MEMORANDUM

TO: Interested Parties
FROM: Susan W. Shaffer
DATE: September 29, 2004
RE: August 2004 Drug Test Statistics – Adult Arrestees

Drug testing of adult arrestees for August 2004 revealed a decrease in the level of substance abuse detected for PCP, which was down 2% from July to 4%. The levels of substance abuse detected for opiates and cocaine increased 1% each from the previous month, to 10% and 38%, respectively.

The overall number of adult arrestees testing positive for at least one drug was 751 of the 1,732 screened, or 43% -- the same as the previous month.

The breakdown of August 2004 test results is as follows:

Total positive for PCP -- 76 (4% of those tested, 10% of all positive)
Total positive for Opiates -- 166 (10% of those tested, 22% of all positive)
Total positive for Cocaine -- 650 (38% of those tested, 87% of all positive)
DRUG TESTING OF ADULT ARRESTEES
September 2003 - August 2004

Graph depicting the percentage of adult arrestees testing positive for any drug, cocaine, opiates, and PCP from September 2003 to August 2004.