

State of Oklahoma PARDON AND PAROLE BOARD

Pardon and Parole Board Meeting Parole Meeting Minutes August 2021

Monday, August 9, 2021 10:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Richard Smothermon, Adam Luck, Kelly Doyle and Scott

Williams

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Larry Morris (Excused)

STAFF:

Tom Bates, Melinda Romero, Leroy Long, Jennifer Pando, and

Kyle Counts

GUESTS:

Three DA Protests for 11 Offenders

Two Victim Protestors

I. Call to Order - Chairman Adam Luck

Following the Pardon and Parole Board business meeting, Chairman Luck called the Parole Meeting of the Pardon and Parole Board (PPB) to order at 10:35 a.m. on the Zoom Webinar ID# 94833252849.

II. Roll Call - Chairman Adam Luck

The members attending were Richard Smothermon, Adam Luck, Kelly Doyle, and Scott Williams. The voting order was announced as Scott Williams, Kelly Doyle, Adam Luck, and Richard Smothermon.

III. Discussion and Possible Action on Jacket Review: Commutations, S.I.R. Stage I, Parole, Parole Stage I, Reentry, Medicals, and Special Reviews – Chairman Adam Luck

The Board acted on inmates who were docketed for jacket review for Stage I commutations. The vote of the Board was recorded and is reflected on each inmate's ballot. The ballot for each inmate is available for reproduction at the Administrative Office of the PPB in accordance with the Open Records Act.

The Board took a lunch break at 11:46 a.m.

IV. Reconvening of the Meeting - Chairman Adam Luck

The Board reconvened at 1:30 p.m. In attendance were Scott Williams, Kelly Doyle, Adam Luck, and Richard Smothermon.

V. Discussion and Possible Action on Victim/Victim Representatives - Adam Luck

The Board heard protests from victims/victim representatives, for which inmates were being considered. The Board took the protests under advisement until the inmates' consideration. The ballots for the inmates are available in the Administrative Office in accordance with the Open Records Act.

There were two victim protests.

VI. Discussion and Possible Action on District Attorney Protests - Adam Luck

There were eleven protest(s) from the District Attorneys or their representatives.

VII. Discussion and Possible Action on Pardon Applicants - Adam Luck

The Board heard presentations and interviewed pardon applicants. The vote of the Board was recorded and is reflected on each applicant's ballot. The ballot for each applicant is available for inspection at the Administrative Office of the PPB in accordance with the Open Records Act.

VIII. Discussion and Possible Action on Jacket Review: Commutations, S.I.R. Stage I, Parole, Parole Stage I, Reentry, Medicals, and Special Reviews – Adam Luck

The Board took action on inmates who had parole jacket reviews. The vote of the Board was recorded and is reflected on each inmate's ballot. The ballot for each inmate is available for reproduction at the Administrative Office of the PPB in accordance with the Open Records Act.

Chairman Luck recessed the meeting at 4:31 p.m. to reconvene on Tuesday, August 10, 2021, at 8:30 a.m. via Zoom Webinar ID# 94833252849.

Tuesday, August 10, 2021 8:30 a.m.

IX. Reconvening of the Meeting -Adam Luck

Chairman Luck reconvened the meeting of the Pardon and Parole Board (PPB) at 8:30 a.m. via Zoom Webinar ID# 94833252849.

X. Roll Call - Adam Luck

Members in attendance were Richard Smothermon, Adam Luck, Kelly Doyle, and Scott Williams.

XI. Discussion and Possible Action on Jacket Reviews for Inmates with Delegates – Adam Luck

The Board took action on inmates who were docketed for jacket reviews and had delegates. The vote of the Board was recorded and is reflected on each inmate's ballot. The ballot for each inmate is available for reproduction at the Administrative Office of the PPB in accordance with the Open Records Act.

XII. Discussion and Possible Action on Personal Interviews with Inmates and Delegates – Adam Luck

The Board continued interviews with inmates who had a personal appearance for a parole consideration and any delegate who signed up to present on their behalf. The vote of the Board was recorded and is reflected on each inmate's ballot. The ballot for each inmate is available for inspection at the Administrative Office of the PPB in accordance with the Open Records Act.

The Board took a brief break at 9:40 a.m. The meeting reconvened at 9:45 a.m.

The Board took a brief break at 10:50 a.m. The meeting reconvened at 10:55 a.m.

The Board took a lunch break at 12:21 p.m. The meeting reconvened at 1:10 p.m.

XIII. Discussion and Possible Action on Jacket Reviews: Commutations, S.I.R. Stage I, Parole, Parole Stage I, Reentry, Medicals, Special Reviews, Aging Prisoners Parole, Stage II Commutations, and Administrative Parole – Adam Luck

The Board took action on immates who had parole jacket reviews. The vote of the Board was recorded and is reflected on each immate's ballot. The ballot for each immate is available for reproduction at the Administrative Office of the PPB in accordance with the Open Records Act.

XIV. Discussion and Possible Action on Any Unfinished Business from Agenda Items III through XVII – Adam Luck

There was no unfinished business.

XV. Discussion and Possible Action on any Tie votes or Vote Changes from Agenda Items III through XVII – Adam Luck

The Board took action on inmates who received tie votes. The vote of the Board was recorded and is reflected on each inmate's ballot. The ballot for each inmate is available for reproduction at the Administrative Office of the PPB in accordance with the Open Records Act.

XVI. New Business Not Known or Which Could Not Have Been Reasonably Foreseen Before the Posting of the Agenda – Adam Luck

There was no new business.

XVII. Adjournment – Chairman Adam Luck

All votes were declared final at the adjournment of the meeting on Tuesday August 10, 2021, at 4:17 p.m. The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Executive Assistant

The minutes for the August 2021 Pardon and Parole Board Business Meeting were approved by a majority vote on the 13th day of September 2021.