.

Policies and procedures of the Illinois criminal justice system

In FY11, Authority staff initiated a step-by-step walkthrough of the general practices, processes, and procedures of the Illinois criminal justice system, from arrest through incarceration and community corrections. The report will be provided to an advisory committee of experts including judges, police, attorneys, and professionals in the field to review for accuracy. Project completion is expected in summer 2012.

Restorative justice survey

The Illinois Juvenile Court Act adopts balanced and restorative justice (BARJ) as the guiding philosophy for juvenile delinquency cases. BARJ is guided by three principles: public safety, accountability and competency development, and includes victims, offenders, and the community in the justice process.

The Authority has supported balanced and restorative justice programs in the juvenile justice system for several years by sponsoring BARJ trainings for police, prosecutors, detention centers and probation departments, as well as service providers and school officials. Staff have also produced several BARJ guides that contain detailed instructions for incorporating BARJ principles into the operations of these agencies and institutions.

In FY11, researchers surveyed educators, juvenile justice practitioners, and others who work with youth in the community to determine how many schools, organizations, and agencies have adopted

restorative principles and practices, and the extent to which their programs adhere to the restorative justice models. Staff is compiling the survey results and will use the information collected to publish a statewide index. Report completion is expected in spring 2012.

Safety Net Works implementation evaluation

In FY11, Authority staff concluded its implementation evaluation of the Safety Net Works Initiative, a violence prevention and youth development program in place in communities across Illinois. The evaluation assessed the extent to which project implementation is conducted in accordance with pre-operational expectations, documented the progress and limitations of the program's implementation, and provided recommendations and guided refinement of the project. The *Research Report*, "The Safety Net Works Initiative: Examining the role of the community coalition in strengthening neighborhoods," is available on the Authority's website.

Sheridan Correctional Center Therapeutic Community study of program participants

In FY11, staff completed a study on community re-entry after prison drug treatment. Researchers conducted interviews with 50 re-incarcerated graduates of the Sheridan Correctional Center Therapeutic Community to learn what caused them to be unsuccessful post-release. This study will be used to improve the effectiveness of the Sheridan program. The *Research Report*, "Community reentry after prison drug treatment: Learning from Sheridan Therapeutic Community Program participants," is available on the Authority's website.

Information systems

The Authority's Information Systems Unit (ISU) is charged with designing, developing, and operating advanced technology that can be used to help Illinois public safety agencies collect and share information. Affordable information systems were created by the unit to strengthen communication between agencies and help these agencies coordinate their efforts to reduce crime.

Authority website

The Authority's website, www.icjia.state.il.us, is a frequent destination of criminal justice professionals, educators, and members of the public. In addition to providing easy access to the latest criminal justice information, the site opens the door to the Authority's three major areas of operation: research, information systems, and federal and state grants.

The Authority redesigned and updated its website in FY11. The new site increases transparency and enhances public access to the Authority. New features include a simpler FOIA request portal, a tool allowing users to track specific grant information by fiscal year, program, and county, and a variety of data graphing and mapping tools.

By the end of FY11, 2,903 users had used the site to subscribe to the Authority's e-mail list, the CJ Dispatch, a 4 percent increase over FY10. The CJ Dispatch notifies subscribers of the latest ICJIA grant opportunities, research, and other news. Most notifications link to the Authority's website.

Clandestine Lab Reporting Information System

Staff continued to oversee the Clandestine Lab Reporting Information System (CLARIS), a database that helps eliminate gaps in the drug information network that records the growing methamphetamine problem in the United States.

CLARIS is a web-based data collection system for reporting and analysis of methamphetamine lab seizure data used mainly by law enforcement agencies in Illinois. With CLARIS, remote users access the program and centralized database at the Authority using a web browser.

CLARIS is used by the Illinois Meth Response Teams and other drug enforcement groups who perform methamphetamine lab seizures. Data col-

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lected is submitted to Illinois State Police for analysis. Agencies also use CLARIS to file the required EPIC report, and to perform local monthly and annual statistical tabulations.

In FY11, 282 monthly data reports and 527 lab seizures were entered into CLARIS. This data is useful in determining, among other criteria, the types, numbers, and locations of laboratories seized, manufacturing trends, precursor and chemical sources, the number of children and law enforcement officers affected, and investigative leads. The data also helps agencies to justify and allocate current and future resources.

The Authority created CLARIS with a \$50,000 grant from the Bureau of Justice Statistics Office of Justice Programs. When combined with Illinois State Police and federal El Paso Intelligence Center (EPIC) data, this comprehensive information-sharing network helps stem the proliferation and sale of methamphetamine by more accurately pinpointing the sources of its production.

Enhanced grants management system efforts

Staff completed development of a new in-house grant management information system in FY11.

The Pennsylvania Commission on Crime & Delinquency originally created the web-based system, Egrants, with \$4.5 million in federal funding to meet the needs of the state of Pennsylvania. The Authority received that product and source code at no charge. The system was tailored to fit the Authority's fund planning and grant administration needs.

The system eliminates redundancies, ensures enforcement of business rules, and generates more accurate grant reports. The system will eventually

allow users outside the agency to submit grant concepts, applications, reports, and other grant-related information online. With continued development, eGMIS will allow the Authority to eventually achieve its goal of conducting all grant-related business in an electronic paperless environment.

InfoNet data collection

InfoNet is an Internet-based, statewide victim data collection and reporting system, nationally recognized for utilizing the Internet for enhancing data collection and reporting efforts for victim service providers while creating a unique set of victim service data.

