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are, what the needs are, and what type of services should be available in the county. The County Officials Association has offered to facilitate this for the counties who are not currently organized in this fashion, and once those plans have been submitted to the Crime Commission, we can work to facilitate grouping counties, the smaller counties together to be able to plan for and address juvenile needs in the counties. The next part of the orange sheet is the original LB 1167 as proposed, and this was to look at a number of recommendations from the plan that was presented to the counties, but also to require work products. So I don't call this exactly a task force because the problems have been identified and the needs have been identified. It's a matter of implementing the solutions and they will have the following duties. They are going to, first of all, and this is probably one of the most critical things that they will do that State Probation has already been working on, and that is create a standardized juvenile detention screening instrument by December 15th. The plan, and you can see from the information that is stapled to the orange sheet, that on the last sheet it talks about detention admissions practices. One of the findings was that there are youth that are placed in detention who don't need to be there. The detention should only be for the highest risk to the public youth. Also we know in our state facilities there are youth that don't need to be there. Largely they are there because we haven't developed a continuum other services in the communities, but also because maybe good decisions aren't being made when they are first picked up. The consultant discovered there were five ways that youth were being placed in the state into detention, and we need to have greater consistency with what we are doing out of a sense of fairness to the youth, but also because our resources are limited. She found that law enforcement may call a county attorney to request detention and the county attorney decides; or a judge places a youth in detention; or law enforcement makes the decision to place a youth in detention; or probation staff makes decisions based on law enforcement requests; or the Department of Health and Human Services or OJS makes a request for detention. Only three counties, the metro Omaha area and Lancaster County have a probation officer that is assigned to intake and the detention decision. That should be carried out throughout the state and one of the things that this task force will do is look at a plan