



Olympia Community Court

A Different Approach

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Olympia Community Court



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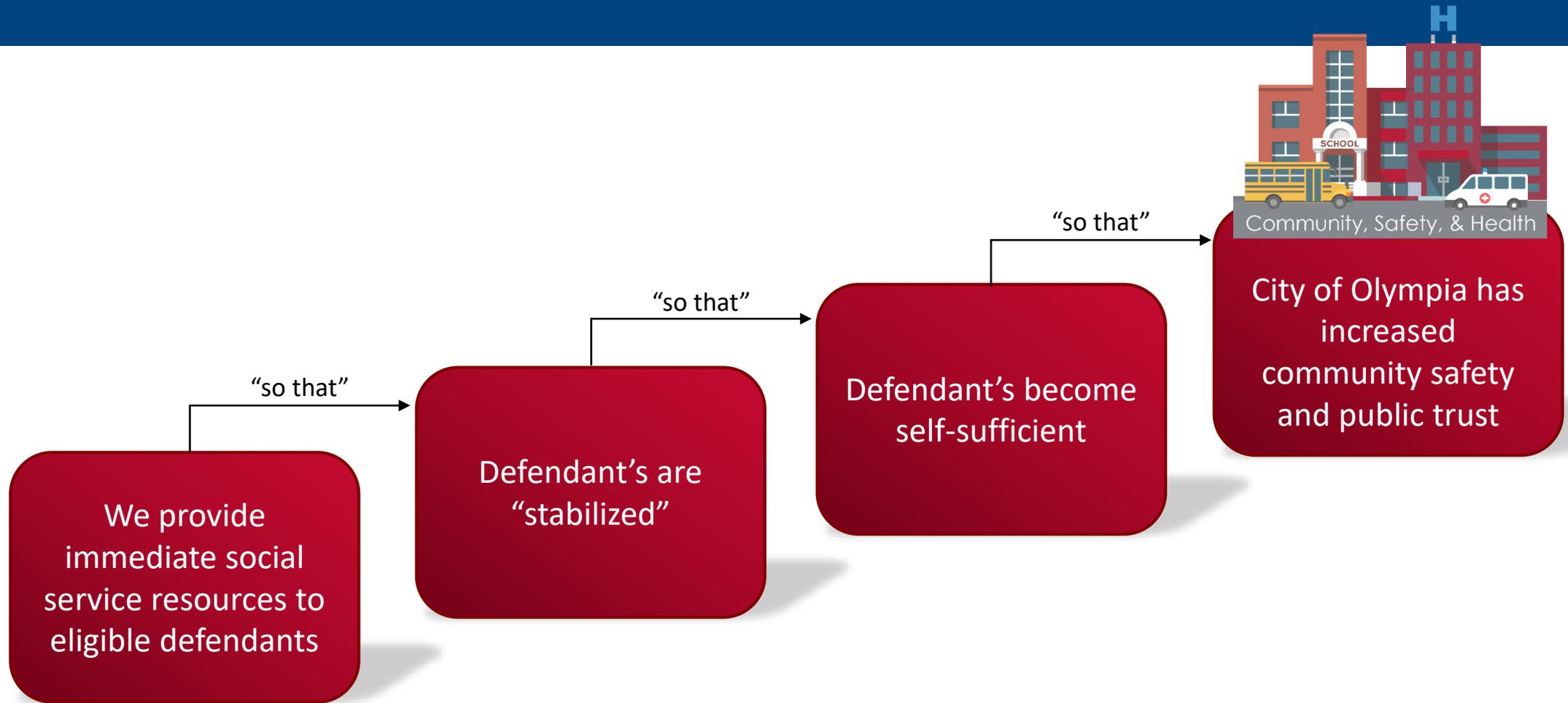
The Honorable Scott Ahlf

