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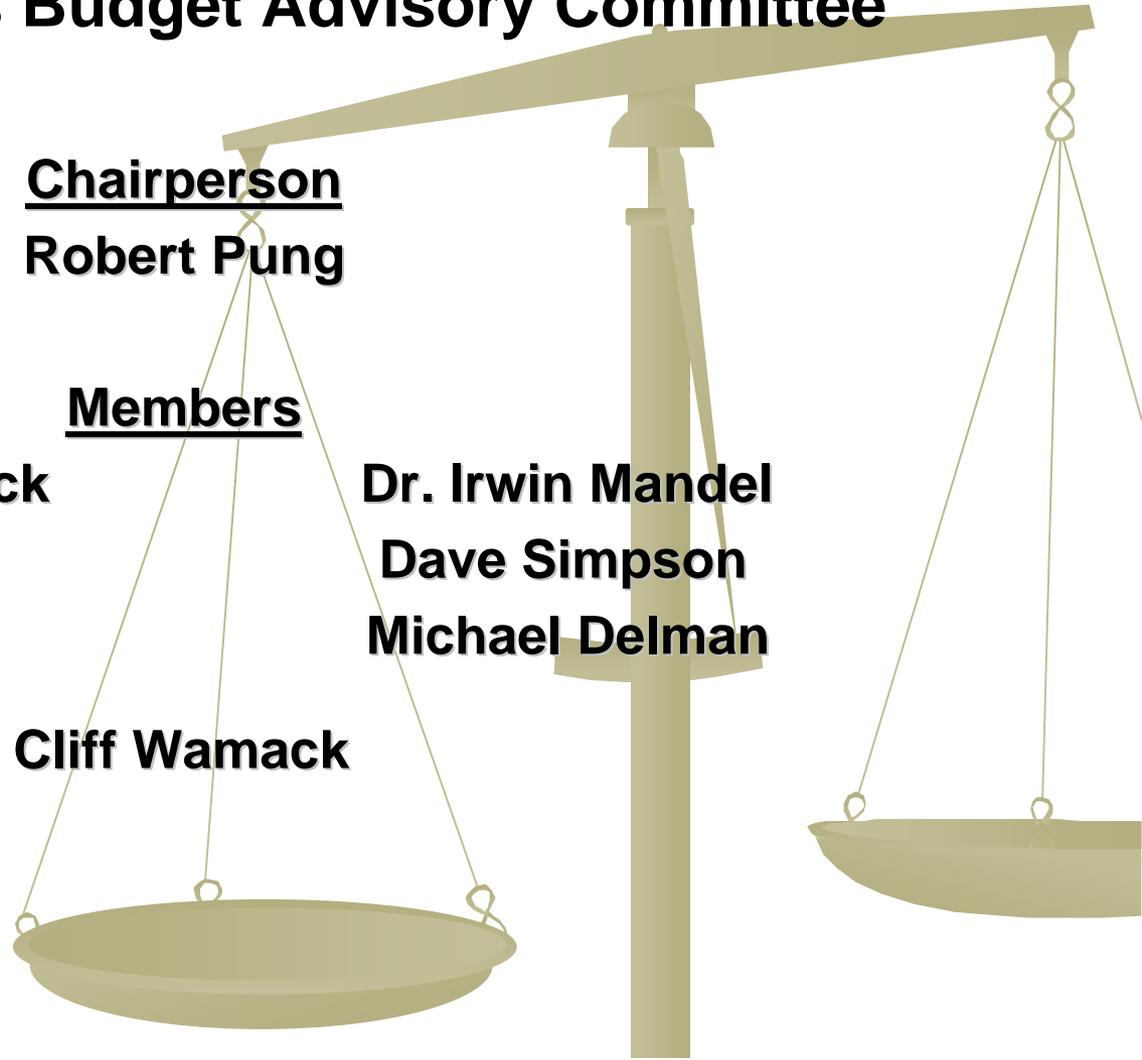
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