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NORTH CAROLINA TASK FORCE FOR RACIAL EQUITY IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE

American Rescue Plan Technical Sessions

The COVID-19 pandemic and a reckoning with racial injustice have laid bare and worsened the disparities in how we respond to people struggling with substance misuse and mental health disorders. These two crises are aligned, and so are their solutions. Local governments in North Carolina are preparing to receive a historic amount of federal funds through the American Rescue Plan to address the impacts of the pandemic.

WE HAVE A ONCE-IN-A-LIFETIME OPPORTUNITY TO ADDRESS THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND ECONOMIC CHALLENGES THAT HAVE DEVASTATED COMMUNITIES ACROSS OUR STATE.

The Governor's Task Force on Racial Equity in Criminal Justice is sponsoring technical assistance sessions to provide assistance on three funding solutions that address both criminal justice reform and COVID-19 related mitigation and behavioral health needs.



Session Details

LED BY
Justice Earls and Attorney General Stein

TUESDAY, JULY 13 AT 12PM
Respond more appropriately to calls for emergency service specifically concerning mental illness, autism, intellectual disabilities, substance abuse, homelessness, and other non-emergency situations

THURSDAY, JULY 15 AT 12PM
Fund violence prevention programs

TUESDAY, JULY 20 AT 12PM
Establish and expand access to pre-arrest and post-arrest diversion programs (ex. LEAD)

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