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## MEMORANDUM

TO: Interested Parties

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DATE: November 20, 2012

RE: October 2012 Drug Testing Statistics

### **October 2012 Adult Drug Test Statistics**

Drug testing of adult arrestees for October 2012 revealed a 1% increase in the overall positive test rate (up from 27% to 28%) from September 2012. Cocaine levels revealed a 1% percent increase. Multi-positives and PCP levels revealed a 1% percent decrease respectively. Amphetamines and opiates levels remained consistent with last month.

The breakdown of October 2012 test results is as follows:

No. Tests/No. Positive	September 2012		October 2012	
	1230	330 (27%)	1426	405 (28%)
	As % of All Tests	As % of All Positive	As % of All Tests	As % of All Positive
Multi-Positive	60 (5%)	60 (18%)	59 (4%)	59 (15%)
Cocaine Positive	163 (13%)	163 (49%)	198 (14%)	198 (49%)
Opiates Positive	83 (7%)	83 (25%)	100 (7%)	100 (25%)
Amphetamines Positive	15 (1%)	15 (5%)	9 (1%)	9 (2%)
PCP Positive	131 (11%)	131 (40%)	146 (10%)	146 (36%)

	October 2012 Tests	
	All Negative	1021 (72%)
Any Positive	405 (28%)	
TOTAL	1426 (100%)	

## **October 2012 Juvenile Drug Test Statistics**

Drug testing of juveniles (both lockup and community cases) for October 2012 revealed a 14% decrease in the level of marijuana use and a 1% increase in multi-positives and cocaine use from September 2012. Amphetamines and PCP remained consistent with last month.

	<b>September 2012</b>		<b>October 2012</b>	
<b>Number Tested/ Number Positive</b>	<b>134/74</b>	<b>(55%)</b>	<b>113/46</b>	<b>(41%)</b>
<b>Multi-Positive</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>(1%)</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>(2%)</b>
<b>Cocaine Positive</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>(0%)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>(1%)</b>
<b>Marijuana Positive</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>(54%)</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>(40%)</b>
<b>Amphetamines Positive</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>(1%)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>(1%)</b>
<b>PCP Positive</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>(1%)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>(1%)</b>

The Juvenile Drug Testing Unit tested 113 respondents prior to their appearance in October. Of the 94 lockup cases, 38 (40%) tested positive. Of the 19 community cases, 8 (42%) tested positive for marijuana. The combined positive rate was 41%, down from the previous month.

	<b>Community</b>		<b>Lockup</b>		<b>Combined</b>	
<b>All Negative</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>(58%)</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>(60%)</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>(59%)</b>
<b>Any Positive</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>(42%)</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>(40%)</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>(41%)</b>
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>(100%)</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>(100%)</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>(100%)</b>

	<b>Of the 19 Community Cases</b>		<b>Of the 94 Lockup Cases</b>		<b>Of the 113 Combined Cases</b>		<b>Of the 46 Positive Cases</b>	
<b>Multi-Positive</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>(5%)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>(1%)</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>(2%)</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>(4%)</b>
<b>Cocaine Positive</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>(0%)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>(1%)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>(1%)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>(2%)</b>
<b>Marijuana Positive</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>(42%)</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>(39%)</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>(40%)</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>(98%)</b>
<b>Amphetamine Positive</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>(0%)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>(1%)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>(1%)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>(2%)</b>
<b>PCP Positive</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>(5%)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>(0%)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>(1%)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>(2%)</b>

The following breakdown of age groups for both community and lockup cases was obtained through the Superior Court's records system and correlated with the respondent's test result information.

<b>Age</b>	<b>Number of Arrestees Tested</b>	<b>Number Positive for Any Drug</b>	<b>% Positive for Any Drug</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>50%</b>
<b>12</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>14%</b>
<b>14</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>23%</b>
<b>15</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>45%</b>
<b>16</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>42%</b>
<b>17</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>52%</b>
<b>18-19</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>57%</b>
<b>Over 19</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>Totals</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>41%</b>