Presiding Judge

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Chief Prosecutor

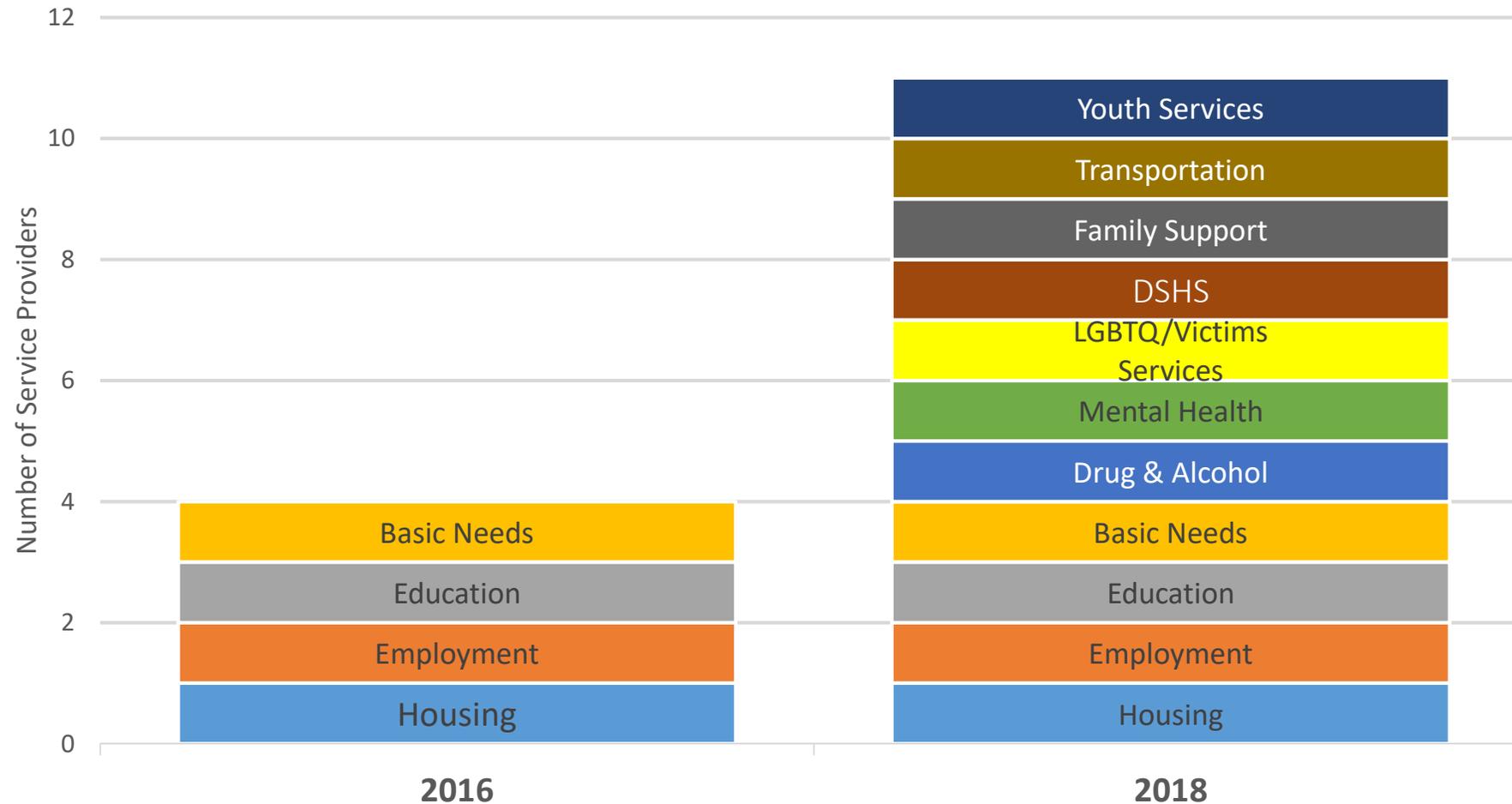
What is Community Court?



