

CSA and Local Government Beyond the Fiscal Impact

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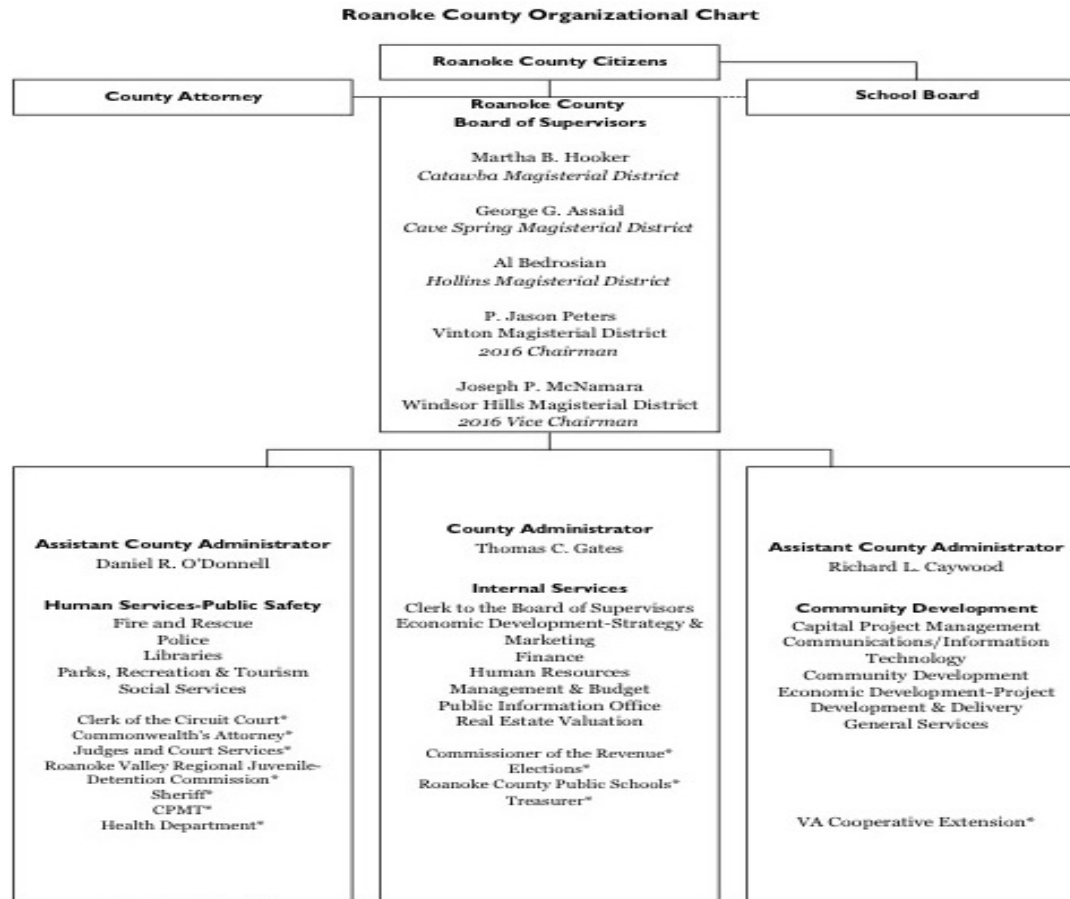
Learning Objectives

- 1. Recognize the broader connection between the concepts of public safety and social services.**
- 2. Increase understanding of potential areas of collaboration between CSA and local government.**
- 3. Identify strategies to engage local government stakeholders.**

Overview

- **Roanoke County Organizational Structure**
- **History of CSA in Roanoke County**
- **Collaboration across County departments**
- **Factors in strong collaboration**
- **Areas of Collaboration**
- **Benefits for CSA**
- **Benefits for Local Government**
- **Strategies to Achieve Collaboration**

