



Criminal Justice Law Enforcement Automated Data Services (CJLEADS)

Criminal Justice Data Integration Pilot Program

Session Law 2008-107, House Bill 2436 recognized the urgent need for state-of-the-art integrated criminal justice information and directed the NC Office of the State Controller, in cooperation with the State CIO and the BEACON Program Steering Committee, to develop and implement a Statewide Criminal Justice Data Integration Pilot Program for Wake County.

Objective: To identify the criminal justice information needs and develop an integrated solution that initially supports Wake County but can be expanded for statewide use.

Approach:

- Collaborative efforts of the BEACON Program Steering Committee, the Criminal Justice Advisory Committee, the Criminal Justice Pilot Program Project Team and Criminal Justice industry experts
- Leverage the State's Enterprise License Agreement with SAS Institute, Inc (SAS) for data integration and analytic toolsets. SAS was selected to analyze the State's business needs, identify the data sources, integrate offender data, and build a criminal justice pilot application for Wake County

Business needs identified by the Criminal Justice Advisory Committee:

- The ability to verify the identity an offender through image retrieval
- The ability to access an integrated comprehensive view of an offender
- The ability for criminal justice professionals to monitor an offender's status through an integrated "offender watch" capability

Key Concepts:

- Single, web-based application
- Designed to support local, state and federal Law Enforcement Officers, Judges, Magistrates, District Attorneys, Prison Officers, Probation and Parole Officers, and Juvenile Court Counselors
- Application adheres to role-based and data element security to ensure proper authorization for data access and to comply with Criminal Justice Information Service (CJIS) security standards
- Application provides ability to print offender information for authorized users
- Application provides full audit capability to ensure authorized use of the information for criminal justice purposes

CJLEADS Rollout Schedule:

The Wake County pilot rollout began in July, 2010 with a planned completion of October, 2010. Following a period of pilot evaluation, the deployment to additional user communities will begin in January, 2011. Planning for statewide deployment is currently underway.

For more information about CJLEADS, please refer to the CJLEADS website at:

<http://cjleads.nc.gov/>