

AB109 CAB RETREAT AGENDA

Saturday, February 22, 2024

10:00 am - 3:00 pm

Location: 100 Hegenberger Rd, Oakland, CA 94621

10:00 am – 10:05 am	Opening Remarks – Marlo, Facilitator & Nicole, Co-Facilitator
10:05 am – 10:10 am	Welcome – Vincent Garrett, CAB Chair
10:10 am – 10:15 am	Welcome – Janene Grigsby, Alameda County Probation
10:15 am – 11:00 am	Introductions – CAB, Probation Staff & Stakeholders (2 Minutes Max Per Person)
11:00 pm – 11:05 am	Ice Breaker – Marlo & Nicole, Facilitators
11:05 pm – 11:10 am	Brief History
11:10 pm – 11:40 am	Purpose, Roles & Responsibilities of the CCPEC, CCP & CAB – Janene Grigsby, Alameda County Probation
11:40 am – 11:55 am	Q & A
11:55 am – 12:00 pm	Game – Marlo & Nicole, Facilitators
12:00 pm – 12:10 pm	Break
12:10 pm – 12:40 pm	Understanding the CAB Bylaws – Janene Grigsby, Alameda County Probation
12:40 pm – 12:55 pm	Q & A
12:55 pm – 1:25 pm	Lunch & Socializing
1:25 pm – 1:35 pm	Community/Team Building Exercise – Marlo & Nicole, Facilitators
1:35 pm – 1:55 pm	Brown Act – Janene Grigsby, Alameda County Probation
1:55 pm – 2:20 pm	Q & A
2:20 pm – 2:25 pm	Game

2:25 pm – 2:50 pm

Next Steps (Future of CAB – Develop a Vision/Mission) –
CAB Members (3 Minutes Max Per Person)

2:50 pm – 3:00 pm

Building Community Partnerships (How CAB Can Build a
Stronger Network) – **Marlo, Facilitator**

Facilitator's Bios

Da Motivator

Marlo is a dynamic leader and a testament to the power of transformation. With a past that includes incarceration, he has emerged as a WINNER, exemplifying resilience and dedication. Over six years, Marlo held various key positions, including Chair, Vice-Chair, Co-Chair, Secretary, and member of the CAB, showcasing his leadership and commitment to community service.

As a three-time published author and professional motivational speaker, Marlo inspires others through his words and experiences. He is the host of the “I Used To Be A Criminal” talk show, where he shares his journey and empowers others to overcome their past. Marlo is also the CEO and founder of Marlo Da Motivator, LLC, a firm specializing in motivational speaking, book publishing, coaching, consulting, and counseling.

In addition to his motivational endeavors, Marlo is the CEO of Spooner’s Hauling LLC, a trucking company dedicated to safely hauling freight nationwide. His educational background includes a Bachelor’s Degree in Sociology, and he is widely recognized as an expert in achieving success after incarceration. Marlo’s story is one of redemption and success, making him a powerful advocate for change and personal growth.

Nicole Spooner, Confidante Coach

Nicole is the visionary founder and owner of Gotta Vent To Live, where she excels as a Confidante Coach. Specializing in confidence coaching, overcoming shame, and guidance in Christian living, Nicole offers a sanctuary for women who need a trusted confidante. Her commitment to empowering women stems from her own journey through personal trauma and the absence of a supportive confidante during her formative years. These experiences propelled her to pursue a career in life coaching, culminating in her certification from the Life Purpose Institute in 2019. Additionally, Nicole is academically accomplished, holding an Associate of Arts in Sociology and an Associate of Arts in Liberal Arts with a focus on Social & Behavioral Sciences. She is currently finishing up her Bachelor of Arts Degree in Sociology from California State University East Bay which she will have completed this year 2025. Her blend of professional training, personal insight, Christian values and academic background uniquely equips her to uplift and inspire the women she coaches.

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