

## **EXECUTIVE ORDER #8**

## Relating to Creation of the Governor's Juvenile Justice Commission

**WHEREAS**, the Federal Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act requires the composition and appointment of an advisory committee to carry out the functions designated in the Act, and requires that its members be appointed by the Chief Executive of each state; and

**WHEREAS**, the Office of Justice Assistance is designated by Wisconsin State Statutes to serve as the state planning agency for administering the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act;

**NOW THEREFORE, I, SCOTT WALKER,** Governor of the State of Wisconsin, by the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the laws of this State, and specifically by Wis. Stat. section 14.019, do hereby:

- 1. Create the Governor's Juvenile Justice Commission to serve as the primary body responsible for the implementation of the Act in Wisconsin, with membership composition of not less than 15 but no more than 20, and in accordance with the federal Act, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor.
- 2. Designate the Commission to advise the Governor and the Legislature on matters concerning juvenile justice.
- 3. Provide that staffing for the Commission shall be provided by the Office of Justice Assistance.
- 4. Provide that the expenses of the members of the Commission be paid by the Office of Justice Assistance.

By the Governor.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of

the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this twenty fifth day of January, in the year

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SCOTT WALKER Governor