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July 28, 2017

Attn: Non-Violent Second Striker Board of Parole Hearings Correspondence NVSS P.O. Box 4036 Sacramento, CA 95812-4036

RE: Jackson, Robert: CDC V42561

Dear Board of Parole Hearings,

Thank you for the opportunity to address the Board regarding the administrative review of inmate Robert Jackson, CDC V42561, and his suitability for early release.

Based upon his criminal history of multiple alcohol and violence related arrests, violence involving law enforcement, parole and probation violations and the facts of the recent case, Mr. Jackson poses an unreasonable risk and should be not considered for early release.

Mr. Jackson's prior criminal conduct is very concerning as it stretches over 20 years and is composed largely with acts of violence. Based on his very first arrest, in 1997, Mr. Jackson was sent to prison for the first time due to a First Degree Burglary and Setting Fire to a Structure or Forest Land. He was 21 years old. Following his release, he was placed on parole which he violated in less than a year by brandishing a firearm. Once he was released on parole again he was contacted by law enforcement on June 26, 2001, and fought with officers as they engaged him. He was later convicted of Resisting arrest with force. He was once again released on parole and shortly thereafter arrested for Criminal Threats, Damage to Power Lines, Vandalism, Obstructing a Police Officer and Contributing to the Delinquency of a Minor. He was finally discharged off parole in 2003.

For the next year, Mr. Jackson was arrested on and off for being drunk in public until early in 2004, he was driving drunk in a stolen car without a drivers license and injured another person with great bodily injury. He was sent back to prison for those offenses as well as a Second Degree Burglary in another county for 11 years and 8 months. He was released on parole in 2014 and absconded. He would continue to be picked up on and off for drunk in public.

Mr. Jackson was still in abscond status in December 2016 when he came to Woodland and once again was contacted by law enforcement for being drunk in public. He told officers to "Take off that badge. I'll fight you all! I'll smoke all you motherfuckers! That's right! I will kill you!" He had to be placed in a WRAP restraint and continued his verbal assault on the officers.

Mr. Jackson poses a clear and unreasonable risk to public safety. He has shown inability or unwillingness to remain clean and sober. The supervision of parole has done nothing to stop his criminal behavior. Rather, he continues to commit crimes, abuse alcohol and fight with law enforcement when they attempt to arrest him. To call Mr. Jackson a "Non-Violent Second Striker" is to ignore his actions and his criminal history. For all these reasons, Mr. Jackson does not warrant early release.

Thank you for your time in considering this matter.

Sincerely,

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Yolo County District Attorney's Office

Re: Jackson, David CDC V42561