IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO.: 16-23-S

IN RE: JUVENILE - PROSECUTION ALTERNATIVES FOR YOUTH (P.A.Y) PROGRAM SERVICES IN SEMINOLE COUNTY

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article V, section 2(d) of the Florida Constitution and section 43.26, Florida Statutes, the chief judge of each judicial circuit is charged with the authority and the power to do everything necessary to promote the prompt and efficient administration of justice; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the chief judge 's constitutional and statutory responsibility for administrative supervision of the courts within the circuit and to create and maintain an organization capable of effecting the efficient, prompt, and proper administration of justice for the citizens of this State, the chief judge is required to exercise direction, see Fla. R. Jud. Admin. 2.215(b)(2), (b)(3); and

WHEREAS, Seminole County's Community Services Department operates the Seminole County Prosecution Alternatives for Youth Program (P.A.Y.) which consists of Teen Court and the Juvenile Alternative Services Program (J.A.S.P.) hereinafter referred to collectively as P.A.Y.; and

WHEREAS, Seminole County and the Sheriff have agreed to the transfer of the administration and oversight of P.A.Y. from Seminole County's Community Services Department to the Sheriff and have memorialized this agreement in an executed Interlocal Agreement effective July 1,2016; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Interlocal Agreement entered into between the Seminole County and the Sheriff, the Eighteenth Judicial Circuit also approves the Seminole County Sheriff's Office as the public entity to administer and oversee P.A.Y.

IT IS THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED;

1. The Seminole County Sheriff's Office is recognized as the authority authorized to administer and oversee P.A.Y. and all P.A.Y. programs previously under the oversight and administration of Seminole County Community Services Department effective July 1,2016.

- 2. Persons currently participating in any P.A.Y. program as well as persons who begin or continue participation on or after July 1, 2016 shall be under the supervision of the Sheriff beginning July 1, 2016.
- 3. Any fees, costs, restitution payments or special assessments currently in effect or collected as a function or part of P.A.Y. when under the supervision of the County shall continue to be in effect, collected and assessed by the SHERIFF.
- 4. Any Administrative Order currently in effect and currently pertaining to functions and matters related to Seminole County P.A.Y. shall apply to the SHERIFF unless otherwise ordered.
- 5. This administrative order is effective July 1,2016.

Done and ordered this 27th day of June, 2016.

JOHN D. GALLUZZO JOHN D. GALLUZZO CHIEF JUDGE

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