

# Illinois Partnerships and Strategies to Reduce Violent Crime

## November 4-5, 2015

### AGENDA

#### DAY 1

Time	Event
7:00-8:30 am	Registration
7:30 -8:30 am	Continental Breakfast
8:30-9:15 am	<p><b><i>Welcome, Introductions, and the State of Crime and Crime Control in Illinois</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jim Ardis, Peoria Mayor &amp; Jim Lewis, U.S Attorney's Office, Central District</li> <li>• Megan Alderden, PhD., Associate Director, Research and Analysis Unit, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority</li> </ul>
9:15-10:30 am	<p><b><i>Don't Shoot: How Peoria Implemented Focused Deterrence to Reduce Group Gun Violence</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jim Ardis, Peoria Mayor</li> <li>• Jerry Mitchell, Peoria Chief of Police</li> <li>• Jerry Brady, Peoria County State's Attorney</li> <li>• Mike McCoy, Peoria County Sheriff</li> <li>• Jim Lewis, US Attorney's Office, Central District</li> <li>• Tate Chambers, US Attorney's Office, Central District</li> <li>• Moderated by John Maki, Executive Director, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority</li> </ul> <p>In 2011, gun violence was increasing in Peoria with tragic consequences. The presenters will share how they responded to a spike in gun-related homicide by partnering with national crime-control experts at the National Network for Safe Communities.</p>
<b>Break</b>	
10:45 am-12:00 pm	<p><b><i>National Context: Reducing Violent Crime from Boston, Massachusetts to High Point, North Carolina</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• David M. Kennedy, Executive Director of the National Network for Safe Communities</li> </ul> <p>In this plenary presentation, Mr. Kennedy will describe the most effective strategies for reducing group violence, their essential components, and their success throughout the country.</p>
<b>12:15-1:15 Lunch</b>	
1:30-2:45 pm	<p><b><i>Effective Strategies designed to help local law enforcement and communities reduce violent crime.</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• David M. Kennedy, Executive Director of the National Network for Safe Communities</li> <li>• Kerry Chicon, Chief of Crime Strategies Unit, Manhattan District Attorney's Office</li> <li>• Teny Gross, Executive Director of the Institute for the Study and Practice of Nonviolence</li> <li>• Mark Kleiman, Professor of Public Policy at New York University's Marron Institute for Urban Management</li> <li>• Moderated by Megan Alderden, Associate Director, Research and Analysis Unit, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority</li> </ul> <p>This afternoon panel will highlight the major effective national strategies to address violent crime: Focused deterrence; Intelligence Driven Prosecution; Community Engagement; and Swift, Certain and Fair Supervision</p>

2:45-4:00 pm	<p><b><i>Nuts &amp; Bolts Part One: Benefits and challenges of implementing national strategies at the local level</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jim Summey, Head of High Point Community Against Violence</li> <li>• Chris Mallette, Executive Director of the Chicago Violence Reduction Strategy</li> <li>• Ron DeWald, Assistant U.S. Attorney, Chief, Violent Crimes Section, United States Attorney's Office for the Northern District of Illinois</li> <li>• Jerry Brady, Peoria County State's Attorney</li> <li>• Chicago Police Representative (invited)</li> <li>• Jerry Mitchell, Peoria Chief of Police</li> <li>• Moderated by Tate Chambers, US Attorney's Office, Central District</li> </ul> <p>These panelists will respond to the preceding panels and share their insights on the practical implementation of these national strategies.</p>
<b>Break</b>	
4:15-5:20 pm	<p><b><i>Best practices in crime gun investigations</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Special Agent David Coulson, NIBIN Coordinator, ATF Chicago Field Division</li> <li>• Jim Needles, Assistant Special Agent in Charge, ATF Chicago Field Division</li> <li>• Kevin Cronin, consultant to Police Executive Research Forum and retired ATF Special Agent</li> <li>• Moderated by Nina Vinik, Joyce Foundation</li> </ul> <p>These panelists will provide an overview ballistic imaging technology and benefits of comprehensive evidence collection. Firearm tracing through the ATF eTrace system and using Collective Data Sharing will also be discussed. A regional approach to gun trafficking investigations underway in the Cook County/NW Indiana area will be highlighted as well.</p>
<b>6:00 pm Networking Reception</b>	

## DAY 2

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8:00-8:45 am	Continental Breakfast
8:45-10:15 am	<p><b><i>How to address serious juvenile offenders/juvenile crime</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chris Mallette, Executive Director of the Chicago Violence Reduction Strategy</li> <li>• Ron DeWald, Assistant U.S. Attorney, Chief, Violent Crimes Section, United States Attorney's Office for the Northern District of Illinois</li> <li>• Representative from Chicago Police Department (invited)</li> </ul>
	<p><b><i>How to manage gun violence that falls out of strategy</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jim Lewis, U.S Attorney's Office, Central District</li> <li>• Jerry Mitchell, Peoria Chief of Police</li> <li>• Representative from National Network for Safe Communities</li> </ul>
	<p><b><i>How to promote collaboration through intelligence-driven prosecution</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Kerry Chicon, Chief of Crime Strategies Unit, Manhattan District Attorney's Office</li> </ul>
	<p><b><i>How to strengthen community engagement</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Krista Coleman, Service Coordinator, Peoria Police Department</li> <li>• Jim Summey, Head of High Point Community Against Violence</li> <li>• Carl Cannon, Youth Outreach Supervisor, Peoria Park District</li> <li>• Rev. K. Edward Copeland, New Zion Baptist Church</li> </ul>
	<p><b><i>How to utilize crime gun intelligence to reduce violent crime</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mark Kraft, Owner – Mark Kraft Firearms Consulting and Training, ATF Senior Special Agent (Ret.)</li> </ul>

	<p><b><i>How to implement swift, certain, and fair community correction supervision</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mark Kleiman, Professor of Public Policy at New York University's Marron Institute for Urban Management</li> <li>• Community correction practitioner invited.</li> </ul>
10:30-11:45 am	<p><b><i>Jurisdiction breakout Sessions</i></b></p> <p>In these workshops, jurisdictions, with the help of an ICJIA facilitator, jurisdictions will discuss their reactions to the conference/workshops, begin to assess the status of their local efforts and what next steps are needed. ICJIA facilitators would also discuss potential funding and technical assistance.</p>
12:00-1:30 pm	<p><b><i>Luncheon Keynote</i></b></p> <p><b><i>Legitimacy and Racial Reconciliation: Building Strong Relationships Between Law Enforcement and Community</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• David M. Kennedy, Executive Director of the National Network for Safe Communities</li> <li>• Rev. K. Edward Copeland, New Zion Baptist Church</li> <li>• Teny Gross, Executive Director of the Institute for the Study and Practice of Nonviolence</li> <li>• Jim Lewis, United States Attorney's Office, Central District of Illinois</li> <li>• Jim Summey, Head of High Point Community Against Violence</li> <li>• Moderated by John Maki, Executive Director, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority</li> </ul> <p>In the closing keynote, panelist share their experiences and insights into strengthening the relationship and trust between law enforcement and communities of color.</p>