**State Advisory Committee on Juvenile Justice & Delinquency Prevention**

**Executive Summary**

California's SACJJDP is made up of Governor-appointed subject matter experts who are committed to enhancing the quality of life for all youth in California. The composition of the SACJJDP is mandated by the federal Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act (JJDPA). Title II provides federal funding to support the SACJJDP and to enhance local juvenile justice efforts. One of the primary responsibilities of the SACJJDP is to develop a Title II State Plan that identifies priorities and goals for California’s juvenile justice activities and expenditures.

**Mission**

To serve the Governor, the Legislature and the people of California by promoting effective juvenile justice policies and programming in compliance with goals set forth in the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act.

**Core Values**

Strategy – a coalition of knowledgeable stakeholders and communities, current or former wards, and local elected officials

Advocacy – a plan to prevent juvenile crime while providing treatment and rehabilitation for juvenile offenders

Compliance – a means of monitoring program compliance and ensuring adherence with the core protections of federal law