

South Dakota Department of Corrections

Corrections Commission

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Rapid City

JRI Implementation Update

SUPERVISION AND REINVESTMENT POLICIES

Focus supervision on high-risk offenders

Earned discharge from parole

- Awarded starting July, 2013
- FY 14 – 3,203 parolees (78.4%) of total (4,085) received EDC and these 3,203 represent (85.6%) of parolees eligible (3,495)
- FY 15 through May, 2,915 parolees (77.2%) of total (3,778) received EDC and these 2,915 represent 89.5% of parolees eligible (3,257).
- FY 14 and FY 15 to date: 1,405,378 days awarded and 1,731 offenders released with EDC.

SUPERVISION AND REINVESTMENT POLICIES

Improve the supervision of parolees

- a. Enhance supervision through Evidence-Based Practices
 - **EPICS/Core Correctional Practices**
 - **Train the Trainer – with UJS – Completed**
 - **Training parole agents**
 - **1 group completed**
 - **1 group trained – doing recordings**
 - **1 group scheduled for training in July**
- b. Strengthen risk and needs assessments used by parole
 - **Validate Community Risk Assessment**
 - **Norm and validate LSI-R**
 - **Completed**
- c. Improve outcomes through housing option for CTP offenders
 - **Pilot program with St. Francis House in Sioux Falls**
 - **17 current participants; 67 participants to date**

SUPERVISION AND REINVESTMENT POLICIES

Specialized programs and services to improve outcomes

Community supervision pilot program tailored for Tribal Communities

- Sisseton-Wahpeton Oyate – 39 participants – current – 61 to date
- Started May 2014 with Interagency Agreement
- SWO supervises tribal members returning home on state parole
- State provides training and funding for Tribal Agent
- SWO Tribal program uses state Response to Violation (RTV) process and sanctioning grid
- Wellness Team for case management
- Tribal parole agent office at Tribal PD; Tribal PD and local Sheriff provide alcohol monitoring and W/R and pilot participants have been referred to Tribal drug court
- 17 completions, 16 successfully
- 66-70% without a RTV

EFFICIENCY & SUSTAINABILITY POLICIES

Improve training on evidence-based practices

a. Provide Parole Board

- Annual Board training
 - During Board week
 - NIC – Chairs and New Members Training
- New Board member training within 60 days of appointment
- Use of risk assessments and evidence-based practices
- FY 14 – 100% of Board members received required training

b. Require training for parole agents

- Criminal risk factors
- Targets to reduce recidivism
- Content of annual and new agent training includes EBP
- EPICS
- FY 14 – 100% of Agents received required training

