



## A Message from the Founder & President



As we step into a new year, I want to personally welcome both our returning members and those newly joining the **Corrections & Detention Intelligence Network (CODIN)**.

I hope each of you had a Merry Christmas and meaningful time with family and friends, remembering the true reason for the season. Those moments of fellowship matter—because strong families and strong faith make strong professionals

Looking ahead, 2026 is shaping up to be a pivotal year for CODIN. We have upcoming conferences, expanded training opportunities, and continued growth of our national network. Every new connection strengthens our ability to share intelligence, close gaps, and stay ahead of emerging threats.

I strongly encourage all members to log into CODIN through ROCIC/RISS and ensure you are adding relevant, timely information. What may seem small or routine at the local level can become critical intelligence when connected statewide or nationally. This system only works if we all contribute, because intelligence loses value the moment it sits unused.

We've also launched a CODIN group chat to give members instant access to one another. This provides real-time communication across agencies, regions, and states, helping us move information faster, coordinate smarter, and support one another when it matters most.

As always, help us grow the network. Spread the word. Invite trusted professionals. CODIN's strength is built on relationships, shared purpose, and active participation.

Thank you for being part of this mission. I look forward to working alongside you this year as we continue to build a stronger, more connected intelligence community. Stay safe, stay engaged, and welcome to the year ahead.

*Greggory W. Phillips*

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# What We Do Matters...

The Corrections & Detention Intelligence Network (CODIN) was built to close the gaps criminals depend on—and that only happens when the network is actively used. Intelligence gathered inside jails and prisons is often the missing link to street-level and regional investigations. A phone number, symbol, associate, or pattern that seems routine at the local level can become the key piece that exposes a larger organization when it's shared. CODIN gives you the platform to ensure that intelligence doesn't sit in a notebook or a case file, but instead becomes actionable information that protects facilities, officers, and communities.

This is where your participation matters. When members log in, contribute, and communicate—locally, regionally, and nationally—the network comes alive. Every entry strengthens the whole system. Every shared detail increases our collective awareness and reach. CODIN is not just a database; it's a force multiplier built on trusted professionals working together. Use it. Lean into it. Engage with the group chat, connect with partners beyond your agency, and be part of something bigger. When intelligence moves freely, criminals lose their advantage—and that's exactly why CODIN exists.

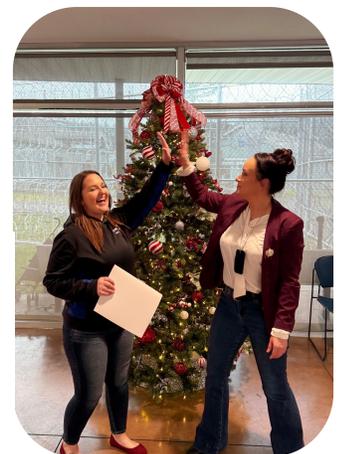
## Leadership Update: Regional Director Assumes National Director Role for West Coast

On January 1, 2026, Alishia McColl assumed the role of West Coast Representative for CODIN, following her exceptional service as a Regional Director. In addition to her responsibilities as Chief Investigator for the Washington State Department of Corrections, Alishia is also a frequent speaker on Corrections Unfiltered, where she contributes to national conversations on corrections leadership, investigations, and intelligence.

She has actively engaged sheriff's offices, partnered with correctional systems across the West Coast, supported members and prospective members, and led key discussions with vendors who serve the corrections and intelligence community. Her professionalism, credibility, and commitment to intelligence sharing have made her a trusted leader and a driving force behind CODIN's continued growth.

*"Alishia understands that intelligence only has value when it moves. Her leadership, credibility, and commitment to this mission have strengthened CODIN not only on the West Coast, but nationally. We are fortunate to have her leading this effort."*

Greggory Phillips, Founder & President, CODIN





## ***LEADERSHIP SPOTLIGHT: JOSE RAMIREZ***

A man of many titles and a proven leader in the gang-investigation community, Jose Ramirez continues to shape the landscape of intelligence-led enforcement at both the state and national levels. Currently serving as President of the Georgia Gang Investigators Association (GGIA) and Gang & Security Threat Group Director for Corrections & Detention Intelligence Network (CODIN), Jose was recently nominated to also serve as President of the National Alliance of Gang Investigators Associations (NAGIA), a testament to his credibility, experience, and national reputation.

GGIA plays a critical role in Georgia by providing training, intelligence sharing, professional collaboration, and youth-focused outreach aimed at preventing gang involvement before it starts. Through investigator training, prosecutor support, and partnerships with educators and community leaders, GGIA has been instrumental in strengthening gang investigations and successful prosecutions across the state while also investing in prevention and intervention efforts that protect Georgia's youth. At the national level, NAGIA serves as the unifying body for state gang investigator associations, setting standards, advocating for resources, and facilitating cross-jurisdictional intelligence sharing to combat organized criminal networks that operate well beyond state lines.