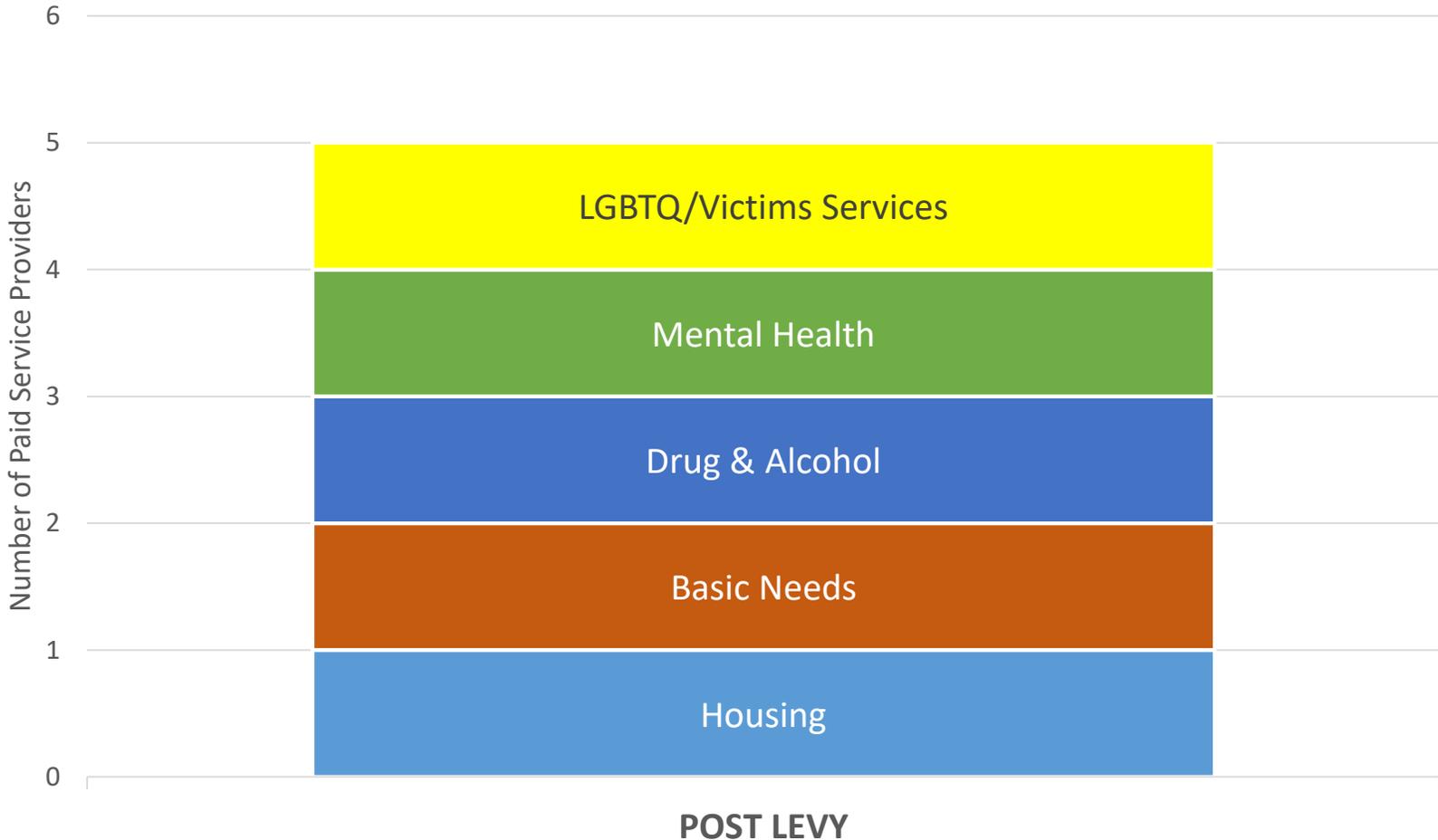
Public Safety Levy Budget Allocations

Allocation	Estimate Per Year
Garden	\$500
Lunches/ Coffee	\$670
Supplies	\$500
Computer Life Cycle	\$3,360
Copier	\$200
Security	\$4,000
Utilities	\$6,300
Drug and Alcohol Evaluations	\$1,000
Community Court Executive/Data Tracker	\$35,000
Case Manager	\$45,000
Providers	<u>\$28,470</u>
Total	\$125,000

