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Jaclyn Phillips Promoted to Assistant District Supervisor in District 19

FRANKFORT, Ky. (June 19, 2019) - Kentucky Division of Probation and Parole Director Erica Hargis today announced that Jaclyn Phillips has been promoted to assistant district supervisor in District 19. District 19 encompasses the southeast part of Jefferson County.

“Jaclyn Phillips is a proven leader with the experience and skills necessary to help lead the Division of Probation and Parole,” said Hargis. “The dedication and innovation she has already brought to the agency have earned her this opportunity and we know she will continue to be a true asset to help move the department forward.”

Phillips began her career with the Department of Corrections in 2012 as a probation and parole officer in the Louisville area. As an officer, she supervised regular felony caseloads and in 2016 was selected to be the SMART court officer for District 19. While at District 19, Phillips was certified as a field training officer and trained in the enhanced field training officer program. Additionally she has served as the district’s assistant safety officer since 2015. She has been a certified witness for truth in sentencing since 2015 and has overseen training and scheduling of truth in sentencing for the district since 2018.

A member of the recovery housing taskforce, Phillips also served as a member of the Justice Reinvestment taskforce while it was active. She has had a strong focus on reentry for the offenders in her area and is currently working with the Division of Reentry on several projects expected to have positive impacts across the state.

In a critical time of need within the department, Phillips has worked overtime in the institutions providing security for under-staffed areas. She is a graduate of the 2016-2017 Commissioner’s Executive Leadership Program and has received several employee of the month awards as well as the District 19 Shooting Star award.

A graduate of Transylvania University, Phillips received her bachelor’s degree in psychology in 2000.

Editor’s note: photo attached

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