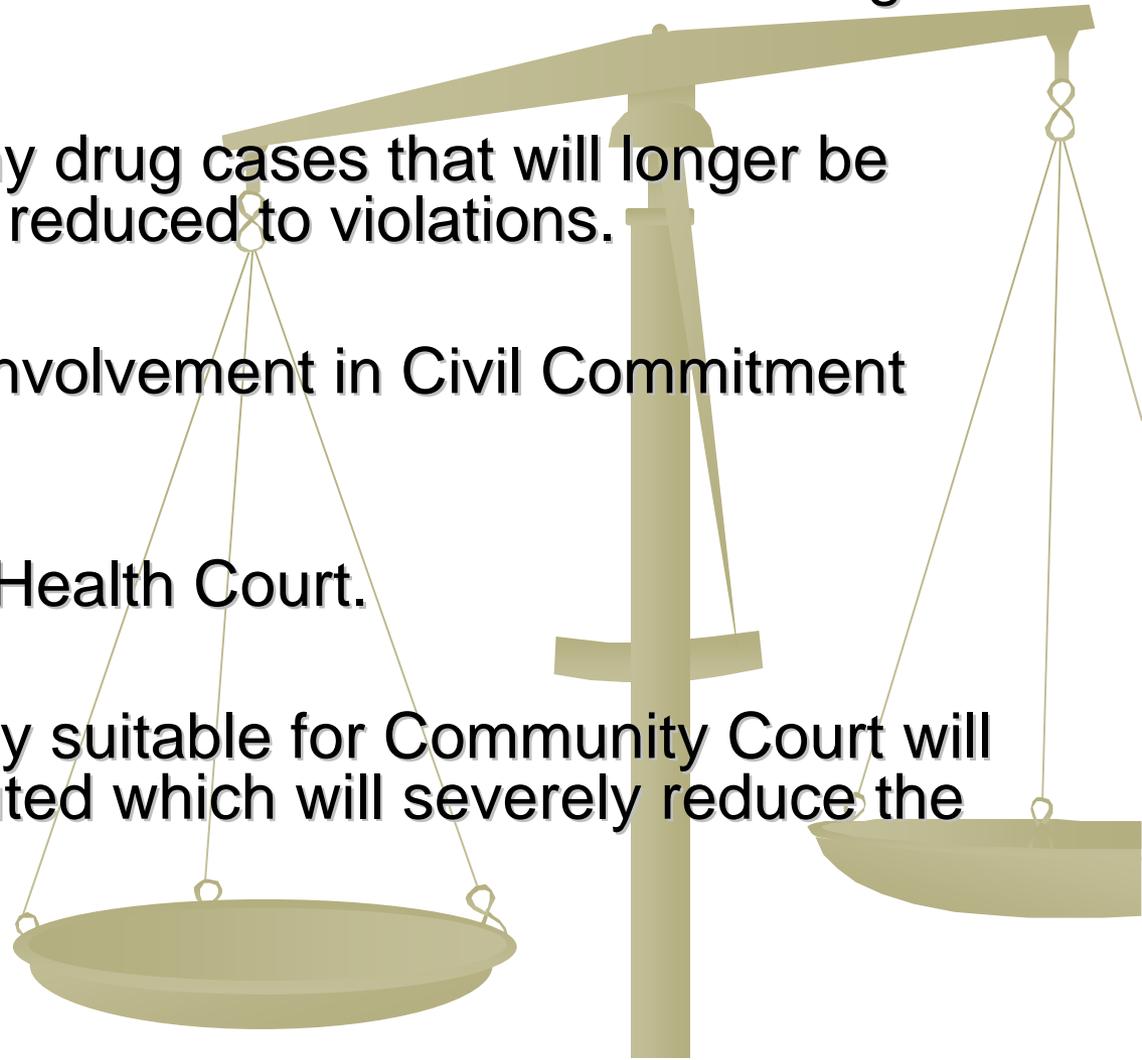
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Implementation Plan

