

SUBSEQUENT PAROLE CONSIDERATION HEARING

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

BOARD OF PAROLE HEARINGS

In the matter of the Life) CDC Number: C-17565
Term Parole Consideration)
Hearing of:)
)
RONALD RAY ANDERSON)
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CALIFORNIA CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION

TEHACHAPI, CALIFORNIA

DECEMBER 27, 2017

08:39 A.M.

PANEL PRESENT:

ROSALIO CASTRO, Presiding Commissioner
ANA SOARES, Deputy Commissioner

OTHERS PRESENT:

RONALD RAY ANDERSON, Inmate
TRACY LUM, Attorney for Inmate
ELIZABETH DE JONG, Deputy District Attorney
CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS, Unidentified

CORRECTIONS TO THE DECISION HAVE BEEN MADE

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P R O C E E D I N G S

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2 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** We're on the record.

3 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Thank you,

4 Commissioner. We're on the record. Today's date is
5 December 27th, 2017. The time is approximately 8:39
6 a.m. This is a subsequent eighth parole suitability
7 hearing for Mr. Ronald Anderson, who is present here at
8 the BPH Hearing Room at California Correctional
9 Institution. Mr. Anderson was received June 11th, 1980
10 from the County of Stanislaus. The controlling offense
11 in this case is Murder First Degree, two counts, arising
12 from a conviction in case 69119 and resulting in a
13 sentence of 25 years to life. CDCR has calculated the
14 MEPD in this case to be May 12th, 1995 and a youthful
15 parole eligibility date of June 16th, 2003. This
16 hearing is being recorded, so for purposes of voice
17 identification, we are all asked to state our name and
18 spell our last name for -- and give our role at today's
19 hearing. We'll start with myself and go to the left.
20 When we get to you, Mr. Anderson, give us your CDC
21 number as well. Rosalio Castro, C-A-S-T-R-O,
22 Commissioner.

23 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Ana Soares, S-O-A-R-
24 E-S, Deputy Commissioner.

25 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Ronald Ray Anderson, R-O-N-A-L-

1 D R-A-Y A-N-D-E-R-S-O-N, C-17565.

2 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Thank you.

3 **ATTORNEY LUM:** Tracy Lum, L-U-M-, Counsel for Mr.
4 Anderson.

5 **DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY DE JONG:** Elizabeth De
6 Jong, D-E-J-O-N-G, on behalf of Stanislaus County
7 District Attorney's Office.

8 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Thank you. We
9 also have two correctional officers in the room for
10 security purposes. They may be relieved from time to
11 time throughout the hearing. Before we proceed, Mr.
12 Anderson, I need to ask you some questions about
13 disabilities. I understand -- I noticed you walked in
14 unassisted. Did you have any, uh, problems getting here
15 as far as walking or physically getting here?

16 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, sir.

17 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** No? Are you able
18 to sit here for a couple hours?

19 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

20 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Can you hear us
21 okay?

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

23 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Can you see us
24 all right?

25 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

1 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Can you see your
2 documents?

3 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You're wearing
5 glasses, are they bifocals?

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

7 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** They working for
8 you?

9 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

10 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** We also have a
11 magnifying glass here if you should need it. I am going
12 to appoint your attorney as an ADA accommodation due to
13 your status in CCCMS. You are in CCCMS, correct?

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

15 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And that -- the
16 reason for that is?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, for PTSD and, uh,
18 depression.

19 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. How
20 long have you been in CCCMS?

21 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Um, here probably a year, but
22 I've probably been on it for the last four or five
23 years.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. I
25 reviewed the DECS database in your case and the Notice,

1 uh, and Request for Assistance Form 1073 that you signed
2 November 13, 2017 and noted your grade placement level
3 was 9.8. You have a TABE score of 10. You did get a
4 GED, correct?

5 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

6 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** In 1989. Have
7 you upgraded since then?

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh --

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Educationally?

10 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, no, sir.

11 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. Have
12 you taken any medications or any substances that would
13 affect your ability to understand questions and answer
14 them?

15 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, sir.

16 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Counsel, based on
17 the answers to these questions, I don't see any reasons
18 why we can't go forward, do you?

19 **ATTORNEY LUM:** I agree.

20 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. Mr.
21 Anderson, you also signed a Notice of Hearing Rights on
22 July 6th, 2017, acknowledging that you were given a copy
23 of those rights and you discussed them with your
24 counselor. Did you also talk with your attorney about
25 your legal rights for this hearing?

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

2 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Do you think your
3 legal rights have been met so far?

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

5 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Counsel concur?

6 **ATTORNEY LUM:** I concur.

7 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Did both counsel
8 receive the electronic files in this matter, the
9 WatchDox documents?

10 **DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY DE JONG:** Yes.

11 **ATTORNEY LUM:** Yes, I received both documents.

12 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And there were
13 additional documents, uh, today, Ms. Lum?

14 **ATTORNEY LUM:** Yes, and a copy was given to the
15 District Attorney.

16 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. We
17 have received them and we'll be making them an exhibit.

18 **DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY DE JONG:** May I inquire
19 are all pages new or just a certain portion?

20 **ATTORNEY LUM:** There are some support letters in
21 the file. The rest are not in there.

22 **DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY DE JONG:** And yes, I did
23 receive these at about 8:30 today.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right, we'll
25 be referring to them as we go and we discuss the parole

1 plans and those matters. Any, uh, preliminary
2 objections, Ms. Lum?

3 **ATTORNEY LUM:** No objections.

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right, Mr.
5 Anderson, the Panel has reviewed your Central File, the
6 Board report, the Comprehensive Risk Assessment and as
7 we review them, you are encouraged to correct any
8 mistakes that you see. We've also reviewed the
9 confidential portion of your file and we will advise you
10 in accordance with Title 15 if we use any portion of
11 that. Will Mr. Anderson be speaking on all matters?

12 **ATTORNEY LUM:** Yes, he will.

13 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Raise your right
14 hand to be sworn. Do you solemnly swear or affirm the
15 testimony you give at this hearing will be the truth,
16 the whole truth, and nothing but the truth?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

18 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Okay, you can put
19 your arm down. It's important for you to understand,
20 Mr. Anderson, that we are not here to reconsider the
21 findings of the trial and the appellate courts. We are
22 not here to retry your case. The Panel accepts as true
23 all the findings of the previous courts. The purpose of
24 today's hearing is to consider your suitability for
25 parole, and in doing so, we will consider a lot of

1 factors, including the number and nature of crimes for
2 which you were committed, your prior and -- criminal and
3 social history, your behavior and programming since your
4 commitment, and your plans for release as well as your
5 responses today. So I strongly encourage you to be
6 completely honest with us today, even if that requires
7 you to change an answer you've given in the past.
8 Please don't answer a question if you don't understand
9 it. Just let us know, and we'll rephrase it. Don't
10 make any guesses. Tell us only what you know. If you
11 don't know something, tell us you don't know. When we
12 ask you for an estimate, give us an estimate only if you
13 feel, uh, confident about that estimate. We don't want
14 you to guess, okay?

15 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Okay.

16 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So I'll be asking
17 you some questions about events and activities prior to
18 coming to prison. The Commissioner will ask you some
19 questions regarding your activities and events since
20 coming to prison -- to prison, like your programming as
21 well as your plans for the future. When we finish with
22 that, the, uh, attorneys will ask some questions. The
23 District Attorney will ask questions through the Panel.
24 Your attorney will ask you some questions directly.
25 When that's completed, we will, uh, go into closing

1 arguments. The attorneys will make closing arguments
2 and at the very end, you're going to be allowed to make
3 a statement if you desire. You don't have to. You can
4 rely on what your attorney said. But if you feel that
5 you want to talk about something that -- that you feel
6 is important that we haven't discussed, that's your
7 opportunity to do that. If you want to give us more
8 context to one of your answers, um, that's an
9 opportunity for you to do that. All right?

10 **INMATE ANDERSON:** All right.

11 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Okay, I'm going
12 to be using the Comprehensive Risk Assessment as an
13 outline for our discussion. This was, uh, prepared by
14 Dr. Kendall based on an interview with you on April 5th,
15 2016. Did you get a copy of the report?

16 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

17 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You review it?

18 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

19 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Anything at the
20 outset you want to point out about the report? Any
21 glaring mistakes or anything like that?

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, I -- I believe it was very,
23 uh, concise. Uh, at -- at first, when I read it, I
24 didn't quite, uh, agree with it, but the more that I
25 contemplated and looked it over, these were -- these

1 were issues that I -- I hadn't dealt with at the time.

2 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right, but as
3 far as the facts, what's reported in here, most of it is
4 correct?

