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Non-Violent Parole Review Process
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RE: Adrian Lance Rayford   CDC#: BB3498   Court Docket: 15F07273 and 14F04807

Board of Parole Hearing Members,

I am writing to oppose the parole of Inmate Adrian Rayford. Inmate Rayford is a gun carrying career criminal whose early release would result in an unreasonable risk to public safety.

For evidence of the risk to public safety posed by this inmate, look no further than the three decades of consistent criminal activity. During that time, he has accumulated over thirty criminal convictions. Of these convictions, over half are felony convictions and it appears the only time where Inmate Rayford went more than a few months without committing a new crime or violating his supervision was when he was incarcerated.

Perhaps most disturbing is the increasing seriousness of Inmate Rayford's conduct. While many of his initial convictions were theft related, the last decade of his career has featured at least two convictions for illegal gun possession as well as a felony conviction of Grand Theft from a Person, which was initially charged as a Robbery.

Inmate Rayford has also repeatedly shown a disregard for police authority and has accumulated multiple convictions for resisting police officers. He has also shown himself to be a poor candidate for supervised release, as he has violated probation or parole on at least twenty separate occasions.

Other than the conduct noted above, I cannot comment on his behavior due to the short notice we are provided for our response. However, from the record that is available, it is clear Inmate Rayford should not be released as he poses a significant and unreasonable risk to the community.

Respectfully,

Matthew Moore
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