Jose's leadership across these organizations brings an extraordinary depth of knowledge and real-world experience to law enforcement, prosecutors, and corrections professionals alike. His ability to bridge investigations, intelligence, prosecution, and prevention has had a measurable impact on gang suppression efforts and youth engagement initiatives throughout Georgia. That same leadership and insight significantly strengthens CODIN's mission, ensuring that gang and STG intelligence moves seamlessly from the street to the jail, from the jail to the courtroom, and across jurisdictions nationwide. His continued service elevates not only the organizations he leads, but the entire intelligence-sharing community they support.

Be sure to take a moment to connect with **Pete Bludworth** and the team at *Corrections Unfiltered*, a strong supporter of **CODIN** and our mission. This podcast has become a go-to destination for candid conversations about the realities of corrections, bringing corrections professionals and respected guests together to discuss real-world challenges, leadership lessons, and behind-the-scenes perspectives from across the corrections landscape.

From rehabilitation efforts inside supermax facilities to managing security threat groups and navigating the demands of modern corrections leadership, *Corrections Unfiltered* tackles the issues that matter most.

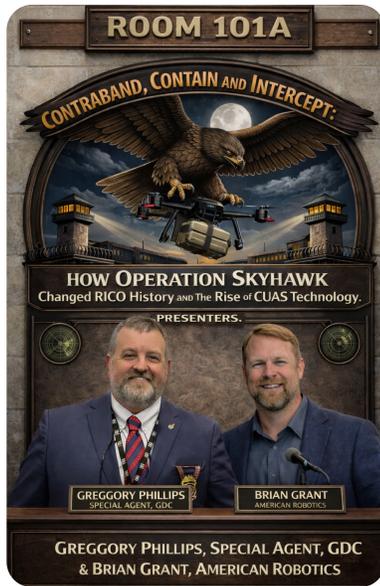
Whether you're a seasoned officer, a new recruit, or simply curious about what truly happens behind the walls, hit play and join the conversation.

You can find every episode on YouTube at [www.youtube.com/@CorrectionsUnfiltered](http://www.youtube.com/@CorrectionsUnfiltered)



# American Correctional Association - Winter Conference

The **Corrections & Detention Intelligence Network (CODIN)** will have a strong presence at this year's **ACA Winter Conference in Long Beach, California**. The conference offers valuable training, networking opportunities, and access to industry partners and vendors. CODIN will be located in the **Vendor Hall at Booth 242**, where attendees can connect with our team and learn more about how the network supports intelligence sharing at the local, regional, and national levels. In addition, **several CODIN Board Members will be presenting** during conference work sessions and throughout the **ACA Winter Summit**, sharing real-world experience and intelligence-driven strategies that strengthen corrections operations and partnerships.



Join us on **Thursday, February 5th, from 3:00 PM to 4:30 PM**, in **Room 101A in Long Beach, California**, for a timely and informative session titled **“Contraband, Contain and Intercept: How Operation Skyhawk Changed RICO History and the Rise of CUAS Technology.”** Presented by **Gregory Phillips**, Special Agent with the Georgia Department of Corrections, and **Brian Grant** of American Robotics, this presentation will examine how Operation Skyhawk reshaped RICO investigations and highlight the growing role of counter-UAS technology in combating contraband trafficking and organized criminal networks within corrections

**SUMMIT: From Street to Cell: Safety & Security Through Intelligence Management** brings together corrections executives, law enforcement leaders, intelligence professionals, and technology partners to examine how intelligence-driven collaboration enhances safety both inside correctional facilities and across communities. This summit session focuses on bridging gaps between street-level investigations and institutional operations, highlighting real-world intelligence gathering, sharing, and innovative solutions that strengthen public safety from the street to the cell—and back again.

Featuring CODIN founder Gregory W. Phillips and Board Members, Michelle Jordan, Senior Crime Intelligence Analyst II, Florida Department of Law Enforcement / Florida Fusion Center & Alishia McColl, Chief Investigator, Washington Corrections Center for Women and CODIN West Coast Representative; along with other key figures in law enforcement and corrections.



#### Overview

*There's nothing routine about a routine traffic stop.  
There's nothing routine about a little bit of intelligence.  
If we link it together, discover what we can do.*



Join forces and bridge the gap between Law Enforcement and Public Safety. Engage with corrections leaders, federal and state law enforcement agencies and technology partners who have created collaborative infrastructures and systems for intelligence gathering, sharing and storing. Gather information and discover solutions for standing stronger, and safer, together. Network with public safety colleagues to improve the safety and security of streets and cells.