5 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

6 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** I'm going to be
7 going over it like -- as -- as I told you, I'm going to
8 using it as an outline so you can point out something if
9 -- if there's a mistake somewhere, okay?

10 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Okay.

11 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So we'll start
12 out with your, uh, child and adolescent development. It
13 indicates that you were born in Artesia, California.
14 You have, uh, four siblings. You were the fourth.

15 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

16 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You said your
17 family, uh, relocated to Modesto when you were in the
18 sixth grade. In describing your childhood, you
19 indicated you got whipped a lot. Your dad used to whip
20 you and, um, you said you were hyper and you would
21 forget things.

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

23 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You were the kind
24 of child that would get the shit kicked out of you and
25 you would just keep on going. What did you mean by

1 that?

2 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Well, I didn't -- I wouldn't
3 think about what it was that -- why my dad was doing
4 what he was doing and, uh, I wouldn't give it much
5 thought and it -- it didn't allow me to understand that,
6 you know, why my dad did what he did and -- and how I
7 was provoking it too. I just took it on and felt like,
8 uh, I was being picked on and, uh, I didn't take the
9 time to really address the issue at hand.

10 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. You
11 also indicated that your father would yell and scream at
12 you and to this day, you don't like it when people yell
13 and scream at you.

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, sir.

15 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You denied any,
16 uh, history of being exposed to domestic violence. You
17 denied a history of being physically abused. You
18 reported, uh, being sexually abused when you were 11
19 years old. You said a kid sexually molested you by
20 playing with your penis. You didn't tell your dad
21 because your -- you indicated that your brother reported
22 he was gay when he was 15 years old and your dad kicked
23 him out, so you were scared of reporting it for that
24 reason. You indicated your brother went to live in, uh,
25 San Francisco and he eventually died of AIDS. You, uh,

1 you didn't think that you were physically abused.

2 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Well, at that time, I didn't
3 have nothing to really go by. I -- I thought that was a
4 normal childhood, uh, development, you know.

5 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Are you talking
6 about at the time of the interview with the
7 psychologist?

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** In April of 2016?

10 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Well, no.

11 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Or are you
12 talking about at the time when you were a child?

13 **INMATE ANDERSON:** When I was a kid, I just
14 thought that was normal.

15 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** What about now?
16 Do you think that your father was physically abusive?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

18 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** When did you
19 conclude this?

20 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Well, I've always known, I just
21 never really said it about my dad. I was afraid that if
22 I did say it that you guys would look at it and say "Why
23 should we let this guy go home to an abusive father?"
24 But that's not who my dad is today.

25 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. You

1 indicated you attended three elementary schools since
2 your family moved a lot. You indicated you did have
3 some problems in school such as fighting, multiple
4 fights you reported.

5 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

6 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** What were you
7 fighting about in school?

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Well, I had anger issues that
9 arrived from -- at home and I would -- I would take that
10 anger with me to school and I'd take it out on other
11 people.

12 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** How many fights
13 were you involved with in school? Do you remember?

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Oh, I'd say, uh, anywhere from
15 three to five.

16 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** What grades?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Um, I believe I had one in the
18 second grade when I was told I flunked. Uh, one in the
19 fifth and I believe one in the sixth. Maybe a couple in
20 the sixth grade.

21 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. You
22 eventually dropped out of school in the tenth grade and
23 started working.

24 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

25 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And you got your

1 GED in 1989 while -- in 1989 while housed at the CMC.

2 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

3 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You indicated
4 your first sexual experience was at age 15 with a 14-
5 year-old female. You had four or five sexual partners
6 in your life. Denied engaging in any sexual activity
7 while incarcerated at CDCR. You indicated prior to the
8 life crime, you -- you worked in construction, you were
9 doing cement work. You had also worked in the fast food
10 industry and restaurant work.

11 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

12 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You indicated you
13 were married twice, but you did not have any children.
14 You were first married in 1990. You married a second
15 time in 1993. Was that -- yeah, while you were in
16 prison?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

18 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Both of them?

19 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

20 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You reported your
21 mother died in 1982. She used to do the books for your
22 family's machine and welding shop. You indicated she
23 was a great mom. She was amazing, full of wisdom. You
24 indicated your father was 76 years old at that time. So
25 like 77 now?

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, yes, sir.

2 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** He lives in
3 Washington State. He owns a horse ranch. You saw him
4 15 months ago from 2016. You speak telephonically with
5 him once a month. Is that still going on?

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes. I spoke with him on
7 Christmas Day.

8 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And you indicated
9 you, uh, your father is no longer the same person?

10 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No.

11 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Is that because
12 of age or did he have an alcohol or drug issue or what?

13 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Oh, yeah, my dad was a drug --
14 drug user and even sold drugs. The first time I ever --
15 ever did drugs was through my dad. The first time I
16 ever really experienced drugs.

17 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So he changed?

18 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Oh, yeah.

19 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** When did that
20 change occur? Do you recall?

21 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Um, I think after my mother
22 died and then my brother killed himself. I think my
23 father started taking a hard look at himself and, uh,
24 this past Christmas --

25 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So you -- you

1 were still incarcerated -- you were incarcerated when
2 that change happened?

3 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And you guys
5 talked? Did you talk about the abuse and how he treated
6 you when you were young?

7 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No. He finally this Christmas
8 told me that he was sorry for the way he treated me.
9 Something my dad had never done.

10 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** This Christmas?
11 You mean --

12 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah.

13 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** -- a couple days
14 ago?

15 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah.

16 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. You
17 indicated one of your brothers died of AIDS and then
18 another one shot himself?

19 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

20 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Due to marital
21 difficulties?

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, yeah.

23 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** When did that
24 happen?

25 **INMATE ANDERSON:** That was in 1995.

1 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Anything else
2 about your social history you want to point out at this
3 -- at this point?

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, sir.

5 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right, you
6 had no, uh, official criminal record. Were you involved
7 in any, uh, any crimes prior to the, uh, life crime
8 here?

9 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah, I, uh, about 15 years
10 old, I started stealing gas, uh --

11 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Stealing gas?

12 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah, siphoning gas out of
13 cars. I couldn't pay for the gas for my car, uh, or the
14 motorcycle that I used to ride. Uh, when I was a kid, I
15 used to steal Snickers and Milky Way bars. Even when I
16 had money in my pocket, I would steal them. And, uh, I
17 never understood why -- why I done that and until later
18 on I realized that when we were kids, my dad had an
19 assortment of candy bars and stuff in the freezer and
20 you couldn't touch them. You weren't allowed to have
21 them at all and I think subconsciously I would just
22 steal these things as a means to get back at my dad.
23 Uh, but, you know, I would -- I would steal stereos out
24 of people's cars, uh, and then, uh, we moved to
25 Washington and I didn't do anything for quite a while

1 until I came back to California.

2 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Did you ever
3 burglarize any homes?

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, I never did.

5 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Rob any people?

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No. Not -- not prior to this
7 case in 1979, no.

8 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So other than the
9 car burglaries, these cases were the first time you got
10 involved in any home burglaries?

11 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah. Yep.

12 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right, well,
13 you were using drugs too, right?

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

15 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** That's illegal.

16 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

17 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So the report
18 indicates you were using marijuana, cocaine,
19 methamphetamine, heroin, and LSD.

20 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Well --

21 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Started marijuana
22 at -- what?

23 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah, I started marijuana at
24 15. I hadn't used methamphetamine and -- and heroin
25 until prison, yes.

1 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Right. And you
2 used heroin in -- in prison.

3 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** '96. You
5 indicated the last time you used marijuana was 25 years
6 old.

7 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

8 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And heroin was
9 just in '96.

10 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

11 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** No, in 2004.

12 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah, the last time was in
13 2004, yes.

14 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Then
15 methamphetamine in prison, the last time was in '81.

16 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, well --

17 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** The first time
18 you used. Last time in 2004.

19 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah, the first time, yes.
20 Last time I stopped using anything was in 2004,
21 September 6th, my sobriety date.

22 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** LSD?

23 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Twice in 1977?

25 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes. Never in prison, though.

1 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So 2004 is the
2 last time you used any kind of drugs?

3 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes. Yes, sir.

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** I already
5 indicated you had no official criminal record prior to
6 this case, correct?

7 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Right.

8 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So all right, so
9 there's the -- there's two cases in your -- in your life
10 crimes, the commitment -- there was a burglary on June
11 24th, 1979 of a home in Newman, correct?

12 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

13 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Do you recall
14 what happened in that case?

15 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes. Uh, we robbed, uh,
16 Bernard Marks home and his caretaker, Leonardo Luna. It
17 was Sunday, June 24th, 1979 and, uh, we went in, took
18 the safe, took some guns, ransacked the house, and then
19 left.