Community Court Service Providers



Sustain Paid Providers



COST ESTIMATE
PER YEAR
\$28,470

Our Community Partners

Drug and Alcohol	• Northwest Resources
Mental Health	• Pinnacle Peak
Housing	• SideWalk
Basic Needs	• SeaMar
LGBTQ/Crime Prevention	• Partners in Prevention Education
Employment	• Pacific Mountain Workforce Development Council
Education	• South Puget Sound Community College
Family Support	• Family Support Center of South Sound
Social Services	• Department of Social and Health Services
Youth Services	• Community Youth Services
Transportation	• Intercity Transit



Sustain Provider Building

Utilities Cost
Estimate Per
Year

\$6,300



Sustain Community Garden

- Ongoing community service
- Supply of food for Community Court participants
- Donations to local food bank

Garden Cost
Estimate Per Year

\$500



Maintain Current Staff

COST PER YEAR



Staff Cost
Estimate Per Year
\$80,000

Community Court Outreach



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Community Court

What is Community Court?
It is a different approach to traditional punishment. Community Court works to provide practical, targeted solutions to offer individuals a hand-up to get back on track, with the goal of restoring the person with the community.

Attorneys work together on a plan that fits the defendant best. Defendants then use the community partners to follow through with the plan, checking in often and getting help when they need it.

With all of the provider partners in one place on Wednesdays getting help from them is easier.

No Appointment Needed
If you've been charged with a crime in the City of Olympia ask about Community Court. Or stop by, everyone is welcome!

Community Services in One Place
Open Every Wednesday
9 a.m. to noon
909 8th Ave SE, Olympia

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We Are In Your Corner

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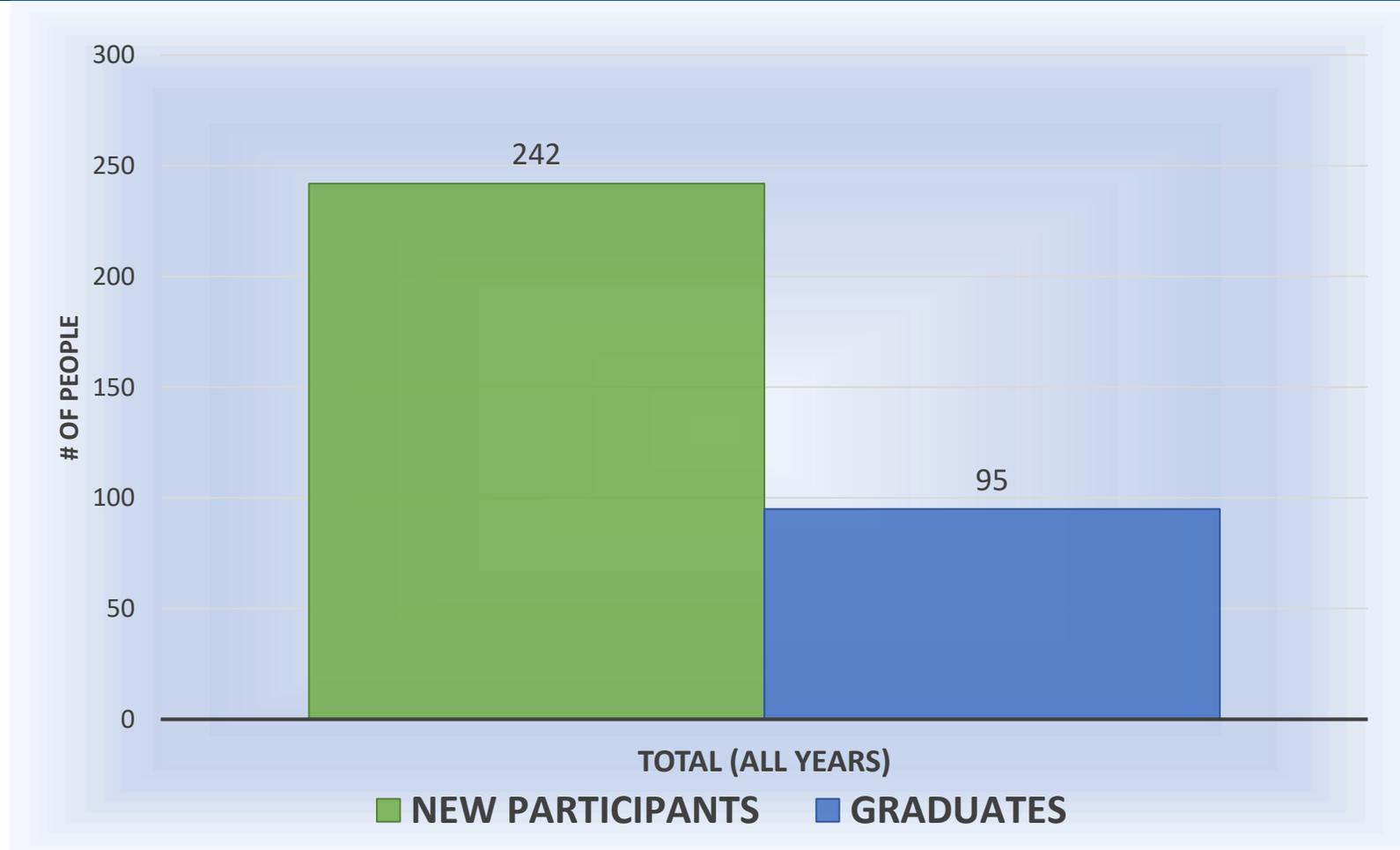
Working Together For Your Success
Working together with community partners specializing in housing services, education, employment, chemical dependency, health care, licensing, mental health services, and we offer the individual a hand-up, with the goal of restoring the person and community.

