Judge William L. Dawson & The East Cleveland Muni Court Presents:

*NEW*PROGRAMS THAT CHANGE LIVES!



The Court has assigned community service workers to work **EXCLUSIVELY** in the City of East Cleveland. Our workers are visible and helping our mission and dedication to improving the fabric and look of East Cleveland.

HIGH SCHOOL

Judge Dawson & his staff are in area high schools **EVERY WEEK**, training students on practical ways to obey the law and stay out of jail.

TEEN DISCIPLINARY ALTERNATIVE COURT

A partnership between the East Cleveland Municipal Court and the East Cleveland City Schools serves to provide a deterrence from crime, a diversion from a criminal record and intensive development of positive behavior. The focus is on young offenders. The goal is to change lives before they get involved in the criminal system.



READ, WRITE & SPEAK

This program gives offenders reading, writing and speaking assignments to be completed in Court. The program builds communication skills and self esteem.

FINISH FIRST

Finish First is an innovative program that partners with our police department to instruct the community on how to avoid negative interaction with the legal system.

Finish First Program Schedule
TIME: 5:30 pm
LOCATION:

East Cleveland Municipal Court Room
All Programs are Open to the Public

November 12, 2012 December 10, 2012 January 14, 2013 February 11, 2013 March 11, 2013 April 8, 2013

> May 13, 2013 June 10, 2013 July 8, 2013

July 8, 2013 August 10, 2013



GRIEF RECOVERY

Grief is the normal and natural reaction to loss & change yet most of the knowledge and information we acquire about dealing with loss is not normal, natural, correct, or helpful. This course will help us understand how to deal with grief and real-life emotional crisis that can cause criminal behavior.

EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE 101

Emotional Intelligence 101 builds the ability to recognize and understand emotions in your self and others, AND your ability to use this awareness to manage your behavior and relationships.



Batterers Intervention is an educational course that provides offenders and individuals with training & information to stop domestic abuse.

OTHER PROGRAMS INCLUDE: Domestic Violence, Anger Management, Victims Support, Women's Group & more....

The programs & partnerships listed above are part of the new "Emotional Intelligence Criminal Behavior Docket" (c) created by Judge William L. Dawson.