20 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So what did you
21 do specifically in that case?

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, I drove the car up to the
23 back of the house, went in, tied up Leonardo Luna.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You did?

25 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes. Me and Daniel Geisler

1 tied him up. And then me and Daniel --

2 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Why did you guys
3 tie him up?

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Huh?

5 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Why did you guys
6 tie him up?

7 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, so that he couldn't get
8 loose. We didn't want him to run away from us.

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right.

10 **INMATE ANDERSON:** And me and Daniel Geisler put
11 the safe in the back of the truck and then we put the
12 tarp over it and left.

13 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Were any guns
14 used?

15 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, yes.

16 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** By whom?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, I believe, uh, all of us
18 had guns. I had a 12-gauge shotgun double barrel.

19 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Was it loaded?

20 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

21 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Were you
22 intending to use it?

23 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, I would have, yes.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Even if it meant
25 killing someone?

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

2 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Was this a
3 planned robbery?

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

5 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Whose idea was
6 it?

7 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, this was, uh, actually a
8 guy named Dave Larerro (phonetic) and, uh, and -- and,
9 uh, what is his name? It's not Jeff Maria because he
10 was in the second robbery. Uh, I can't even think of my
11 other crime partner's name.

12 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So who were your
13 crime partners?

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** It was, uh, Marty Spears, me,
15 Daniel Geisler, and, uh, Darren Lee, that was his name.
16 Darren Lee's mom was dating the man and it was -- it
17 started out as a payback. That's how it started out and
18 it turned into a full-fledged robbery.

19 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Payback for what?

20 **INMATE ANDERSON:** She had -- he had done
21 something to her, I don't know, and with us kids, that
22 was a big thing back then, paying them back.

23 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So this was the
24 homeowner?

25 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah. Bernard Marks. And in

1 actuality, it had nothing to do with paying him back, it
2 was just plain and simple greed.

3 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So you said it
4 was Dave's idea or Darren's?

5 **INMATE ANDERSON:** It was -- well, there was
6 another guy involved too named Dave Larerro. Dave
7 Larerro and, uh, Darren Lee, uh, came up with the idea
8 to rob him.

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So how did you
10 know Dave and --

11 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I had grown up with him since
12 about the sixth grade. I'd known him. I'd known him
13 and I'd known Marty since the seventh and, uh, Dave
14 Larerro since about sixth grade.

15 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So what was the
16 plan?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, the plan was to go there,
18 uh, ask for gas and, uh, when you -- when they could get
19 into the house, uh, take control of the situation, they
20 were to -- somebody was to whistle and I was to pull the
21 truck up to the back of the house.

22 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** For what purpose?

23 **INMATE ANDERSON:** To rob them.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** But why pull the
25 truck behind the house?

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** To get the safe.

2 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So the plan was
3 to get the safe?

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes. That was the main focus
5 of the crime was to get that safe.

6 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** But you said you
7 went in with a gun, right?

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, I did.

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So how did that
10 happen? What happened first?

11 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Well --

12 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You parked -- did
13 you drive there?

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, Marty Spears drove there
15 and then he killed it in first gear. It was a three on
16 the tree. Marty always killed it in first or second
17 gear, always. I don't know why. He said just start it
18 up pushing the clutch, pull around the back and, uh, as
19 soon as I --

20 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You arrived in
21 the same truck?

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Oh, yeah, all of us.

23 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You all go in?

24 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, well, no. Three of them
25 went up to the house.

1 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You didn't?

2 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No. Two of them got the man's
3 attention and then somebody whistled and by te time I
4 pulled the truck up there, somebody had a gun on
5 Leonardo Luna and then I took over and talked to
6 Leonardo Luna and told him "Nobody's gonna hurt you.
7 You know, uh, we're just here for the safe." Because he
8 was scared and rightly so.

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Is this outside
10 of the truck?

11 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, he was on a -- on his knees
12 in the foyer, uh, on a tile floor.

13 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** I'm a little
14 confused because you said you -- you arrive in the truck
15 and you do get out.

16 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

17 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And go into the
18 house.

19 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

20 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And then you
21 leave and go to the truck?

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, I go in and -- and Leonardo
23 Luna is on his knees in the house. Somebody's got a gun
24 on him.

25 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You take over

1 watching him with a gun.

2 **INMATE ANDERSON:** And then I watch him and then
3 we -- me and Danny Geisler --

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Ransack the
5 house.

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** -- take him into a room and we
7 tie him up, put him on a couch or a bed -- I can't
8 remember which one it was -- and, uh, then we -- we
9 pulled out the -- the telephone wires --

10 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Did you ever hit
11 him?

12 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Huh?

13 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Did you hit him?

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, I did not.

15 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Did, uh, Daniel?

16 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Daniel hit him.

17 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. What
18 did you do after that?

19 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, well, we ransacked the
20 house, found the safe, and me and Daniel put the safe in
21 the back of the truck and then we pulled the tarp over.
22 We were pulling away ad Daniel Geisler goes "Hold on, I
23 forgot something." And he went back in the house and
24 like ten seconds later he came back, we were driving
25 down the road, and that's when he said -- I asked him

1 "What'd you go back in there for?" and he said "Oh, I
2 hit that old man in the head."

3 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right, so why
4 did they come to you with this idea?

5 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Well, they didn't come to me
6 with it. I was living with Marty.

7 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You said it was
8 Dave's and Darren's idea.

9 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Darren Lee, yes.

10 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Well, why did
11 they involve you?

12 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, I was hanging out with
13 them.

14 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Just hanging out
15 with them?

16 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah. Instead of -- instead of
17 doing what I should have been doing, I should have been
18 at home in bed, sleeping. I was hanging out, running
19 around with them.

20 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Right, and you
21 said this was payback for something Mr. Marks had done
22 to, uh, Darren's mother?

23 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So did you guys
25 know that Mr. Marks was not there?

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, no, we didn't. We had no
2 idea. We had no idea who was there.

3 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So it's payback,
4 but you don't know if he's there or not?

5 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, we didn't.

6 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Assumed he was
7 there?

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Right.

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Did he live by
10 himself?

11 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, he, uh, he had a care --
12 all I knew is that he lived there and that he had a
13 caretaker. I didn't even know about the caretaker until
14 we got in there.

15 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So where did you
16 get the shotgun that you used?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, it was given to me by my
18 grandfather.

19 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So it was your
20 own shotgun?

21 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

22 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Where did the
23 other firearms come from?

24 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, I couldn't say.

25 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So why -- why did

1 you get involved?

2 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Out of greed.

3 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Why?

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Acceptance. I was just a
5 greedy person. I didn't care.

6 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** No, I mean, when
7 they talked to you and they said "Let's go do this",
8 what was in it for you?

9 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, a share of the money.

10 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Okay. What was
11 the discussion about that? Did they think he had a lot
12 of money?

13 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah. They believed he had 200
14 grand in the house.

15 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Because you were
16 working at the time, right?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, at the time, I was.

18 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So why did you
19 need extra money?

20 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I was just greedy. I didn't
21 care, you know.

22 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So you didn't
23 need the money?

24 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Oh, I did, yes. I was -- I was
25 making probably \$2.75 an hour. Uh, by the time I paid

1 my bills, I didn't have anything left. And it was
2 easier to run around at night and steal things and --
3 instead of going to work.

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Well, you were
5 using drugs too, right?

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

7 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Did you need
8 money to --

9 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Sure.

10 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** -- support your
11 habit?

12 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Pay for it. Sure.

13 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Were you selling
14 any drugs to get drugs?

15 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I've never sold drugs.

16 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So what was your
17 drug habit costing you at the time?

18 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, I couldn't say. Uh,
19 probably 30, 40 bucks a week.

20 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** What were you
21 using?

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, her -- I was using, uh,
23 marijuana, drinking. I had taken LSD a couple times.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Were you under
25 the influence of alcohol or drugs or anything?

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, marijuana.

2 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Were you feeling
3 the effects? Were you under the influence?

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Um, pretty much. I smoked it
5 quite a bit. I don't think back then there was a day I
6 didn't go by, uh, without smoking a couple of joints.

7 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right, so you
8 obtained a safe, guns, a knife, correct?

9 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

10 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Two watches?

11 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

12 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Anything else?

13 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, I believe that was it.

14 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Any cash?

15 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No.

16 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You guys upset
17 about that?

18 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, we were disappointed.

19 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So what did you
20 get out of it?

21 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, we split up the guns.

22 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And what did you
23 get?

24 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, two pistols. Two 357
25 magnums.

1 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So it was a gun
2 safe?

3 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, there were guns in the
4 house.

