

# APPELLATE DEFENDER COMMISSION

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## APPELLATE DEFENDER COMMISSION MEETING September 15, 2021 – Noon

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1. Welcome and Introductions
2. Public Comment
3. Recognition of SADO Staff Award Recipients – Fernando Gaitan and Frank Rodriguez
4. Approval of minutes – June 16, 2021 (action item)
5. Updates
  - a. SADO and MAACS Case and Advocacy Highlights
  - b. Juvenile Lifer Unit
  - c. MAACS
  - d. Training and Reentry
  - e. Court Rules
  - f. Budget, Grants and Hiring
  - g. Salaries and Reclassifications
  - h. Intake / Case statistics
  - i. One Time SADO investments
    - i. Appellate Caseload Study
    - ii. Case Management System
  - j. Updated court, fieldwork, client visit protocols
6. Annual Report (action item)
7. Budget Authorization – Carry Forward Contracts (action items)
  - a. James Perry - \$40,000
  - b. Alona Sharon - \$15,000
8. Adjourn

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