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**Re: Jordan, Celeste      CDC # AU4130      Court Docket: 13F07499**

Inmate Jordan 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.

To describe inmate Jordan's criminal history as "prolific" is to understate the reality that inmate Jordan has chosen to make crime his absolute life's mission. His adult criminal history began at age 18 in 1979, when he was convicted of misdemeanor burglary, promptly following up with another misdemeanor burglary conviction in 1980. He was then convicted of his first violent felony in 1982, when he was convicted of Robbery involving the use of a weapon, earning a 4-year State Prison sentence which was wrapped up with a felony second degree burglary conviction from Sacramento. He was paroled in 1984, but was quickly back in State Prison in 1985 on a violation of parole. Jordan was then convicted in 1986 for a First Degree burglary, earning himself another 4-year State Prison sentence. He was again paroled in 1988, only to be arrested five days later for auto theft, which earned him another misdemeanor conviction and another parole violation.

He was arrested in 1989 for being high on meth, which earned him another return to prison in 1990 on a parole violation. Not surprisingly, he was arrested again for robbery and auto theft about two weeks after his release, earning another 1990 parole violation. He was again promptly convicted of felony burglary in 1992, earning a 28-month prison sentence. In 1995, inmate Jordan found himself in Illinois, where he decided to commit an armed robbery with a firearm, earning himself a 12-year prison sentence in Illinois. Somehow he was released in time to be arrested again in California for burglary, which resulted in a misdemeanor vandalism conviction. He went to prison again in 2003 for attempted burglary after being arrested on Christmas of 2002, only to be paroled again in 2004. After earning another trip to prison in 2005 for a parole violation, inmate Jordan reoffended again in Sacramento in 2006, racking up an 8-year State Prison sentence for second degree burglary.

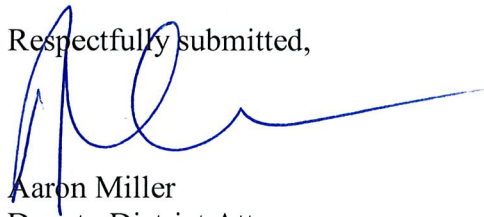
The facts surrounding inmate Jordan's current prison commitment are nothing new for him. He was once again committing a First Degree Residential Burglary on November 16, 2013. This

time, he was caught in the act of burglarizing a blood relative, [REDACTED] of his who inmate Jordan knew to be out of town. Jordan seized this opportunity to break into his [REDACTED] house to steal from her, piling money and electronics onto her bed. Police responded to the victim's house and found inmate Jordan inside, ransacking his [REDACTED] personal belongings. Inmate Jordan had burglary tools with him. Jordan stated that he knew his [REDACTED] was out of town, and told police that he couldn't be arrested for burglary because it was his [REDACTED] house. He was wrong.

Enough is enough with Celeste Jordan. The prospect of him being released from prison early under any provision of law offends any reasonable person's sensibilities and defies common sense. He is 56-years-old, and has been in jail or prison constantly since age 18. There is a trail of victims in his wake and he has multiple violent felonies in his past. Any early release would ensure victimization of someone earlier in the inevitable future of inmate Jordan's ongoing criminal career.

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 Jordan's prison conduct. However, from the record that is available it is clear that inmate Jordan should not be released as he poses a significant, unreasonable risk of violence to the community. Parole should be denied.

Respectfully submitted,



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