5 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Oh, okay.

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** We -- we'd also grabbed some
7 guns and threw it in the back with the safe. The --
8 Bernard Marshall is, I believe, a gun collector.

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So you get these
10 guns and how did -- how were you feeling about what you
11 did at that point? You said you weren't -- had never
12 been involved in a home burglary or a robbery before.

13 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I felt charged up. I got -- I
14 --

15 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All excited?

16 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah. Yep.

17 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Well, did you see
18 -- was it Daniel hit Mr. Luna?

19 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No. No. None of us seen him
20 hit him. Uh, like I said, when he went back into the
21 house --

22 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** That's when --

23 **INMATE ANDERSON:** That's when he hit him.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** How'd you feel
25 about that?

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I didn't like it.

2 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right, how
3 much time goes by between this one -- this first offense
4 and then the second offense in Modesto?

5 **INMATE ANDERSON:** The next night. Monday, June
6 25th, 1979.

7 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So how did that
8 one start?

9 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh --

10 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Whose idea was
11 that?

12 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I believe it was Marty's. And
13 how Marty knew, I don't know. All I know is when I woke
14 up, I seen Jeff Maria out there and Jeff Maria and Marty
15 basically hated each other and that's when I went up to
16 Jeff and said "What the heck are you doing here?" And -
17 -

18 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** What are you
19 talking about?

20 **INMATE ANDERSON:** At Marty's house. I was living
21 with Marty at the time.

22 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So you're with
23 Marty and -- and what happened?

24 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Well, when I woke up, I walked
25 outside and I see Jeff Maria and I'm like "What the

1 hell?" I go "What are you doing here?" and he goes "Oh,
2 I'm gonna do a robbery with Darren Lee and Marty." And
3 I go "When did all this happen?" He goes "Oh, they want
4 to do it tonight." And then I pulled Marty up, I go
5 "What's going on?" He goes "Oh, you ain't gotta worry
6 about it. We're gonna rob this house." Now I didn't
7 like going into somebody's house and it wasn't that I
8 was better than anybody -- these guys. It was something
9 that my dad used to say. You don't never go into a
10 man's house and rob it. You want to steal something, go
11 steal a car, go -- go rob a -- a -- a company or
12 something. Don't ever go into a man's home. And it
13 bothered me, you know. I -- I was going against one of
14 these precepts that my father had always said and so I
15 tried to talk Jeff out of it and Jeff, basically he said
16 he didn't want to do it. He was only doing it because
17 of Darren, but they did it anyway. So did I.

18 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So who was
19 involved in this?

20 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, it was me --

21 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** The second one.

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Marty, Darren -- I mean, Jeff
23 Maria, and Darren Lee. Daniel Geisler wasn't there.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So you, Darren
25 Lee, and -- and Jeff Maria?

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

2 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And Marty?

3 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So they tell you
5 we're gonna be involved -- you saw Jeff and he tells you
6 "We're gonna do a robbery"?

7 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah.

8 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So how did you
9 end up getting involved? Were you invited?

10 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, no, I jumped in the back of
11 the truck.

12 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Why?

13 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Greed. I, uh, I -- I -- me and
14 Marty started arguing over him wanting to rob this place
15 and I said "Well, let's go rob a store. Let's go rob
16 anything but someone's home, you know." And deep down
17 inside I was afraid that if I didn't go, Marty wasn't
18 going to -- he -- he would tell me to leave and wouldn't
19 let me live with him.

20 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** But he didn't ask
21 you to go, did he?

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, not really, he didn't. I
23 just jumped into the back of the truck as it was pulling
24 out of the house. He even gave me this look like what
25 the hell and I went "Go."

1 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Did you, uh,
2 bring a weapon?

3 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No.

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You just jumped
5 and went?

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I just jumped in the back.

7 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Did you know if
8 they had weapons?

9 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah, they -- I -- I know Marty
10 had a -- a pistol and so did, uh, Darren Lee. Jeff
11 didn't.

12 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So what's your
13 thinking at this time?

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, my thinking was greed, you
15 know. That --

16 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Well, did you
17 know what was in that house?

18 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No.

19 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Did they discuss
20 --

21 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No. I had no -- I didn't even
22 know where the house was. I didn't. I -- I kind of
23 figured it out when we kept going around this one
24 neighborhood that it was somewhere in this neighborhood,
25 but I had no idea.

1 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right, so you
2 jump in the back of the truck and what?

3 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, we drove --

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** They drive off?

5 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah, we drive off.

6 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Who's driving?

7 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, Marty's driving. Uh,
8 Darren's in the middle, uh, and -- no, Jeff's in the
9 middle and Darren's on the door side and, uh, we first
10 drove off of Beta and then Darren and Jeff -- Darren
11 and, uh, Marty go inside for, uh, what, I don't know,
12 but they come back out and we drive around in the -- in
13 the Beyer, uh, High area and I kind of figured out okay,
14 the house is around here and then Marty pulls up behind
15 a big garbage bin and then Marty and Darren got out with
16 Jeff and, uh, we had a few words, you know, and Marty
17 said "Screw that. I'm -- I'm dedicated to this. I'm
18 gonna do it."

19 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** What kind of
20 words?

21 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Well, like, you know, "Marty,
22 why don't you change your mind? Let's go -- let's go do
23 something else, you know." And he said "Nah, I'm
24 dedicated to this. I'm gonna do it." And he walked
25 off.

1 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So something else
2 you meant, like, not a house, like, you wanted to rob a
3 business or something?

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Right. Yeah. And that was the
5 argument with me and Marty and Marty said "Nah, I'm
6 doing this" and he left. All three of them went around
7 the side of the garbage bin and walked out of sight. I
8 jumped into the front of the truck.

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Why did you do
10 that?

11 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I wished I had left.

12 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Well, I mean,
13 were you a lookout? Were you the getaway driver or --

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, I would have been. Yeah,
15 if somebody had come, I would have, but, you know, I
16 mean, I -- I don't know where --

17 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Was that the
18 plan?

19 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Not really, but, you know, if
20 somebody had come by, I probably would have said
21 something or honked the horn.

22 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So you stay in
23 the truck?

24 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

25 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** What -- what do

1 you do in the truck?

2 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, I smoked some weed and
3 waited for them.

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So what happens
5 next? You see them come out?

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, Darren and Jeff came out
7 first and they get in the truck and they tell me "Marty
8 says drive us out of here." I said "Marty didn't tell
9 you that. I don't care what you say, he didn't say
10 that." And as we're having this discussion, I look up
11 in the rearview mirror and I see a cop through the, uh,
12 houses they're building. And I'm not gonna get caught
13 there. I'm not gonna try to explain myself to anybody
14 in that situation. So we pushed the truck back. I push
15 in the clutch, turn it -- turn the, uh, car to -- it's a
16 '59 El Camino and I -- I drove in a big circle around
17 the place. As I get to Coffee Road, Darren and Jeff
18 tell me "Hey, take us to them apartments right there."
19 I said "If you want out, get out." And I just made
20 right turns all the way back to where we were, this
21 garbage bin. As I pulled up to the garbage bin, I see
22 Marty walking down the street with a shotgun case in his
23 hand. I pull the truck up to him, the truck dies, it
24 stalls and Marty gets in. I get in the passenger side.
25 He gets in and -- and finally gets the truck started,

1 revs it up and we take off. As we leave, Marty goes
2 "Where's Jeff and Darren?" I said "They left. They
3 went into some apartments off Coffee." He goes "Show
4 me." And as we drive by, I said "They went in them
5 apartments right there." He pulls in there, honks. I
6 go "They're gone. They -- they took the money and they
7 ran." He takes me home and he --

8 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So when they came
9 out of the house, they had the money?

10 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Oh, yeah, they had two manila
11 envelopes full of money.

12 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So they had money
13 and they -- you see the cop and you drive and drop them
14 off?

15 **INMATE ANDERSON:** And they had another one with
16 jewelry. I found out later had jewelry in it.

17 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You see a cop,
18 you leave?

19 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah.

20 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Drop them off in
21 some apartments?

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah.

23 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And you go back
24 to pick up Marty?

25 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Marty, yes.

1 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And he comes out
2 and he's holding a shotgun?

3 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Is that your
5 shotgun?

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, no, that was a shotgun he
7 stole from that house.

8 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right.

9 **INMATE ANDERSON:** And it was a shotgun in a
10 shotgun case that he had taken from that house. He
11 didn't take that with him. That's how I knew he had
12 stole it from the house.

13 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Okay. Gets in
14 the car and you drive him away?

15 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, he gets in the car and I
16 get in the passenger side and he starts the truck and he
17 drives us home. First, he drives us by these
18 apartments, looking for Jeff and Darren.