- Have identified Misdemeanor crimes that will no longer be prosecuted.
- Have identified Felony drug cases that will longer be prosecuted or will be reduced to violations.
- No District Attorney involvement in Civil Commitment Hearings.
- Reduction to Mental Health Court.
- Most cases previously suitable for Community Court will no longer be prosecuted which will severely reduce the scope of this Court.



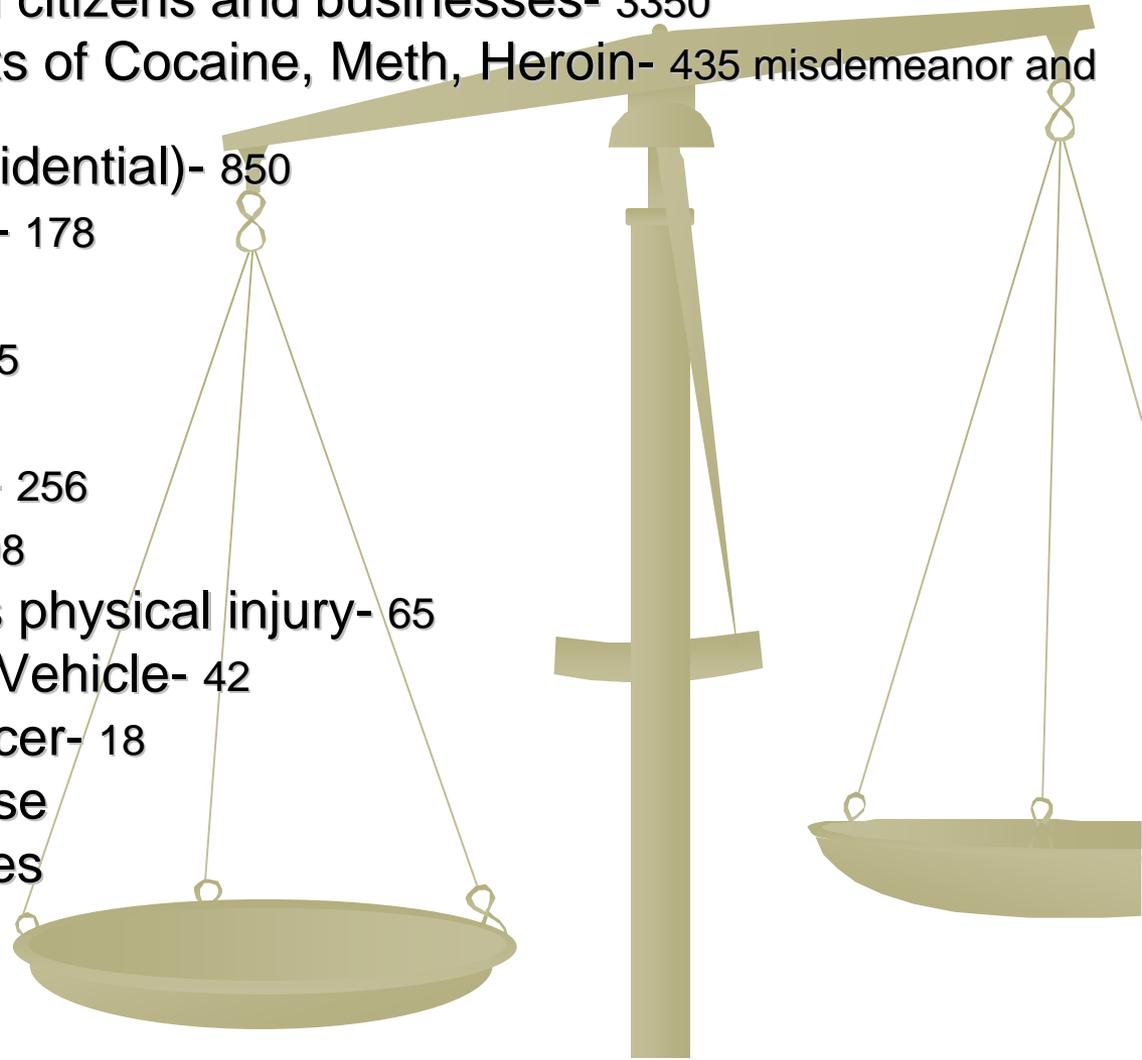
Misdemeanor Crimes Still Prosecuted

- DUII- 2588
- Assault IV- 170
- Sex Abuse III- 15
- Menacing-169
- Violation of Stalking Order- 10
- Firearms Offenses- 57
- Public Indecency-60
- Prostitution- 220
- Misdemeanor Theft cases over \$500- 150
- Interfering with Public Transportation reduced to a Violation- 654
- Recklessly Endangering an identifiable person- 11
- Other Aggravated Cases (as appropriate)
- * numbers represent cases issued in 2009