Community Partners
The City of Olympia Community Court program has partnership with...

- Community Youth Services-Youth referrals
- Department of Social and Health Services-Community Services
- Family Support Center of South Sound-Family Support Services
- Intercity Transit-Transportation Services/Village Vans
- Northwest Resources ii-Drug and Alcohol Services
- Pacific Mountain Workforce Development Council-Employment Services/Worksource
- Partners In Prevention E^{Graduation Recognition Tree}-LGBTQA/survivors of violence
- Pinnacle Peak Institute-Mental Health Services
- SeaMar-Basic Needs Services/Food Stamps/Medical
- SideWalk-Housing Services
- South Puget Sound Community College-Education

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New Participants/Graduates 2016-2018

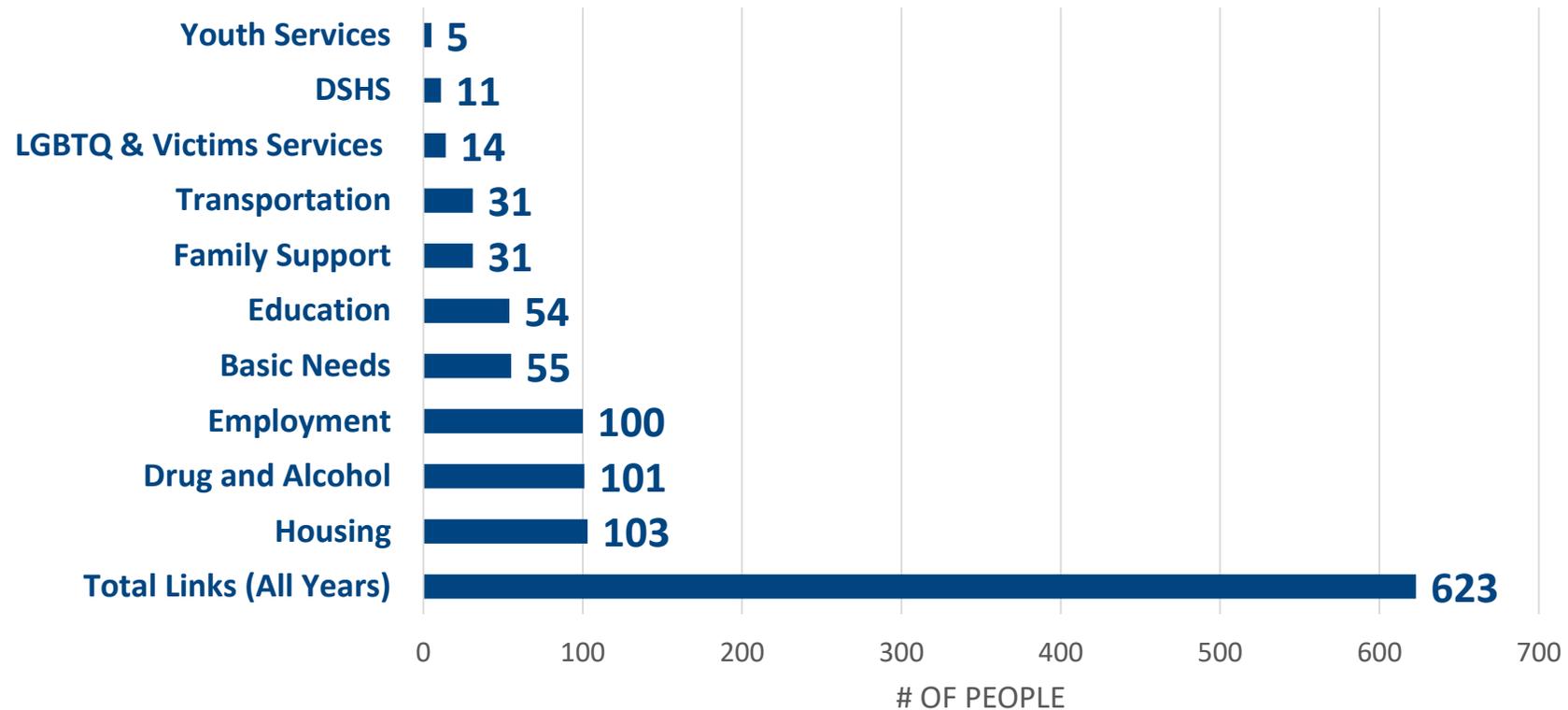


Graduation Recognition Tree Wall



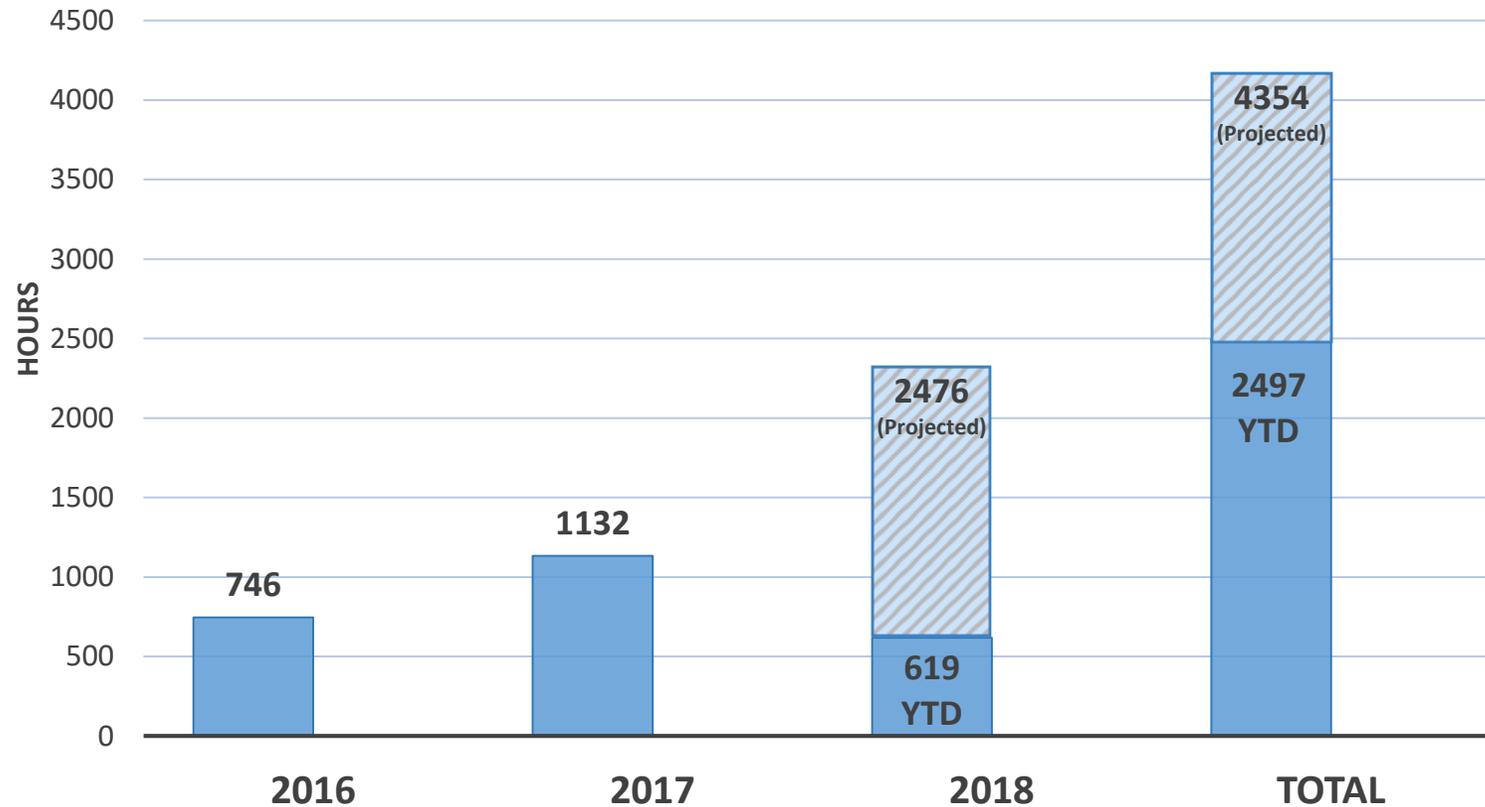
Community Court Links

of Participant Links July 1, 2016 - April 11, 2018



Work Crew Community Service Hours

