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Non Violent Parole Review Process  
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**Re: Yoder, Wyatt                      CDC # BX8266                      Court Dockets: 23FE001231**

Inmate Yoder is a well-established violent felon, and should not be paroled. The circumstances surrounding his current conviction and his prior criminal record show that he poses an unreasonable risk of violence to the community.

On December 29, 2022, undercover detectives from the Folsom Police Department conversed with Inmate Yoder over Facebook. Inmate Yoder agreed to sell narcotics to an undercover detective and a meet-up was set. Inmate Yoder showed up to the location with his accomplice. In the vehicle Inmate Yoder and his accomplice arrived in, law enforcement located a black Smith and Wesson HK 40 caliber firearm, three pistol magazines, 27 rounds of 40 caliber ammunition, a narcotics pipe, baggies, and nearly \$4,000 in various denominations. Detectives also located a total of 512 grams of methamphetamine, 14 grams of fentanyl, and 6.67 grams of heroin. There were also 13 individual one-ounce baggies of suspected methamphetamine. Inmate Yoder pled to a felony violation of Health and Safety Code section 11370.1.

This was not Inmate Yoder's first experience in the criminal justice system. Inmate Yoder's criminal career began in 2005 when Inmate Yoder engaged in a felony theft of a vehicle and a felony evasion in 2006. Inmate Yoder then committed a felony violation of Health and Safety Code section 11379 in 2007 where he was sentenced to serve two years in state prison. He then committed a felony theft offense in 2009, and a second felony evasion in 2013. In that offense, Inmate Yoder was sentenced to serve an additional two years in state prison.

Inmate Yoder is a danger to all who travel on the roadways of California. Inmate Yoder was also convicted of three violations of Vehicle Code section 23152, driving under the influence, in 2013, 2015, and 2021. Inmate Yoder committed two additional felony evasion offenses in 2021. In total, he has been convicted of four felony evasions, and one misdemeanor evasion.

Inmate Yoder has shown time and time again that he will continue to pose an unreasonable risk to the safety of the community. He drives while under the influence, engages in narcotics sales, and leads law enforcement on dangerous pursuits. Finally, in the commitment offense, not only was Inmate Yoder selling narcotics, but he had a firearm with him as well. This was not his first time

engaging in narcotics sales. He was convicted of a felony narcotics sales in 2021, and based on the current commitment offense, Inmate Yoder has shown us that he is not going to stop. Inmate Yoder's criminal behavior is escalating and evolving.

As we are given 30 days to respond, and we are not provided with any disciplinary history or any other information aside from the one page notice of parole review, I cannot comment on Inmate Yoder's prison conduct. However, from the record that is available it is clear that Inmate Yoder should not be released as he poses a significant, unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Parole should be denied.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Megan Adame', with a stylized, cursive script.

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