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Non Violent Parole Review Process  
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**Re: Davis, Markidas, Demar**

**CDC # BR7669**

**Court Docket: 20FE013539**

Inmate Davis has demonstrated a willful disregard for the law 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 and continued criminality to the community.

A review of Inmate Davis shows that he is a career criminal who has shown an inability to succeed under supervision, and thus he is not an appropriate candidate for early parole. Inmate Davis has a criminal history beginning over 26 years ago, with charges that include driving under the influence, evasion, sale of a controlled substance, battery, possession of a stolen vehicle, forgery, receiving stolen property, possessing personal identifying information of another, assault with a deadly weapon, and a post release community supervision violation. The crimes that Inmate Davis has committed show a pattern of indifference to the safety and wellbeing of the community.

In 2015, Inmate Davis got into an argument with the victim and hit the victim in the head with a baseball bat, causing a large laceration and a pool of blood. The victim was unarmed. Inmate Davis was then convicted of his strike offense, assault with a deadly weapon. He received a 3-year prison sentence for this offense. Shortly after, in September of 2017, Inmate Davis was found to be in possession of the personal identifying information of another. He was then sentenced in 2018 to 2 years state prison. Shortly after, in 2020, while still on post release community supervision for his last offense, Inmate Davis was located in his vehicle with over seven hundred dollars in cash, a digital scale, 6 grams of heroin, 68 grams of methamphetamine, and multiple items of personal identifying information of another. At the time of his arrest, Inmate Davis was heard on in car camera telling his passenger to take the rap for him, but the passenger refused.

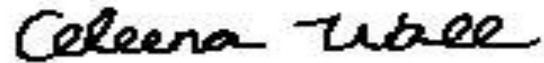
Inmate Davis got an early start to his life of crime, picking up multiple felony convictions and serving his first prison commitment in 2005. Inmate Davis is now 49 years old and has been convicted of numerous felonies and has served 8 prison sentences since his first in 2005. In addition to his violent tendencies, Inmate Davis has consistently shown that he has no ability to conform his conduct to the requirements of the law.

Inmate Davis was sentenced to 7 years 4 months state prison in this case in May 2021. It has only been just over 2 years since he was sentenced. It would be unreasonable to conclude that Inmate Davis has transformed his behavior in such a short period of time when he has been unable to do so over the past 26 years.

If released, it is near certain that Inmate Davis will return to a life of crime. He has shown that he is not afraid to use violence, and regardless of his continuous prison commitments, he has no regard for the law. His behavior puts our society in danger.

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 Davis's additional prison conduct. However, from the record that is available it is clear that inmate Davis 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 that reads "Celeena Wall". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Celeena Wall  
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