

**Association of Paroling Authorities International
New Board Member Orientation
Charlotte, North Carolina
September 18 – September 20, 2007**

Agenda

Tuesday, September 18, 2007

- 8:30 AM** **Welcome and Introductions**
*Paul Herman, Senior Manager, Center for Effective Public Policy
TBN, Association of Paroling Authorities International*
- 9:30 AM** **Break**
- 9:45 AM** **Overview of the Goals and Agenda**
Paul Herman
- 10:15 AM** **Overview of Parole National and International Practice**
Paul Herman
- 10:45 AM** **Discussion of Local Practice**
Richard Stroker, Senior Manager, Center for Effective Public Policy
- 12:00 PM** **Lunch**
- 1:00 PM** **Parole Policy and Your Guiding Principles**
Paul Herman
- 1:30 PM** **Small Group Activity**
Paul Herman
- 2:30 PM** **Break**
- 2:45 PM** **Report Out**
Richard Stroker
- 3:15 PM** **Legal Issues**
Richard Stroker
- 4:45 PM** **Closing**
Paul Herman
- 5:00 PM** **Adjourn**

Wednesday, September 19, 2007

- 8:30 AM** **Opening**
Paul Herman
- 8:45 AM** **The Value of Risk and Other Assessments and Their Practical Application to the Work**
Dr .James Austin, President, JFA Associates
- 10:45 AM** **Break**
- 11:00 AM** **Case Study**
Richard Stroker
- 12:00 PM** **Lunch**
- 1:00 PM** **Report Out**
Richard Stroker
- 1:30 PM** **The Purpose, Process and Impact of the Parole Hearing or File Review - A Facilitated Discussion**
Paul Herman and Richard Stroker
- 2:15 PM** **Reentry and Transition**
Paul Herman
- 3:15 PM** **Break**
- 3:30 PM** **Small Group Activity**
Paul Herman
- 4:15 PM** **The Release Decision – Timing – Under What Conditions?**
Paul Herman and Richard Stroker
- 4:55 PM** **Closing**
Paul Herman
- 5:00 PM** **Adjourn**

Thursday, September 20, 2007

- 8:30 AM** **Opening**
Paul Herman
- 8:45 AM** **What Works – Supervision and Violations**
Richard Stroker
- 10:30 AM** **Break**
- 10:45 AM** **Violation Exercise**
Richard Stroker
- 12:00 PM** **Lunch**
- 1:00 PM** **Report Out**
Richard Stroker
- 1:30 PM** **New Board Member Issues**
Paul Herman and Richard Stroker
- 2:30 PM** **Break**
- 2:45 PM** **New Board Member Issues**
Paul Herman and Richard Stroker
- 3:30 PM** **The Leadership Challenge**
Paul Herman
- 4:00 PM** **Next Steps - Wrap Up and
Evaluation**
Paul Herman and Richard Stroker
- 5:00 PM** **Adjourn**