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## Upcoming Training / Conferences

- **Georgia Sheriffs Association (Braselton, GA)**  
January 20th - 21st, 2026
- **National Sheriffs Association (Washington D.C.)**  
January 31st - February 4th, 2026
- **National Narcotics Officers Association (Washington D.C.) Delegates Meeting**  
February 2nd - 4th, 2026
- **Homeland Security / Counter UAS (Washington D.C.)**  
February 4th - 5th, 2026
- **Major County Sheriffs Association (Washington D.C.)**  
February 5th - 7th, 2026
- **American Correctional Association (Long Beach, CA)**  
February 5th - 8th, 2026
- **Correctional Leaders Association - Deputy Directions (Miramar Beach, FL)**  
February 24th - 27th, 2026
- **Correctional Leaders Association - Tech Conference (Charleston, SC)**  
March 30th, - April 2nd, 2026
- **New Jersey Narcotic Enforcement Offices Association (Atlantic City, NJ)**  
May 17th - 21st, 2026
- **National Sheriffs Association (Omaha, NE) Summer Conference**  
June 8th - 11th, 2026
- **Georgia Gang Investigators Association (Lake Lanier Islands, GA)**  
July 13th - 17th, 2026
- **American Correctional Association (Pittsburgh, PA)**  
July 30th - August 2nd, 2026
- **National Homeland Security Conference (Louisville, KY)**  
August 10th - 13th, 2026
- **National Interdiction Conference (Oklahoma City, OK)**  
August 16th, 21st, 2026
- **North Carolina Gang Investigators Association (Winston-Salem, NC)**  
September 1st - 3rd, 2026

***MORE OPPORTUNITIES COMING!***

## A Special Thank You...

### Thank You to Our Corporate Sponsor – TGR Technologies

We would like to extend a sincere thank you to our corporate sponsor, **TGR Technologies**, and the outstanding team of **Matt, Craig, Stacy, Marquita, and Mike** for their continued support of CODIN and our mission. TGR is an industry leader in technical solutions spanning **cellular technology, video analytics, OSINT, counter-UAS, and beyond**, delivering capabilities that directly support public safety, corrections, and intelligence professionals nationwide.

More importantly, the TGR team understands our community and the challenges we face every day. If you're looking to connect with some of the very best individuals and solutions serving our profession, reach out to me directly and I'll gladly put you in touch. We are grateful for TGR Technologies' partnership and commitment to those who serve.



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## Corrections & Detention Intelligence Network

### Have You Joined Us Yet??? If Not....Why You Should Join CODIN

Too often, critical intelligence stays trapped behind fences and walls, while the same criminal networks move freely between the street and the cell.

CODIN exists to break that cycle.

Membership isn't about another patch or title. It's about becoming part of a trusted, intelligence-driven network of correctional officers, deputies, jailers, and law enforcement professionals and prosecutors working together to close gaps criminals rely on.

As a CODIN member, you gain the ability to:

- Share real-time intelligence to detect, disrupt, and dismantle criminal activity—inside facilities and beyond the wire
- Access specialized training and resources that improve officer safety, operational effectiveness, and career development
- Build meaningful connections across local, state, and federal agencies—because crime doesn't stop at county or state lines
- Have a voice at the table on policies and issues that directly impact your facilities, your safety, and your communities

If you're ready to turn silos into solutions, if you believe we're stronger when intelligence moves and stronger when we stand together....CODIN is your network.

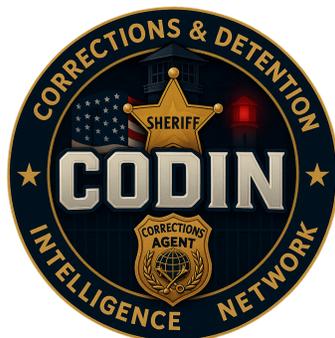
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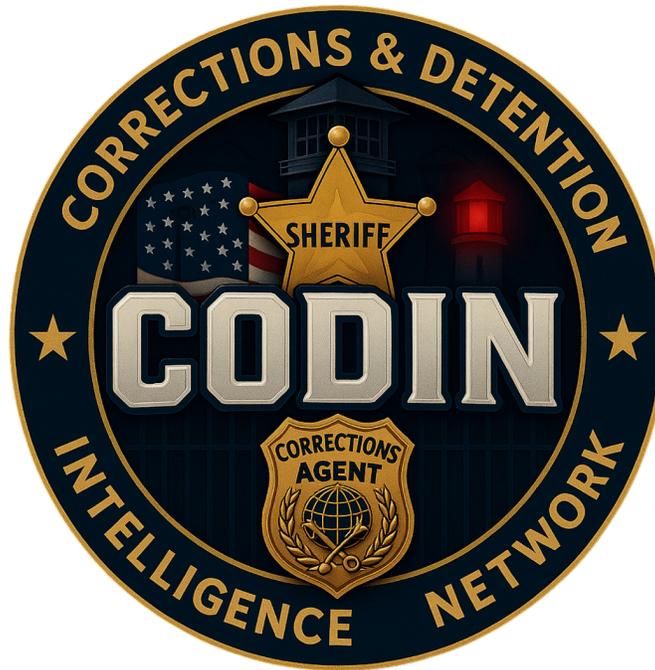
Individual Membership: \$50

Agency Membership: \$150

Join Us Online At The Address Below!

CODIN...Where Intelligence Meets Enforcement





I want to personally thank you for being part of this growing community of professionals committed to intelligence-led safety and security. Your engagement, your willingness to share information, and your dedication to the mission are what make CODIN effective. Stay engaged, share intelligence, and continue helping us strengthen safety and security, from the street to the cell, and back again.

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