19 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right, and
20 then what happened?

21 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, and then he takes me home.
22 He drops me off, I go in to the house and about --
23 probably about 40 minutes to an hour, he comes back and
24 he's -- he's upset because he can't find Jeff and Darren
25 and I told him "That's your fault. That's what you get,

1 you know." And he goes -- he goes "Don't go to sleep,
2 I'm gonna show you something." And I go "I'm going to
3 bed. I'm done with this." He goes "Don't go to sleep,
4 I'm gonna show you something." And he comes back into
5 the bedroom. Me and him is sharing a room and he shows
6 me these two bloody gloves and he says "I killed two
7 people." I couldn't believe it, you know. I knew --
8 when I looked at that blood, I knew that he had killed
9 somebody. He wasn't joking. And, uh, he goes "You
10 gotta help me find them, bottom line." And I go "No, I
11 don't." He goes "Yeah, you do -- you're just as --
12 you're just as involved as I am."

13 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Find who?

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Jeff and Darren. Because they
15 -- they -- they didn't want nothing to do with him.
16 And, uh, so I got in the truck with him, we went to a
17 few places trying to find them. When I went over --

18 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Why are you
19 looking for them?

20 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, to find these two guys with
21 the money. And, uh, so I tell a friend of mine, I said
22 "Look, I know you know where" --

23 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Why would you
24 help him find the guys after he told you he'd killed two
25 people?

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, because I believed I was
2 involved. You know, when he said that -- plus, I was a
3 little afraid when he told me that. I --

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** How did you think
5 you were involved? You said you -- you just stayed in
6 the -- you just tagged along and you weren't part of any
7 plan. You were just smoking your weed.

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah, well, at that time, I
9 felt like, you know what, you are -- you're just as
10 guilty as this guy.

11 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Yeah, I'm asking
12 you why you thought that.

13 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, because I had robbed a
14 house with him the night before and I was sitting out in
15 the car that night, so why wouldn't I be just as guilty?

16 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So sitting in the
17 car that night makes you guilty?

18 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Sure, why not? I knew they
19 were robbing a house. Anything could have happened.

20 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. So
21 you -- you're out there looking for these guys --

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah.

23 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** -- to get the
24 money?

25 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes. And, uh, I seen, uh, his

1 brother-in-law was at a friend of mine's house and I
2 told him "Tell Jeff to get in touch with me. I'm at
3 Marty's house. Tell him he don't even gotta call Marty.
4 Talk to me." Because he didn't -- they didn't want to
5 talk to Marty and I didn't really put it together, but,
6 you know, they had seen him kill these people, so I'm
7 sure they're terrified and so the phone rang, Marty says
8 "It's for you." So I -- I answer it and all Jeff says
9 was "Tell Marty the money is down by your old house in
10 the -- in the bushes, you know, on the corner there."
11 So Marty runs down and he comes back and he's got a big
12 wad of money and he -- he never did see Jeff and Darren.
13 They didn't want -- they wanted nothing to do with him.

14 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** But he did get
15 the money, though, right?

16 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah, he did. I don't know how
17 much he got.

18 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** What did you get?

19 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I got 96 dollars.

20 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Why did you --
21 why did you get money? You weren't part of the plan.

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Because I was getting the hell
23 out of there. I told him "Give me some of that money.
24 I'm getting the hell out of here." All I wanted to do
25 was run home. And I didn't want to run home to -- to --

1 to do right. I figured my dad would help me get out of
2 this.

3 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So you asked for
4 money to -- to leave?

5 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah. I wanted -- I was
6 getting out of there. I was in the process of going
7 back to Washington when I was arrested on June 28th.

8 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** How did you, uh,
9 feel at that point?

10 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, at what point?

11 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** When you found
12 out that Marty --

13 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah, Marty.

14 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** -- had killed
15 these folks?

16 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, I couldn't believe it.

17 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** He killed two
18 people.

19 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah. I -- I couldn't believe
20 it. I was just -- I knew from when I looked at them two
21 bloody gloves, I knew he wasn't kidding, you know. Uh,
22 I mean, this was -- this was not a little bit of blood,
23 this was a lot of blood, very deep, uh, almost purple
24 blood and I knew right then, you know, what kind of a
25 friend am I hanging out with, you know, that he would

1 kill somebody like this, you know, and he didn't really
2 say how -- how he had did it, but I knew he -- he -- he
3 had somehow stabbed them or something to get that kind
4 of blood on them gloves and, uh, I -- I was a little
5 afraid, you know. Uh, here I am living with this guy,
6 out doing these things with him. Uh, but for the most
7 part, I just wanted to get away, you know. I wanted to
8 run from it. That's what I had always done anyway, run
9 from everything instead of facing it.

10 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And how do you
11 feel about your role in these crimes today?

12 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Very ashamed. I'm ashamed that
13 I had anything to do with it, that I allowed myself to
14 do something like that.

15 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Why? What do you
16 think you did was wrong?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Why do I think what I did was
18 wrong? It was atrocious. It was heinous. What I did,
19 I did without thinking. I did nothing but think about
20 myself.

21 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** It sounds like
22 you didn't do much.

23 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I did a lot.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You were just
25 hanging out with these guys.

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah.

2 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** The second
3 incident, it sounds like you volunteered to go.

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Did I volunteer to go?

5 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** It sounds like
6 it.

7 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, I was --

8 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You said you
9 jumped in the back of the truck.

10 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah.

11 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And that one of
12 them looked at you. I think you said Marty looked at
13 you like surprised.

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah.

15 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And you told them
16 "Let's just -- just go."

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah.

18 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** They didn't ask
19 you to participate in the second one.

20 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah. That's true.

21 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And you just
22 stayed in your -- in the truck.

23 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Matter of fact,
25 you told them not to do it. So what do you feel bad

1 about?

2 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I feel bad about my
3 involvement, that I had anything to do with this. That
4 I had taken the lives of these people. My actions led
5 to the lives of Catherine and Phillip Ranzo (phonetic)
6 being murdered.

7 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** In fact, they
8 were gonna go anyway without you.

9 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I don't believe that. I
10 believe Marty was trying to impress me somehow, you
11 know. I really do. I -- at the time, I didn't believe
12 that because I had such a low self-esteem and self-worth
13 that I had never thought anybody could look up to me. I
14 was the oldest. I should have been more responsible and
15 I wasn't and I let them down. I let all of them down.
16 I should have been a smarter friend. I should have been
17 a better friend.

18 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You told them not
19 to do it. What else were you supposed to do?

20 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I should have called the cops.
21 I should have called -- I should told his mom. I should
22 have told Marty's mom "Hey, look, man, they want to rob
23 this place." I would have rather him been mad at me
24 than this end up the way it did, two human beings being
25 brutally murdered, a woman being raped, a little 10-

1 year-old boy being orphaned.

2 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** How did you know
3 about the rape? How did you find out about that?

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I found about it when I got
5 arrested.

6 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Marty didn't tell
7 you about that?

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, he did not.

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So what led you
10 to take these actions of participating in this -- these
11 robberies, burglaries, and murder?

12 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Greed and acceptance. I wanted
13 to be accepted. I wanted to be part of the group.
14 Something that I never felt at home. I always felt like
15 an outcast at home and I felt like I was being accepted
16 here and I -- yes, it was unreal, but at the time, it --
17 to me, it felt acceptance.

18 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** I thought you
19 said Marty was trying to impress you?

20 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, I was 18 years old. I was
21 the only one that had a car. I was the only one on my
22 own. These boys were all living with their parents.
23 And I believe he was -- deep down inside, he was trying
24 to impress me.

25 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So he's trying to

1 get acceptance from you and you're trying to get
2 acceptance from them too?

3 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes. Yep.

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Any other reason
5 why you got involved in these cases?

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I can't think of any others.

7 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** The psychologist
8 reported that you indicated regarding the Newman robbery
9 -- this is the first one -- that you told your crime
10 partner not to involve you again. Did you tell the
11 psychologist that you told Marty not to involve you in
12 the Modesto --

13 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, I did. I told him "Don't
14 ever ask me to do that again." And I was referring to
15 going into somebody else's house.

16 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right, so you
17 weren't indicating that he asked you to participate in
18 the Modesto robbery?

19 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, I -- I was just saying
20 "Don't ever ask me to go into someone's house like that
21 again."

22 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** The psychologist
23 indicated that you refused the money.

24 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Did I refuse the money?

25 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Right.

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No. I took 96 dollars from
2 Marty.

3 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You said they
4 came out --

5 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Oh, when they --

6 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** -- about 20
7 minutes later --

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Oh.

