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## Criminal Justice Issues and Prisoners' Rights

**<https://www.vera.org/publications/the-costs-and-benefits-of-wildcat-fy-1974-1975-from-the-city-governments-perspective>**

## Policy Issue Resources

### Publication

This 1975 report analyzes the costs and benefits of the Wilcat Services Corporation to the government of New York City. Wildcat was begun by Vera (as Pioneer Messenger Service) to enable ex-addicts traditionally viewed as unemployable and a threat to society to be a resource to society by developing work habits in a supported setting.

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