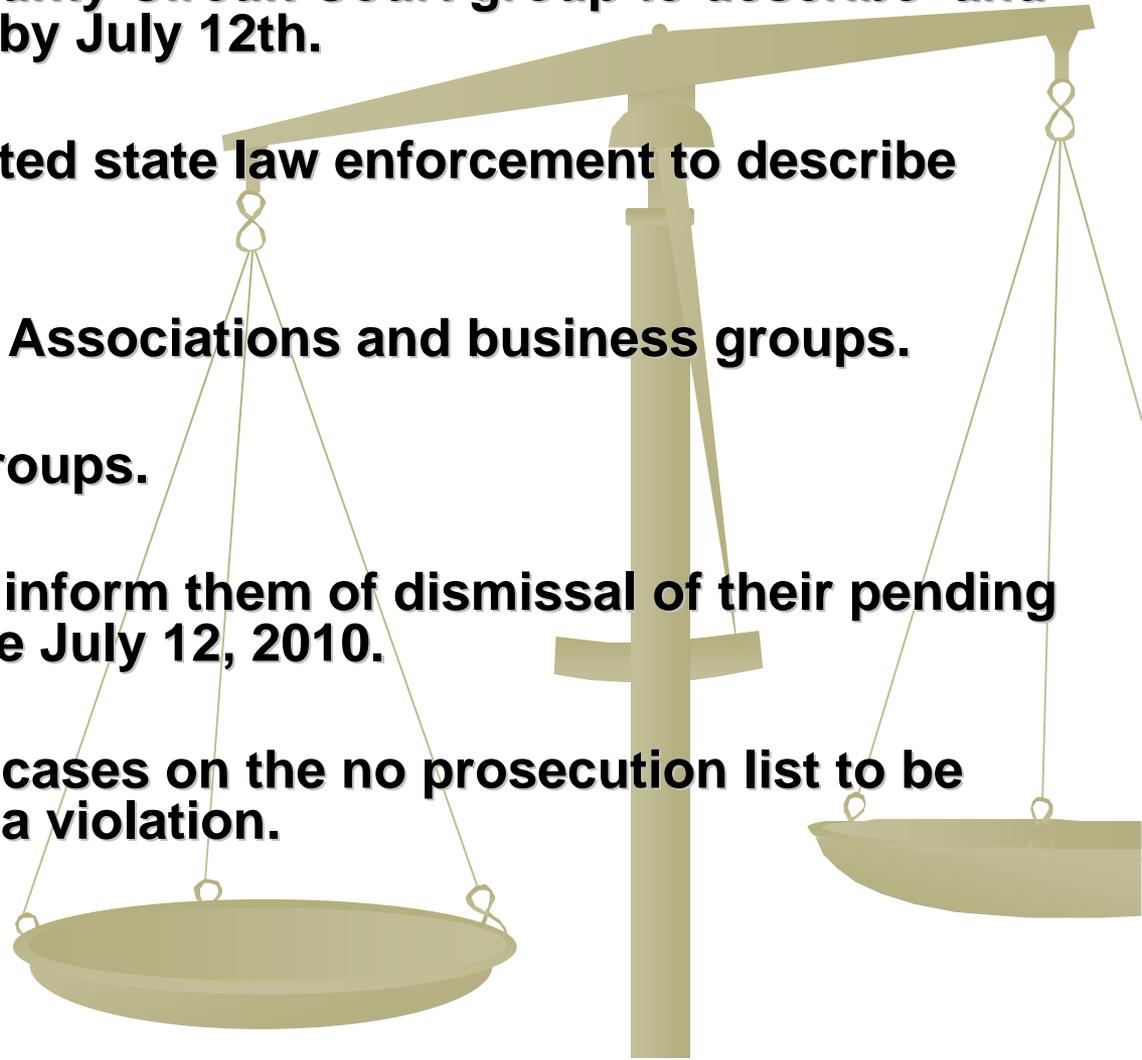
No longer able to prosecute the following crimes:

- Theft of less than \$500 from citizens and businesses- 3350
- Possession of small amounts of Cocaine, Meth, Heroin- 435 misdemeanor and 150-200 felony cases
- Trespass (Commercial, Residential)- 850
- Minor Assaults/Harassment- 178
- Disorderly Conduct- 1427
- Criminal Mischief/Graffiti- 205
- Reckless Driving- 110
- Hit & Run property damage- 256
- Driving while Suspended- 498
- Resist Arrest unless there is physical injury- 65
- Unlawful Entry into a Motor Vehicle- 42
- Attempt to Elude Police Officer- 18
- City of Portland Code Offense
- All other misdemeanor crimes



Operational Requirements

- **Meet with Multnomah County Circuit Court group to describe and then implement the plan by July 12th.**
- **Meet with local and affected state law enforcement to describe implementation plan.**
- **Meet with Neighborhood Associations and business groups.**
- **Meet with crime victim groups.**
- **Contact crime victims to inform them of dismissal of their pending cases. Must occur before July 12, 2010.**
- **5,688 pending & warrant cases on the no prosecution list to be dismissed or reduced to a violation.**



District Attorney Staff Impact

- **Multnomah County budget proposed cut: \$588 K.**

 - Reduce Misdemeanor Trial Unit by 4 Deputy DA's.

 - Reduce Misdemeanor Intake by 1 Deputy DA.

 - Reduce felony Property Crimes Unit by 1 deputy DA.

