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Sheriff's Office and Jail Focus Groups
Planning Meeting
August 18, 2025 @ 10:00 AM

1. Timeline
 - a. Budgeted for 3 groups w/ transcription and analysis
 - b. Deliverable date?

2. Logistics
 - a. Location
 - b. Incentive (\$50 per participant)
 - c. Format? Cash, gift card, e-gift card

3. Sampling
 - a. Sample size: 89 (67 from mail, 16 from web, 6 from phone)
 - b. Group format
 - i. Stable yes: 55
 - ii. Stable no: 21
 - iii. Changed vote: 4 (3 were changed to yes, one was change to no)
 - iv. Unknown vote: 9

4. Development of Questioning Route
 - a. Identify topics