**Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion (LEAD) Grant Program**

The Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC) is seeking members for an Executive Steering Committee (ESC) for its new Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion (LEAD) competitive grant program. Click [here](http://www.bscc.ca.gov/downloads/SB%20843%20enabling%20statute.docx) for the statute. This ESC will develop the Request for Proposals (RFP) for Board approval, rate proposals and make award recommendations to the Board. Members of the ESC will be appointed by the Board on a limited-term beginning in September 2016 and concluding in June 2017. The BSCC is accepting Statements of Interest for this ESC membership through August 5, 2017. The BSCC is seeking members who will represent California’s population and its diverse racial, ethnic, geographic, gender and cultural perspectives and backgrounds. The BSCC seeks members who have professional expertise and life experiences related to the criminal justice system and treatment or diversion programs for low level drug offenses or prostitution. Government and community based representatives with expertise in diversion, housing, social services, case management, reentry and supportive services are needed. Individuals formerly involved in the criminal justice system are encouraged to apply. Prior experience on an ESC is not required.

**There are several significant requirements that you should consider before you decide if you would like to submit a Statement of Interest. Please click** [**here**](http://www.bscc.ca.gov/s_bsccexecutivesteeringcommittees.php) **and review the information about ESC Roles and Responsibilities carefully.**

**Statement of Interest Submission**

If after having reviewed all of these requirements you are interested in LEAD ESC membership please click [here](mailto:LEADESC@bscc.ca.gov) and include the following information in the body of the email:

Your Name:

Telephone Number:

Email Address:

The organization you represent, if any:

Geographical part of California you represent:

Your statement of interest that indicates how your participation will help us meet our diversity goals:

After you have put done this, please click send. You will get an automatic reply acknowledging receipt of your submission. If you do not get this automatic reply, please resubmit your request. If after your second attempt, you do not receive the automatic reply, please email [colleen.stoner@bscc.ca.gov](mailto:colleen.stoner@bscc.ca.gov) and she will contact you directly for follow up.

**Public Comment**

If you are not interested in seeking LEAD ESC membership but you would like to provide public comments, you may email your public comments to [LEAD@BSCC.CA.GOV](mailto:LEAD@BSCC.CA.GOV). All public comment received at this email address will be provided to the ESC membership for consideration. You can also provide public comment at any of the LEAD ESC meetings.