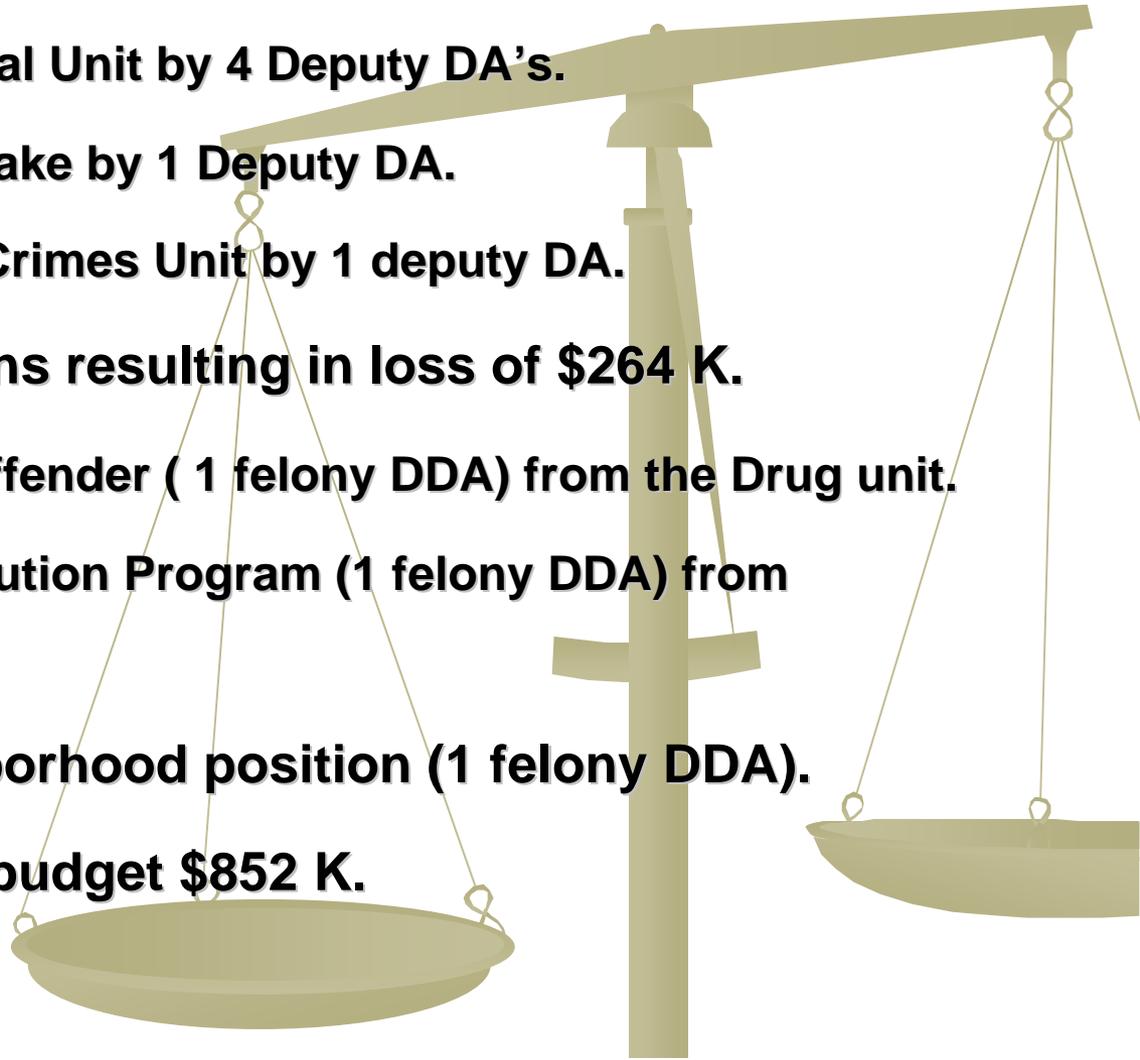
- **Anticipated Grant expirations resulting in loss of \$264 K.**

 - Elimination of Chronic Offender (1 felony DDA) from the Drug unit.

 - Elimination of the Prostitution Program (1 felony DDA) from Neighborhood Unit.

- **Restoration of N/NE Neighborhood position (1 felony DDA).**

- **Total loss of revenue from budget \$852 K.**



Public Safety Partners Impacted

- **Victims**
- **Citizens**
- **Business Community**
- **Courts**
- **County Law Enforcement Agencies**
- **Sheriff's Office Corrections**
- **Community Justice**
- **Public Defender**