January 1, 2016 - March 31, 2018



Community Court Education



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Olympia's Statewide Impact



- Federal Way Municipal Court
- Aberdeen Municipal Court
- Puyallup Municipal Court
- Marysville Municipal Court-City of Arlington/Lake Stevens
- Bothell Municipal Court
- Cowlitz District Court

Center for Court Innovation



“The OCC is the best!!”

-Julius Lang
Director of Training and Technical Assistance
Center for Court Innovation

Redefining Success-Malynda

- Toxic relationship
- PTSD/trauma/bipolar
- Self medicating with methamphetamines
- At Opt-in set to lose housing in a few weeks
- Started to spiral out of control
- Linked with Family Support Center
- Accessed co-occurring disorder treatment
- Linked with SideWalk- qualified for rapid rehousing



Redefining Success-Malynda

- Malynda is now in an oxford house
- At Graduation, brought in her mom
- Mom spoke at graduation
- “You saved my daughter’s life”
- Malynda has come back since graduation
- Still sober and healthy



Redefining Success-Stacey

- 24 year old woman
- Sleeping in her car after leaving inpatient
- Linked with northwest resources and went back to intensive inpatient treatment
- Completed treatment
- Relinked with SideWalk- met with housing consultant
- Now has an apartment and a job



Redefining Success-Anthony

- Husband and father of three young children
- Living in his car
- Medically discharged from military
- PTSD
- Linked with SideWalk re-shelter diversion
- Linked with Pacific Mountain
- Referred to veterans advocate
- Successfully housed and reunited with family



Redefining Success-Audrey

- Drug addiction (teeth rotted)
- Parental rights terminated
- Her children were in the custody of her sister
- Opted into community court
- Completed drug treatment
- Completed community service by volunteering in Community Court
- Used to pay off fines, holding up her license
- Now relicensed
- Now has visitation with her kids
- Local dentist volunteered time- new teeth!





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