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We could certainly inquire whether the Deputy Secretary would be interested, but it might be interesting to have someone from a specific sector - such as institutions or community programs - to speak since they might be able to have a more focused discussion on a particular area of juvenile justice in NC rather than a very general overview of issues.

I think we have typically had the keynote just before, during, or right after lunch (i.e., 11am-1:30pm). Considering that most of these speakers would be from the Raleigh area, these times might be less disruptive to their workday as they can work their time with us around their own lunch time and get back to their office. Just a thought.

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