

The County of Centre

PROCLAMATION

NUMBER 16 OF 2019

WHEREAS, the Centre County Criminal Justice Advisory Board (CJAB) formally adopted its mission statement on May 28, 1999, stating it would provide an ongoing forum for communication and collaboration among key decision makers for the purposes of evaluating, analyzing, planning, and recommending action to improve the effectiveness and efficiency of the Criminal Justice System of Centre County; and

WHEREAS, in order to memorialize the creation of the Centre County CJAB and ensure its sustainment, the Centre County Board of Commissioners and the Centre County Board of Judges issued a joint Resolution formally creating the Centre County CJAB on June 8, 1999; and

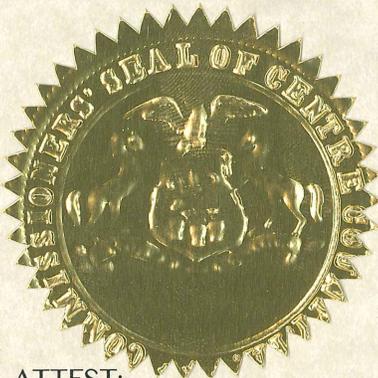
WHEREAS, the Centre County CJAB is comprised of key stakeholders from the courts, county government, local law enforcement, and various community organizations that interact with the criminal justice system; and

WHEREAS, the Centre County CJAB has helped to identify issues and pro-actively address those issues wherever possible through planning, coordination, and the effective use of committees; and

WHEREAS, over the last twenty years the Centre County CJAB has helped to initiate a variety of projects to improve programming and policies, avoid duplication of efforts; seek and maximize the use of resources, and initiate innovative programs and policies through a collaborative working group process.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Centre County Board of Commissioners does hereby recognize the **Centre County Criminal Justice Advisory Board (CJAB)** for providing twenty years of service to the citizens of Centre County.

ADOPTED this 28th day of May 2019.



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