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### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Interested Parties

FROM: Susan W. Shaffer

DATE: February 15, 2006

RE: <u>Jan. 2006 Drug Test Statistics (Adult Arrestees)</u>

Drug testing of adult arrestees for January 2006 revealed a decrease in the level of substance abuse detected for opiates, which was down 1% from December, to 9%. The levels of substance abuse detected for cocaine and PCP were up 1% each from the previous month, to 40% and 9%, respectively.

The overall number of adult arrestees testing positive for at least one drug was 870 of the 1,814 screened, or 48% -- up 2% from the previous month.

The breakdown of January 2006 test results is as follows:

Total positive for PCP -- 156 (9% of those tested, 18% of all positive)

Total positive for Opiates -- 159 (9% of those tested, 18% of all positive)

Total positive for Cocaine -- 722 (40% of those tested, 83% of all positive)

#### **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

# DRUG TESTING OF ADULT ARRESTEES

# February 2005 - January 2006