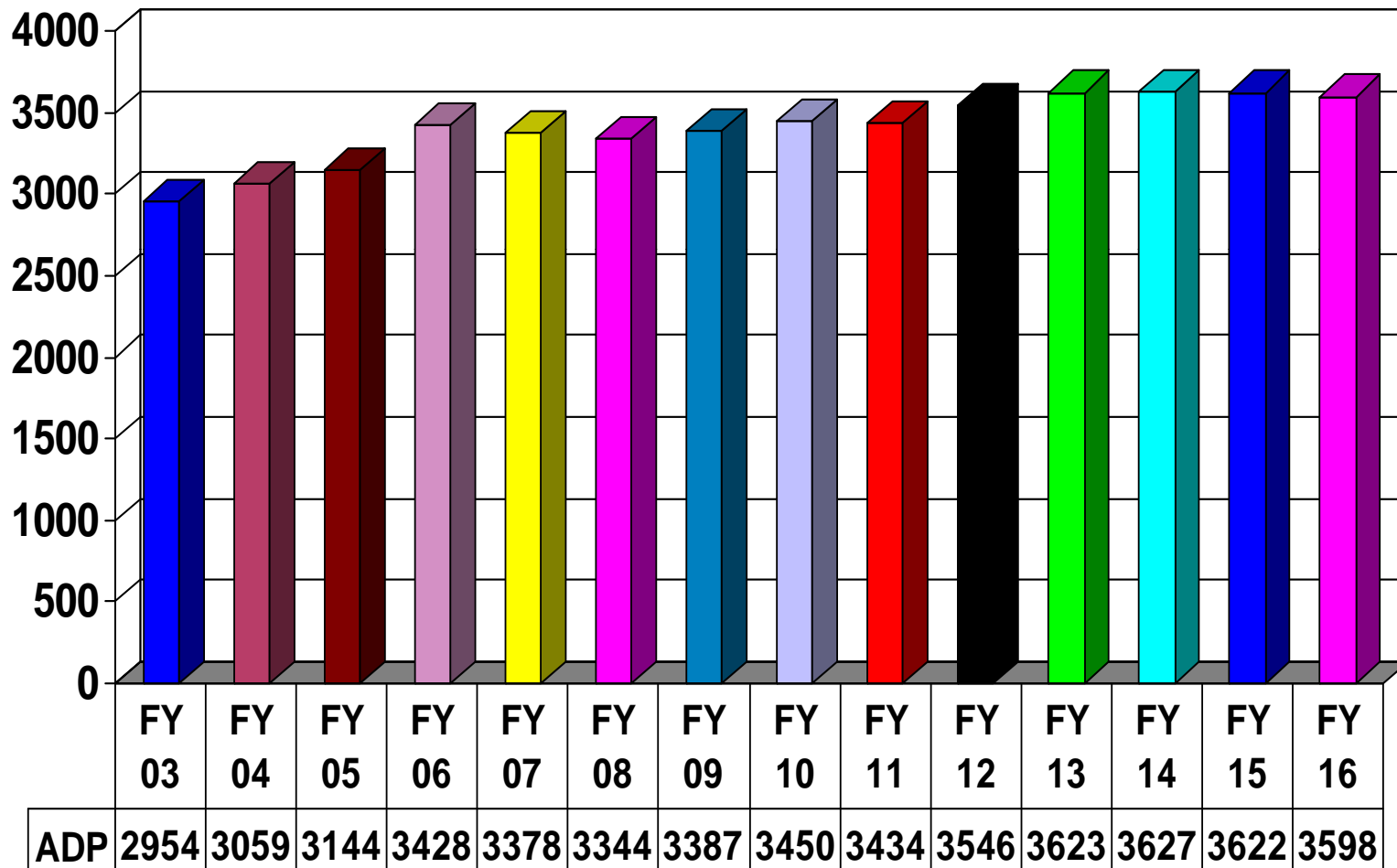
EFFICIENCY & SUSTAINABILITY POLICIES

Improve efficiency and accessibility of systems

Reinvestment fund for local jurisdictions

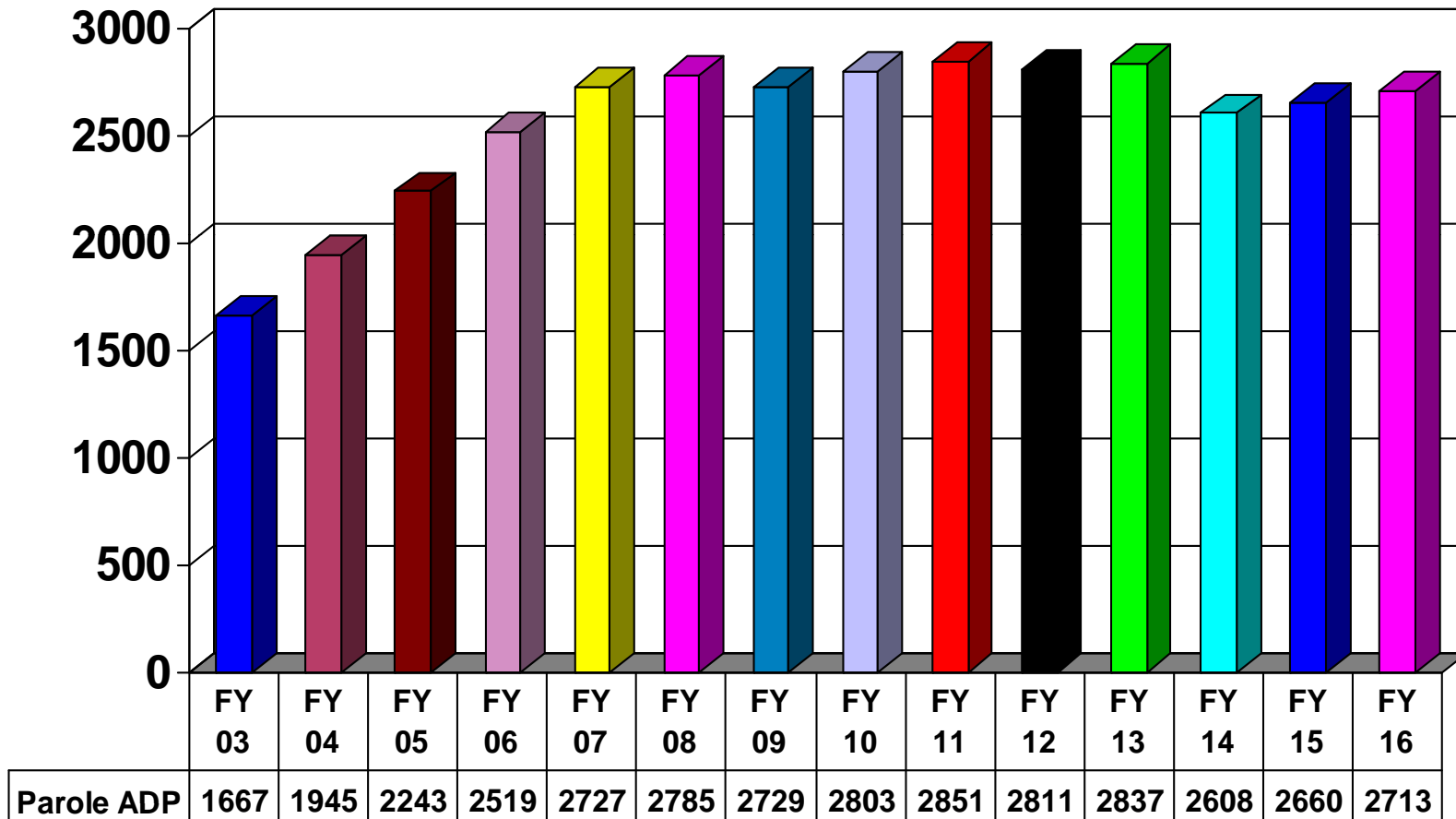
- Counties incur jail, monitoring and transportation expense to retain additional offenders in community
- \$1,000 - \$1,200 for each additional probationer
- **First payment 10/2014 based on FY 14 end of year count**
\$314,600 to counties based on increases in # on felony probation.

Average Daily Population of Adult Inmates



FY03-FY14 are actual. FY15 and FY16 are projected.

