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RE: Trevon Armstrong CDC # AU8347

Armstrong is a validated Oak Park Blood, who has committed Trobbery and possession of a firearm by a convicted felon. In this current offense, he violated his felony grant of probation for his robbery conviction by knowingly possessing a firearm. Inmate Armstrong was in a car with three other Oak Park Blood gang members when he threw a gun out the window when being pulled over by law enforcement and had a sizable amount of money on his person as did his co-defendants. At the time of the commitment offense, Inmate Armstrong was on probation for robbery. His current commitment offense was committed with gang member co-defendants sophisticated criminal network. Even after being punished for probbery he still continues to go back to the same criminal street gang member friends to commit new crimes. Inmate Armstrong's robbery strike conviction was from August 8, 2013. In that case, he and two accomplices, approached the victim as he was walking down the street. One accomplice grabbed the victim's shirt and demanded his backpack and phone. The defendant took the victim's gold watch off his wrist and checked his pant pockets as his accomplice held the victim to keep him from running. The defendant was identified in a field show-up and lied by denying any involvement. He later pled guilty to this offense and was sentenced to county jail with felony probation. While on probation for this serious and violent crime, the defendant was arrested for cocaine sales when he was with a fellow co-defendant and this co-defendant was in possession of a gun. This drug sales case was dismissed in light of the plea to the State Prison commitment offense of	Board of Parole Members,
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The committing offense is neither a serious nor violent felony, however, inmate Armstrong – a validated Oak Park Blood – has demonstrated that he poses a dangerous risk to society at large. Inmate Armstrong has demonstrated an inability to follow the rules pertaining to his release.
He has been given "breaks" by our criminal justice system and giving him another "break" by releasing him early from prison would do a disservice to the public who does not deserve to have their safety put in ieopardy by this criminal. I
Inmate Armstrong has yet to show any credible evidence that he is sincere in his desire to become a law-abiding member of society.
Inmate Armstrong is a terrible candidate for early parole and should serve his full prison term. He poses an unreasonable risk to public safety as demonstrated by his utter disregard for the terms and regulations of his probation he has been given violating probation, possession a firearm while on felony probation, and being a gang member. In the interest of justice and public protection, the District Attorney of Sacramento County urges the Board to deny Inmate Armstrong an early release. It would be an absolute misappropriation of justice to give this inmate any benefit of an early release and would put the public at a great risk. Inmate Armstrong is in no way a "non-violent" offender.
Respectfully,
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