

Revenue and Legal Subcommittee
North Carolina Advisory Council on Cannabis
August 27, 2026, 1:00-3:00pm
Virtual via Teams

Co-Chairs

Anca Grozav, Chief Deputy Budget Director, NC Office of State Budget and Management
Joy Strickland, Senior Deputy Attorney General, Criminal Bureau of the North Carolina Department
of Justice

Agenda

1. Welcome, Roll Call, and Ethics Statement **1:00 - 1:05 PM**

2. Discussion of Criminal Justice Interplay **1:05 - 2:45 PM**

a. Training for District Attorneys

Guest Speaker: Kimberly Spahos, Director of Conference of District Attorneys

b. Training for Judges

Guest Speaker: Phil Dixon, Institute of Government

c. Training for Law Enforcement—In-Service Training

Guest Speaker: Chris Anderson, Deputy Director, North Carolina Justice Academy

d. Expunctions

Guest Speaker: Anitra Sessoms, Supervisor of Expungement Unit, SBI Criminal Information
and Identification Section

3. Other Business and Next Steps **2:45 – 3:00 PM**

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