Parole Services Average End of Month Count



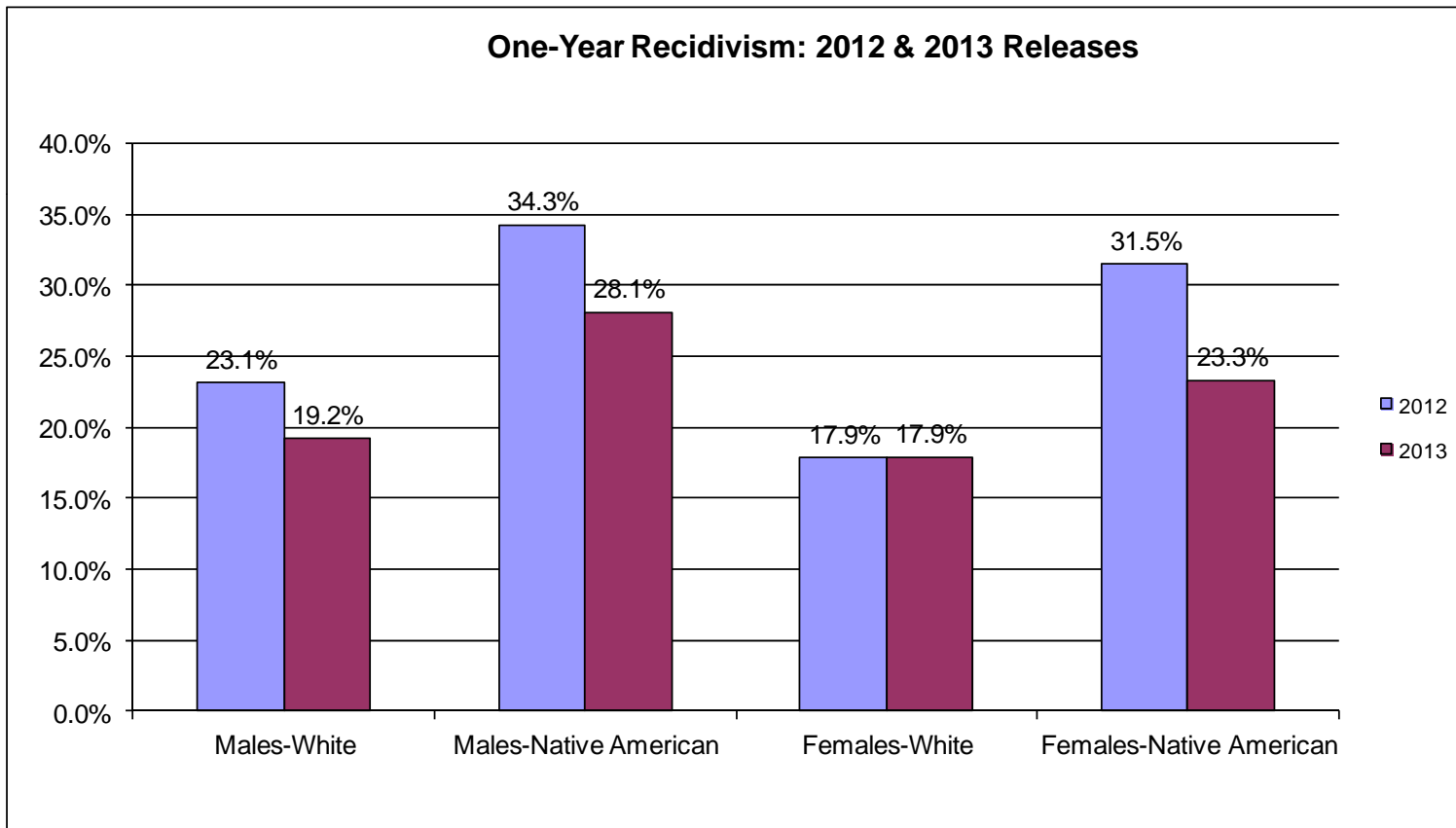
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ADULT RECIDIVISM 2006-2013

RELEASES

Release Year:	Number of Releases	12 months	24 months	36 months
2006	2,164	29.3%	39.3%	44.1%
2007	2,072	29.9%	41.0%	46.0%
2008	2,012	31.2%	40.3%	44.9%
2009	2,058	28.7%	38.3%	43.1%
2010	1934	25.9%	38.5%	43.8%
2011	1815	26.1%	36.4%	42.5%
2012	1912	26.4%	38.0%	
2013	1715	21.3%		

COMPARISON OF ADULT RECIDIVISM BY RACE



PROGRESS HIGHLIGHTS

1. Prison population is flat and a bit below projected impact of the PSIA
2. Number of SD parolees is down by about 200
3. Successful completions of parole are up: 37% in FY 12; 45% in FY 13 and 60% in FY 14.
4. Parole violation admissions to prison are down.
There were 702 admits due to parole violation in FY 14
Based on trends through May it is estimated that that there will be 508 admissions for PV in FY 15
5. Recidivism is down.