Roanoke County Organizational Chart



*Denotes Liaison Relationship

Human Services - Public Safety

Assistant County Administrator

Daniel R. O'Donnell

Human Services-Public Safety

Fire and Rescue

Police

Libraries

Parks, Recreation & Tourism

Social Services

Clerk of the Circuit Court*

Commonwealth's Attorney*

Judges and Court Services*

Roanoke Valley Regional Juvenile-

Detention Commission*

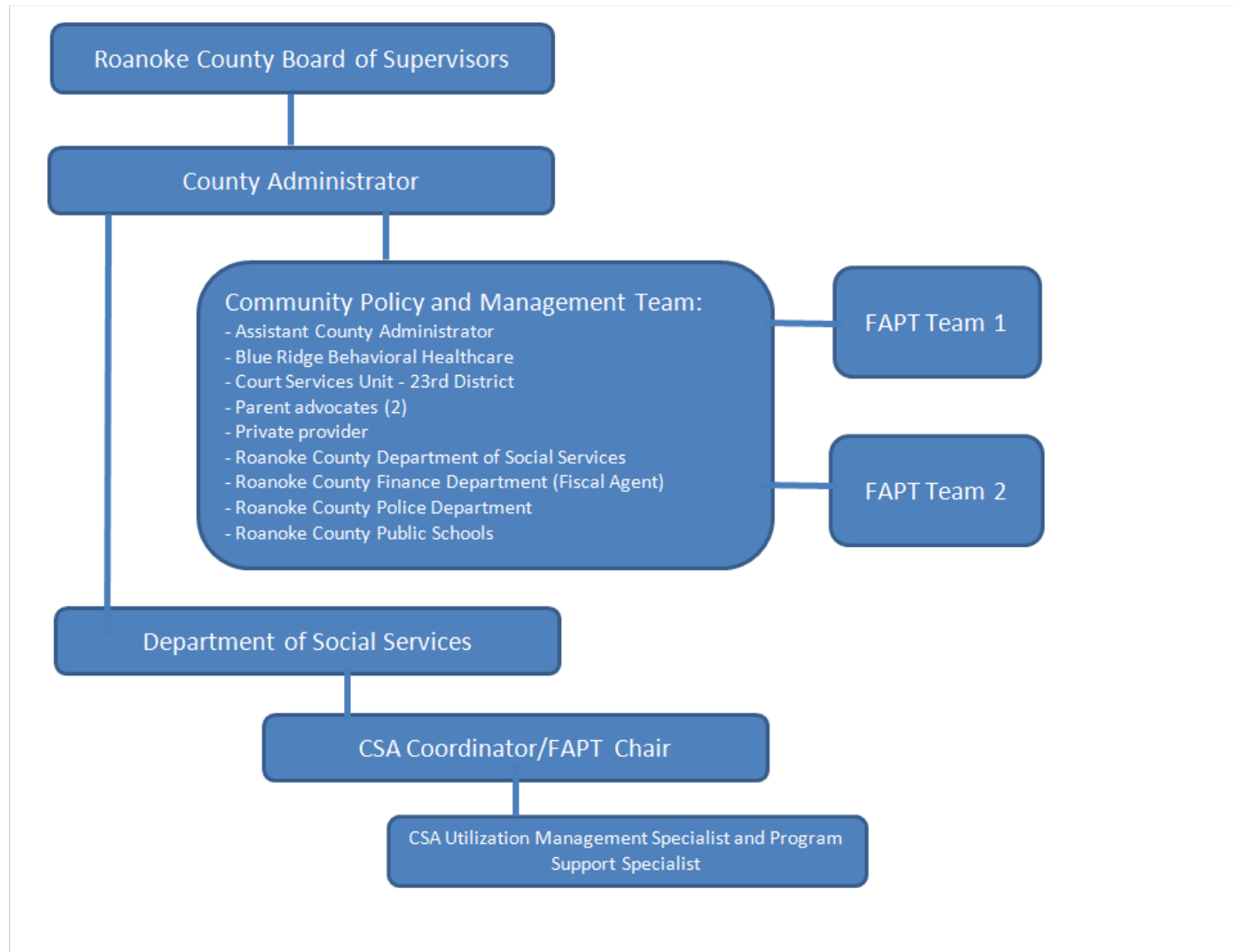
Sheriff*

CPMT*

Health Department*

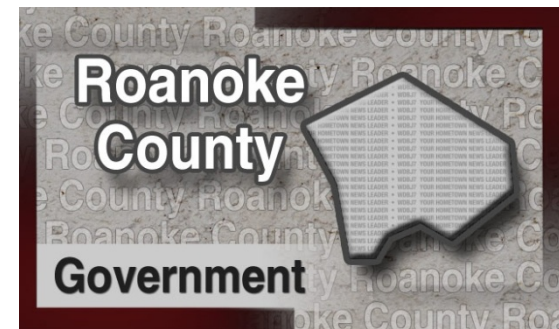
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County CSA Organizational Chart



Local Government and CSA in Roanoke County

- Support dates back to CSA implementation
- Tradition of CSA being part of the County structure
- Significant shift in 2008
 - Legislative agenda
 - What is the potential risk, not just fiscal risk?