Data are transmitted between users and the Authority over the Internet. Service providers use InfoNet to collect case-level information about the clients they serve. All recorded victim data, including demographic characteristics, are kept confidential using a unique numerical identifier for each victim. A description of the person's victimization is captured, as well as the offender's profile and interactions with the criminal justice system. Agencies also enter services provided by staff, including client services, hotline contacts, and outreach efforts.

The Authority partnered with Illinois' Coalitions Against Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence to develop and implement the system for sexual assault and domestic violence centers in 1997. The Authority later worked with the Illinois Department of Human Services (IDHS) and the Child Advocacy Centers of Illinois to make the system available to IDHS-funded domestic violence programs and child advocacy centers.

To facilitate data mining and analysis, InfoNet has a comprehensive set of reporting tools. Programs utilize reports to analyze client populations, measure program effectiveness, and manage staff and client caseloads. InfoNet data are also shared with criminal justice agencies to advocate for improved responses to victims. In addition, state agencies responsible for coordinating crime victim services access timely and accurate information for policy and planning initiatives.

During FY11, 68 domestic violence programs, 33 sexual assault programs, and 10 child advocacy centers accessed InfoNet from nearly 200 sites throughout Illinois.

ICJIA staff complete enhancements to the InfoNet system each year to accommodate new and changing user needs. Upgrades to InfoNet during

FY11 included additional fields to the Client Referral page for improved data on where clients are referred to and from, a new Client Special Needs page field to identify clients with mental or emotional disabilities, and a tool that allows programs to track services provided via the Internet.

Motor Vehicle Automated Reporting System

During the fiscal year, ISU staff continued testing of a data collection system that allows online motor vehicle theft reporting by state-funded anti-theft task forces throughout Illinois.

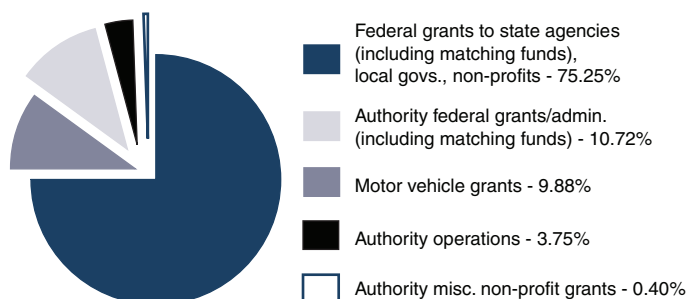
The Motor Vehicle Automated Reporting System will allow simpler and more accurate monthly reporting of vehicle recoveries, arrests, and investigations of stolen vehicles. The system will be used throughout the state by motor vehicle theft task forces supported with Motor Vehicle Theft Prevention Council funding. Statistics on auto theft are used to help determine annual task force funding needs.

Fiscal information

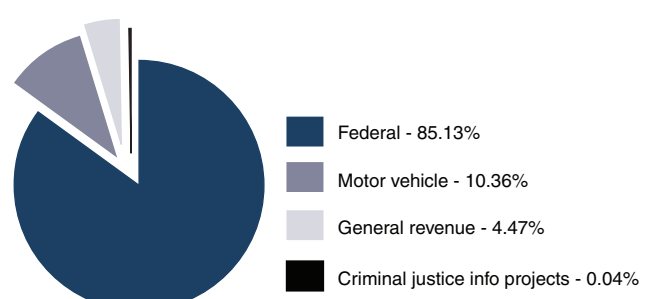
This fiscal information reflects the actual expenditures for state fiscal year 2011.

	GENERAL REVENUE	FEDERAL	MOTOR VEHICLE	CRIMINAL JUSTICE INFO PROJECTS	JABG	TOTAL
OPERATIONS						
Personal services	\$1,169,628		\$136,614			\$1,306,242
Retirement	\$0					\$0
FICA	\$86,812					\$86,812
Group insurance	\$0					\$0
Contractual services	\$408,132					\$408,132
Travel	\$2,533					\$2,533
Commodities	\$7,291					\$7,291
Printing	\$9,424					\$9,424
Equipment	\$350					\$350
EDP	\$15,605					\$15,605
Telecommunications	\$33,068					\$33,068
Auto operations	\$8,269					\$8,269
Ordinary/contingent expenses	\$1,994		\$119,132			\$121,126
Total operations	\$1,743,106	\$0	\$255,746	\$0	\$0	\$1,998,852
AWARDS & GRANTS						
Federal assistance support	\$641,206	\$4,096,855				\$4,738,061
Federal assistance support - ARRA		\$980,738				\$980,738
Motor vehicle grants			\$5,269,382			\$5,269,382
Motor vehicle refunds			\$150			\$150
Grants to state agencies		\$3,117,613				\$3,117,613
Grants to state agencies - ARRA		\$1,933,112				\$1,933,112
Grants to locals/nonprofits		\$22,737,482				\$22,737,482
Grants to locals/nonprofits - ARRA		\$10,900,400				\$10,900,400
Juvenile Accountability Block Grants					\$1,449,125	\$1,449,125
Investigating CJ issues		\$194,426		\$19,577		\$214,003
Total awards and grants	\$641,206	\$43,960,627	\$5,269,532	\$19,577	\$1,449,125	\$51,340,067
GRAND TOTAL	\$2,384,312	\$43,960,627	\$5,525,278	\$19,577	\$1,449,125	\$53,338,919

Allocation of funds



Sources for expenditures



Publications

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- Student Perceptions of Campus Safety Initiatives: Assessing Views of Critical Incident Prevention & Response (July 2010)



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