Brian Mackie

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Brian Mackie RE: Marquell Ganter

Brian,

After my response last night I took some more time to reread and take to heart your sentiment and point of view. I think there was one major omission from my first email. I want to make sure that the work we are doing here is beneficial and working within the systems we have. From time to time we come across those that have committed a crime and must pay their debt to society, but that also may not be totally lost in the long run. I do believe that this is impactful work and that there are those times when we may be able to offer a unique vantage point that is in the best interest of us all in work long run. I'm wondering if there are parameters to the work we are doing that might come from this? Our outreach work has often put us in these kind of predicaments and after taking to heart what you said I'm sure there are others. Just a thought, but I know for me it would be good to see how this fits into the larger CJ system and to make sure we are not working against other parts of the system unintentionally.

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