Collaboration Across Departments

- **Meaningful connection with many government departments**
 - Board of Supervisors
 - County Administration
 - County Attorney
 - County Finance
 - County Police
 - Department of Social Services
 - Office of Management and Budget
 - Roanoke County Schools

Factors in strong collaboration

- **CSA is seen as a part of the public services that we provide to citizens**
- **County leaders are cognizant of the relationship between CSA and other areas of public safety (police, jails, mental health)**



Specific Areas of Collaboration

- **Legislative initiatives**
- **Fiscal coordination**
- **Impact on broader community**
- **Legal consult**
- **Service gaps**
- **Prevention efforts**



Benefit for CSA

- Promotes and encourages best practices
- Supports quality service delivery
- Opportunities to participate in multi-disciplinary efforts at a systems level
- Administrative support
- Fiscal support



Benefit for Local Government

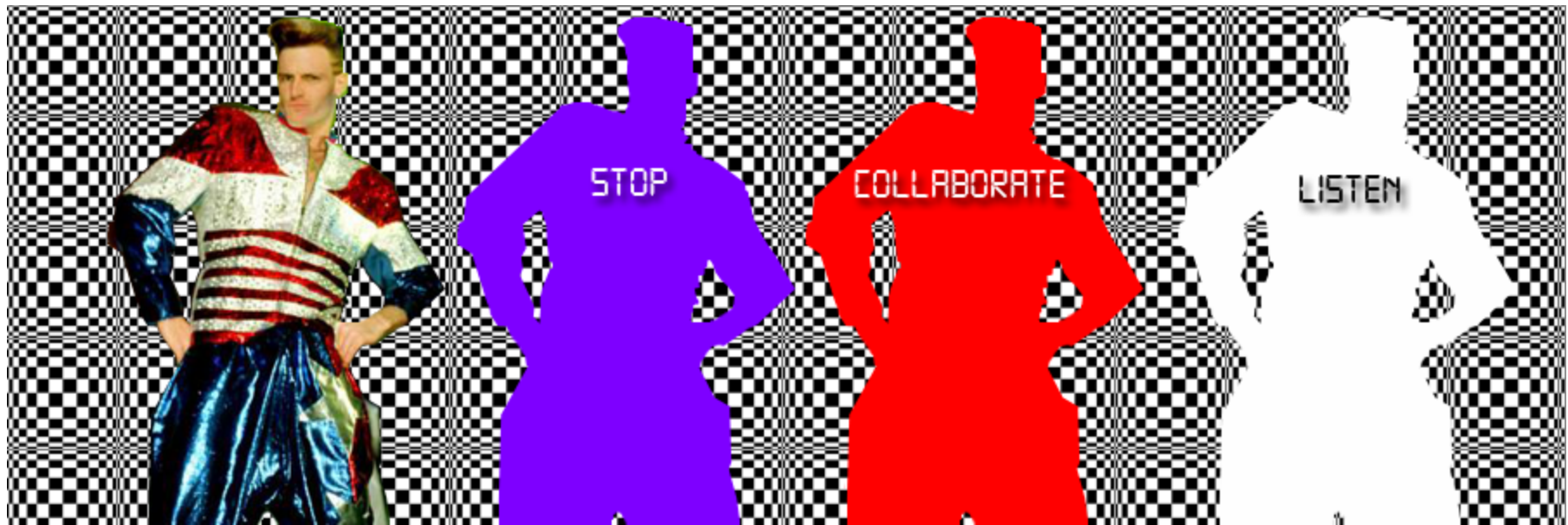
- Preventive rather than reactive
- Supports the overall community health and well-being of citizens
- Monitor cost impact
- Improved communication and awareness
- Opportunities to make a difference in issues that impact local government

Strategies to achieve collaboration

- Identify the barriers
- Communication with multiple government departments, not just administration
- Utilize data to demonstrate benefits
- Expand perception of CSA and impact on the community



Conclusion



Questions