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** -- and they
10 offered me money and I said no.

11 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Right. When, uh, Jeff and
12 Darren first came out, yes, they did. They offered me
13 some money. They offered me one of the manila envelopes
14 and I told them "I don't want that." But that was
15 before I found out that two people were murdered. I
16 just thought somebody had been robbed.

17 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So do you think
18 that your sentence was fair? It seems like you were not
19 a very active participant.

20 **INMATE ANDERSON:** There isn't a sentence under
21 this sun that would justify what I did. There's nothing
22 that would justify this horrendous, heinous, atrocious
23 case.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Why are you
25 guilty?

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I'm guilty because I was an
2 active participant in a double murder and a robbery of a
3 home of a husband and wife, orphaning a 10-year-old
4 little boy. I was an active participant in the Newman
5 robbery. I'm guilty, guilty as sin.

6 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Were you under
7 the influence when you guys did the Modesto robbery?

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Of what?

10 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Marijuana.

11 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** What do you think
12 contributed to your participation in these robberies?

13 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Um, my having a lack of
14 understanding myself, not knowing how to ask for help.
15 I wished I had asked for help, talked about it, talked
16 about the abuse I was going through at home, but I -- at
17 that time, I hadn't -- asking for help for me was as
18 alien as knowing who I was then, you know.

19 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Who were you
20 then?

21 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, I was, uh, an aggressive,
22 bitter, callous, coldhearted, greedy, lazy human being.

23 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Have you -- how
24 have you addressed those issues?

25 **INMATE ANDERSON:** By going to groups,

1 participating in an active way to find out who I am
2 today, to know that I could change, that I can be a
3 better person, that I can be a con -- a --

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** What's the
5 biggest change you've made in prison?

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Mine is attitude and being able
7 to ask for help. Getting off drugs, becoming drug-free,
8 helping others, changing my way of thinking.

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** What role do you
10 think that substance abuse played in your crimes?

11 **INMATE ANDERSON:** A great deal. I think
12 substance abuse played a huge part in the lack of my
13 changing when I came to prison. I didn't change one
14 bit, sir.

15 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Do you think you
16 were dangerous at that time?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir. I think I was justly
18 taken out of society for what I had done, and
19 deservedly.

20 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You ind -- you
21 indicated earlier that you were -- at first, when you
22 read this report, you -- you disagreed. What parts were
23 you disagreeing with?

24 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Well, when I first read it, I
25 noticed he kept saying denied, denied and I -- and I

1 thought, you know, why does he keep saying denied, but
2 that was -- I didn't realize that was the context and
3 how he -- he was addressing it. And --

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Denying what?

5 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Huh?

6 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** When you were
7 denying what?

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Oh, are we talking about this?

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Yeah, in the
10 report.

11 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah, he -- he -- he kept using
12 the word denied, denied and I thought why does he keep
13 using the word denied and I didn't realize that that was
14 just the way he was speaking. It was a -- a way of, uh,
15 getting the -- the point across and, uh --

16 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Yeah, these, uh,
17 reports, they say he denied a history of this.

18 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah.

19 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** That just means
20 you said no.

21 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Right. Right.

22 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You didn't have
23 any of that history.

24 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah.

25 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** But it sounds

1 kind of accusatory.

2 **INMATE ANDERSON:** It -- it -- it did and that's
3 how I took it.

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Denied this as if
5 it were true and you're denying it.

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Right. And my natural thing
7 was defensive and then I -- I took the time to really
8 look at it and I thought you know what, he's right, you
9 know. Uh, I -- I have to do some more work. There's
10 more work that I need to do to understand this, to
11 understand who I am.

12 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You think you're,
13 uh, ready to be paroled?

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, yes, I do.

15 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Why?

16 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I'm not that person that I was
17 in 1979. I'm an optimistic person. I have employable
18 skills. Uh --

19 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You said you were
20 lazy.

21 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I was lazy. I'm not lazy no
22 more. Today, I get up at four in the morning, uh, ready
23 to greet the world. I get up, I -- and read my Bible.
24 Uh, I -- I -- I do my, uh, uh, 12 Step programming, my
25 reading, my reflection book. I practice my steps, 3, 5,

1 10, and 12. Uh, I'm far from lazy today. I'm an
2 optimistic person. Uh, I'm not lazy. Uh, I'm giving.
3 I don't take no more. Uh, I give back whenever I can.
4 I help others when I can. I try to be the complete
5 opposite of everything I ever was. For once in my life,
6 I love myself. That was something I didn't do for a
7 long time. I hated myself for a long time.

8 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** When did you
9 start feeling good about yourself?

10 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Um, well, in 2004, I was in the
11 hole and I -- Sergeant Fisk had been saying little
12 things to me and I used to think why is this guy always
13 saying stuff like that at me? And when I was in the
14 hole in 2004, he pulled me out and asked me, you know,
15 "Don't you think you have anything worthwhile to
16 change?" and I go "No." and he goes "Why? Why would you
17 even think something like that?" and I go "Because I'm -
18 - I'm not. There's nothing worthwhile in me." and he
19 goes "Let me tell you something. If you were my son",
20 he goes "I would tell you this, you have something
21 worthwhile. You have you and your -- you have value and
22 you have to find out what that is." And he said
23 "Promise me something. If you get out of here today, I
24 want you to go and sign up for NA and come to me and ask
25 for help and I'll help you." And he did. Any time I

1 needed help, I would ask if I could see Sergeant Fisk
2 and he'd pull me into his office, "What's up? What's
3 going on?" and I'd tell him how I was feeling and it
4 allowed me to ask for help, something I never did. And
5 I started going to NA. Uh, it didn't take right away,
6 I'm not gonna lie. I didn't use, but I didn't really
7 start working the steps until I got to, uh, Jamestown
8 and I had somebody teach me how to start working the
9 steps at Jamestown, you know. Uh, I learned that, uh,
10 how I work it is to have an open mind, uh, to, uh, be
11 honest and have a willingness to recovery, to unite with
12 the brothers that I'm there with, uh, and -- and see to
13 my -- my own, uh, recovery by being an active part of
14 NA. Uh, I use Step 3, turning my will and my life over
15 to God, Step 5, confessing my life -- confessing my sins
16 to God, to myself, and to another human being that my
17 actions were murderous, that a woman was raped, a little
18 boy that was orphaned at 10 years old, a husband that
19 was murdered was in direct con -- con -- was in direct
20 response of my actions and, uh, 10, taking a daily
21 inventory of myself and when I was wrong, I promptly
22 admitted it, and 12, having had a spiritual awakening as
23 a result of the steps. It allowed me to tell other drug
24 addicts, gang members, uh, you know, uh, to practice all
25 these, uh, principles and all my affairs. It allowed me

1 to grow as a human being into something that I wasn't.

2 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You are also in
3 CCCMS?

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

5 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** How are you
6 dealing with, uh, depression and the things that you are
7 getting help for?

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, I deal with it by
9 addressing it. When I start feeling, uh, depressed, I
10 get up, I go, uh, listen to some music, I go exercise, I
11 go play my guitar. Uh, the P -- the PTSD, I don't
12 really feel it that more -- that much anymore now that
13 I've been addressing my issues, but I do get a little
14 depressed every now and then, but I pick myself up and -
15 - and go do something. You know, I don't sit and think
16 about it or dwell on it. I had a bad habit of, uh,
17 feeling sorry for myself. Woe is me, you know. I don't
18 do that no more. I get up and change my -- my, uh,
19 atmosphere. I change it by changing me from within.

20 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right.
21 Commissioner, any questions?

22 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Um, no, not on the
23 life crime.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Okay, let's go
25 to, uh, post-conviction then.

1 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** All right. Mr.
2 Anderson, we're now going to discuss your post-
3 conviction factors. That includes everything you've
4 done, uh, since you've been incarcerated in addition to
5 your education, your vocation, uh, vocational, uh,
6 educational experience, your work history, and, uh, then
7 we'll go on to, uh, disciplinary actions, uh,
8 programming, self-help that you've participated in and
9 we'll be concentrating on what you've done, uh, since
10 your last hearing as well. Uh, and, uh, finally your
11 plans for parole and your, uh, relapse prevention plan.
12 Uh, now as far as your, uh, education, your TABE score
13 is 10. It appears you do have a GED.

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, ma'am.

15 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Uh, when did you
16 receive your GED?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, I believe in 1989 at CMC
18 East.

19 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Okay. And I see
20 that you were assigned at times to college
21 correspondence. Did you complete any, uh,
22 correspondence classes?

23 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, yes, I did.

24 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** And which
25 correspondence classes did you complete?

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I believe it was Math and, uh,
2 Social Studies.

