



Council for Equitable Youth Justice
(CEYJ) Members
As of July 28, 2026

Board Member Name (officers)

1. Karen	Vastine (Chair)
2. Jessica	Barquist (Vice-chair)
3. Donn	Hutchins (Secretary/Treasurer)
4. Stuart	Berry
5. Julia	Brand
6. Peter	Brown
7. Laurey	Burris
8. Paul	Groce
9. Kate	Hayes
10. Linda	Johnson
11. Mercedes	King
12. Michael	Loner
13. Katherine	O'Day (resignation in process)
14. Hudson	Ranney
15. Zoe	Souder
16. Henri	Sparks
17. Vacant	
18. Vacant	
19. Vacant	
20. Vacant	
21. Vacant	
22. Vacant	
23. Vacant	
24. Vacant	

Council Membership: [Bylaws](#)

Up to 25 members appointed by the governor for three-year terms by the governor, with the advice and consent of the Senate. We look for people who have experience in human services, the justice system, and prevention. If you have questions about the CEYJ or would like more information about becoming a member of the Council contact Sheri.Lynn@vermont.gov or call 802.798.6512.