

"No Oversight"

The lack of government oversight and accountability for staff in the Colorado Department of Corrections is appalling. Here at the Fremont Correctional Facility in Cañon City, Colorado health and safety standards are completely ignored, bully tactics are used to discourage anyone from speaking out plus F.C.F. denies offenders access to public information which ensures that nobody can contact government officials about these problems.

Inmates who are victims of rape are given the option to press charges against the perpetrator and risk being labelled as a snitch (which could be life threatening in prison) or to just shut up and take it.

There are numerous members of the Ku Klux Klan and other white supremacist groups who are CDOC employees which is in direct violation of Colorado state law because members of such groups are prohibited from being state employees.

The misappropriation of funds that are supposed to be allocated for the mental health treatment of prisoners alone here at F.C.F. is astonishing. Prisoners of color are routinely denied adequate treatment for documented medical and mental health conditions.

In short the history of Cañon City that got it dubbed "Klanon City" is alive and well. Don't take my word for it ask retired police officer Ron Stallworth whom the movie "Black Klansman" was based off of.

The Colorado Department of Corrections is a criminal enterprise. The question is who has the integrity to do anything about it?