3 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** And, uh, in addition
4 regarding, uh, vocational, uh, education, it appears you
5 have had Office Services, Carpentry, and, uh, Vocational
6 Electronics, is that correct?

7 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes. I'm in Electronics right
8 now. Yes, ma'am.

9 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Right. Right. And
10 were you in it previously at some time in Vocational
11 Electronics?

12 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, no. No.

13 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** This is the first
14 time?

15 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, ma'am.

16 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Okay. And -- and,
17 uh, how much further do you have to go to complete it?

18 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, I believe a year and a
19 half.

20 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** And, uh, this is --
21 that's full-time, is that correct?

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, ma'am.

23 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Uh, then, uh, let --
24 let me, um, discuss briefly your, um, disciplinary
25 history. And as we -- as it was prev -- previously

1 indicated in your testimony, uh, your last, uh, 115 was
2 2004, is that right?

3 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, ma'am.

4 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** And that was the
5 mutual combat requiring use of force.

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, ma'am.

7 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Uh, and, uh, you
8 have a total of about sixteen 115s.

9 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, ma'am.

10 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** It seems before that
11 you had actually two in -- in 2004, one was use of a
12 controlled substance and what was that, uh, that you
13 were using at that time?

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, heroin.

15 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Okay. Uh, did you
16 have a heroin habit?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, yeah. Uh, I -- every
18 chance I got that I could afford it, I'd buy it.

19 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Okay. So how were
20 you able to fund your heroin habit?

21 **INMATE ANDERSON:** By working. I was in PIA.

22 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Uh, okay. And so
23 would you say -- when you say you -- every time you
24 could get ahold of it, would that be once a week, once a
25 month, how often were you actually --

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, probably sometimes once a
2 month, sometimes a couple times in a month, depending on
3 how much was there at the time and what I could afford.

4 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** And then you
5 indicated that you stopped using in, what, 2004?

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes. September 6th.

7 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Was that --
8 September 6th. So, uh, was that after, uh, the -- the
9 mutual combat, uh, the, uh, 115 or after the use of
10 controlled substance?

11 **INMATE ANDERSON:** That was during the mutual
12 combat.

13 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Okay.

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I was in the hole at the time.

15 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** All right, and that
16 was in September 2004?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, ma'am.

18 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** And that's when you
19 met, uh, rather that's when the sergeant had that
20 conversation with you?

21 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Right.

22 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Okay. Uh, so, um,
23 you also had a -- a mutual combat in 2003, so you had a
24 few violent, uh, 115s.

25 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, ma'am.

1 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Then one back in,
2 uh, 1981. Um, another -- the others were, for example,
3 possession of contraband, uh, that was reduced to
4 administrative in '94, altering a TV, destroying state
5 property, refusing to lock up, another contraband in
6 '84, uh, possession of marijuana in '81. So, um, you
7 mentioned that you stopped using all, uh, drugs in 2004.
8 So you used before then? You -- you used marijuana in
9 prison?

10 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, not really.

11 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Not really?

12 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah, I -- I wasn't a big
13 marijuana user in prison.

14 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Okay. And what
15 about -- uh, you mentioned, uh, meth.

16 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

17 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Were -- were you --
18 did you use meth a lot or was it a couple of times?

19 **INMATE ANDERSON:** About as much as I did heroin.

20 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** So you had quite a
21 bit then?

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah.

23 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** And, uh, would you
24 say you had a habit then?

25 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, yeah. Yeah.

1 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** And w -- was this,
2 uh, through what period of time are we talking about?
3 The 80s, the 90s?

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** The 90s, from '95 on until
5 2004.

6 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** And what -- what was
7 -- precipitated it? Was it just availability, that you
8 had money or -- to spend or what was -- what was it that
9 caused you to use at that period of time?

10 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, just covering up, you know,
11 covering up emotions, not wanting to deal with things.

12 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Were you involved in
13 prison politics at all?

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, not really. No.

15 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** What does not really
16 mean? You have -- you have to be participating to a
17 certain extent to get those kinds of drugs, right?

18 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Well, yeah, you do. Uh, I
19 mean, it's -- you're always -- on -- on a mainline,
20 you're gonna be dealing with politics, period, even on
21 SNY, uh, there's still politics here.

22 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Well, did you have
23 to do anything like, uh, hold any weapons or anything
24 like that in exchange for drugs?

25 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No.

1 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Okay.

2 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No.

3 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** So you just, uh, you
4 just paid for your drugs?

5 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

6 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** You never had any
7 drug debts?

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, yeah, I would -- sometimes
9 I would have some pretty high drug debts.

10 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Did you get beaten
11 up or --

12 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, I would pay them. I always
13 paid my debts.

14 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** And, uh, and -- and
15 the money that you made from working was enough to pay
16 for those drugs?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, sometimes. Sometimes I --
18 my father would help me out.

19 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Did he know what you
20 were spending the money on?

21 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, he did.

22 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** He did?

23 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

24 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Did your father ever
25 have a drug problem?

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

2 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Okay, so he
3 understood it.

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

5 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Um, I, uh, okay,
6 the, uh, as far as your -- let's go into your works
7 because you're -- you're doing the vocational
8 electronics and that's fulltime, but you have done quite
9 a bit of work in the past and, uh, you've had jobs, um,
10 you mentioned PIA. Was that machine operator?

11 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, yeah. I've worked, uh, in
12 knitting mills, uh, digital mapping, uh, pretty much
13 every prison I've worked -- been at, I've been at -- in
14 the PIA.

15 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Okay. Uh, you did,
16 uh, you also worked scullery, canteen, welding --

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

18 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** -- yard crew, porter
19 --

20 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

21 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** -- vocational mill
22 and cabinet. That was another vocation that you had,
23 right?

24 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

25 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Carpentry. Dining

1 room. Okay. Uh, so it seems you worked pretty steadily
2 there. I see forklift.

3 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Oh, yeah, forklift operator.

4 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Okay. Now were you
5 working basically in order to get drugs at that time?
6 Was that the motivation to work?

7 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, not really. I just -- it
8 just happened to work out that way. Uh --

9 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Uh, uh, let's go
10 into, um, some of your, uh, self-help because you've
11 done a lot of that and, uh, some of those that you've
12 done are here, Celebrate Recovery, the Lifer Group, uh,
13 Narcotics Anonymous. There's a rec -- recent chrono,
14 November of 2017. Refuge Recovery. That's a Buddhist
15 path.

16 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

17 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** (inaudible) October
18 '17 Celebrate Recovery, May '17 Lifer Support. You got
19 25 weeks chrono. A certificate of appreciation from the
20 Lifer Group. Um, also PREP 2012, 2013, 2014, Anger
21 Management.

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, ma'am.

23 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** 2012. Did you --
24 did you feel anger was an issue for you?

25 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah, I had -- I had a lot of

1 anger as a kid.

2 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Okay. Do you think
3 that, uh, caused you to associate with these people,
4 Marty and so forth?

5 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah.

6 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Being angry at who?
7 Your -- your dad, your --

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yep.

9 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Okay. Uh, you took
10 Impact of Crime 2011, Life Management 2011, Grief, uh,
11 work in 2011, Insight 2015, Criminon 2010. Uh, in 2015,
12 you received a laudatory for participating in Prison
13 Letters for Struggling Youth. You also participated --
14 other than the lifer group -- reading rewards program,
15 wrote book reports. Uh, and other than NA, Free at Last
16 as well. Um, is there anything I've, uh, omitted in
17 terms of your self-help that stands out? I know you've
18 done a lot over the years.

19 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, I like the book repots.
20 Uh, I like all of them to be honest. All of them have
21 helped me and, uh, I -- like I said, when I first
22 started, I wasn't -- I wasn't truly understanding what
23 it was I needed to do and when I got to Jamestown and
24 started going to the Victim's Impact and started seeing
25 the impact that we have on our victims and I stopped

1 thinking about myself, I started realizing that you know
2 what, you got a lot of work to do, buddy, you know, and
3 that's why I -- I go to all those groups. I participate
4 in them, I do the homework, I get up and talk, I've
5 become an active participant in it. I talk about the
6 rape of Catherine Ranzo. That's like a huge taboo in
7 here and I talk endlessly about it and, uh, something
8 that brought that to my attention was in 2011, the
9 District Attorney, Ms. Owens, asked me if I would be
10 willing to if I ever got out, uh, sign up as a sex
11 offender and I got upset. I made it about me and not
12 about my victims and it made me realize that she was
13 right. It's not about Ron Ray Anderson, it's about what
14 I caused and so I talk about it and believe it or not,
15 other men have come to me that have kept their secret,
16 the things that they've done and they ask me "How do you
17 get the courage to talk about that? You do it all the
18 time." And I told them "Well, first, you gotta, you
19 know, be accountable for it. You gotta tell yourself
20 you know what, this is something I need to address."

21 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Let me, uh, let's go
22 into, uh, your parole plans now. Uh, you've done, uh,
23 quite a bit of work and you're doing vocational
24 electronics. You're fairly young still, 56 years old
25 and healthy.

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes. Yes, ma'am.

2 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Uh, so what kind of
3 work, uh, would you be, uh, doing, uh, on the outside?

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, tool and die work. I'm a
5 machinist.

6 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** And where did you
7 pick that up?

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I picked that up at, uh,
9 actually I learned the trade at CMC East and I've done
10 it three or four times at other prisons. I was the
11 machinist in the welding shop. Uh, I was the machinist
12 and tool and die maker at Avenal State Prison and, uh, I
13 have some pictures here if you want to see some of the
14 work I've done.

15 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** That's all right.
16 Um, I -- I think they're in the -- the documents that I
17 have.

18 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Oh, okay.

19 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** That you submitted.

20 **INMATE ANDERSON:** But, uh, I would like to go to
21 -- to -- if I ever was released, I would like to go to
22 the -- to, uh, this first one I picked was, uh, a
23 transitional home, it's, uh, Training Center -- Training
24 Center and what they do is they work with youth. On
25 Friday nights, they go and they do a sweep of -- of

1 young men and they bring men and we counsel them. They
2 train us how to talk to them, what to say to them, and -
3 - and show them where this -- hey, this is where your
4 life is gonna go. You continue down the path you're on,
5 guess what, you're looking at your future, you know.
6 And, uh, I believe it's a year to a 16-month program.
7 Uh, I'd like to go there and do that and then transition
8 through that. Uh, I have, uh, here is a -- in mine -- I
9 don't know where she has it, but in mine, I have a pl --
10 places out of Corona alone that do tool and die, what I
11 do, and it's two sheets just out of Corona alone.

12 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Okay, you're talking
13 about, uh, places, uh, job --

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Job, yeah.

15 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** -- uh, possible, uh,
16 job opportunities.

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yep.

18 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** All right, uh, and
19 then you also have listed, uh, Francisco Homes. You
20 have a recent letter from them in October of 2017. And
21 Bible Tabernacle as well.

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, and ARC, uh, the Anti-
23 recidivism Coalition. Uh --

24 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** But your preferred
25 one would be the Training Center?

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah, the Training Center.

2 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Okay. Do they have
3 actual housing, though?

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes. Uh, an ex, uh, judge,
5 parole officer, police officer run it. They're the
6 backers of it.

7 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Uh, now as far as
8 your -- you -- you have received quite a few, uh,
9 letters of support. I'm just going to mention some that
10 were in the WatchDox. Uh, you have letters of support
11 from, uh, Janet, uh, is it McCain?

12 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

13 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Your cousin in
14 Washington State.

15 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

16 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Quite a few from
17 your family in Washington State. Uh, your father and
18 your brother are also there. Christine and Harley
19 Anderson in Toledo, Washington.

20 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

21 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Your father and your
22 stepmother wrote a letter in October 2017, offering a
23 home, room and board. Uh, mention again your extended
24 family. You have a letter of support from Patricia
25 Herbert, an elementary school teacher who is really a

1 corr -- uh, a pel pad -- pen pal.

2 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

3 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Really
4 correspondent.

5 **INMATE ANDERSON:** She's a good friend.

6 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Uh, in -- in -- in -
7 - in Connecticut that you corresponded with for a number
8 of years.

9 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

10 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Uh, and then there
11 is also a letter of support from your sponsor, which is
12 good to say, AA and NA sponsor, Mr. Thane (phonetic).
13 Uh, and, uh, there's a letter, uh, September of 2017
14 from Patricia Lewi (phonetic).

15 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Lewi.

16 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Lewi. In Southern
17 California.

18 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

19 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** And, uh, and, uh,
20 you have three cousins there in Southern California.
21 Uh, a letter from your, uh, aunt and uncle, uh, who are
22 retired here in Southern California, offering spiritual,
23 emotional support, transportation, and financial
24 support. Uh, so you have a quite a few. Uh, you -- you
25 know, you've maintained a -- a good support network

1 while you've been incarcerated. That's good to see.
2 Uh, is there anything, uh, else regarding your parole
3 plans? I assume that after transitional housing, what
4 would be your plans? Would it be to go to Washington?
5 Stay in Southern California? What would it be?

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, if I couldn't go to
7 Washington, I would -- I would -- my cousin, Deb and Ash
8 want me to live with them. They have a house they want
9 me to share the rent with. Uh, if I can go back to
10 Washington --

11 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Where -- where's
12 Ash and Deb? Where do they live?

13 **INMATE ANDERSON:** They live in, uh, Wildomar,
14 California. And if I can go back to Washington,
15 Pioneer, uh, Human Rights -- human, uh, I have it right
16 here. I've been staying in contact with this guy in
17 Washington and, uh, oh, yeah, yeah, thank you. Uh,
18 Pioneer Transitional Housing. I -- I'd like to go there
19 too if I can afterwards because this is in Washington
20 and what it is is Pioneer Industries, which owns the
21 transitional home, they, uh, build things for, uh,
22 Boeing Aircraft, uh, and a few other aircraft, uh,
23 companies and all they use is CNC mills and that's what
24 I run. It's a computer, numerical controlled machine
25 and they need people to do these jobs because it's --

1 it's -- it's a sought-after, uh, uh, uh, career and most
2 people don't want to do it because they're good with
3 computers, but they don't want to get their hair dirty.
4 And you gotta do both. You gotta get your hands dirty
5 and you gotta work with computers and I love doing it.
6 I found something that I truly love doing and, uh, I
7 been staying in contact with this guy there and he said
8 "As soon as you get out and as soon as you can, uh, and
9 you're able, contact me on the web and we'll -- we'll
10 set it up."

11 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** All right, is there
12 a -- I have no other questions. Um, you seemed to have
13 filled in a lot on the parole plans and, uh, uh, let's
14 go on your, uh, uh, onto your relapse prevention plan
15 and you have, uh, included that as well in the, uh,
16 materials you've submitted and, uh, and also that you
17 have a sponsor on the outside. Uh, what exactly do you
18 plan to do as far as your, uh, relapse prevention plan?

19 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Um, well, know my triggers, for
20 one. Uh --

21 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** What's your
22 relapse prevention plan for?

23 **INMATE ANDERSON:** It's for me so that if I do --

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** For what?

25 **INMATE ANDERSON:** -- relapse, I know what to do.

1 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Relapse into
2 what?

3 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, into drugs or even
4 violence, uh, which I don't plan to do, uh, but that's
5 what the drug prevention plan is for, just in case. Uh,
6 I've been in prison a long time and there's a lot of
7 things out there that I'm not used to that -- number
8 one, technology. Uh, things have changed quite a bit.

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right.

10 **INMATE ANDERSON:** But I know this --

11 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** That answers my
12 question.

13 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah. Uh --

14 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** So, uh, as far as,
15 uh, your relapse, you have your sponsor. I suppose you
16 were -- you intend to continue going to AA or NA
17 meetings?

18 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, ma'am.

19 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Uh, and, uh, what
20 would you do in a situation where, uh, you -- I mean,
21 you're going to have situations where you're rejected
22 because of your past, uh or you're --

23 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

24 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** -- going to feel
25 nervous, you're going to feel, uh, insecure, you're --

1 you're going to be stressed. Uh, you know, you're going
2 to, uh, uh, you've been locked up for 38 years. That's
3 a long time. So, uh, what would you do in that kind of
4 situation when you feel overwhelmed, uh, by the, uh,
5 stresses of -- of being on the outside?

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I would turn to my support
7 network. I would ask for help. First thing I would do
8 is contact my parole officer, always, every time, and
9 then contact my sponsor, James Thane, and my family and
10 get my butt to a meeting. My support group is my other
11 family too and I would stay connected.

12 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Okay. I have
13 nothing further. I'll return it to the Commissioner.

14 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Thank you. You
15 indicated in California you would go to the Training
16 Center?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

18 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** That's your
19 number one choice?

20 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

21 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And after that
22 program, you would work in Corona as a machinist?

23 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And we saw
25 several places there that you can apply.

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

2 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You would be
3 living in Wildomar with who?

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** With my cousin, Deb, and her
5 daughter, Ashley. They have an extra room. They -- she
6 wants me to come live with her and help pay the rent and
7 pay for, uh, phone and, uh, show me too how to pay bills
8 and --

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Did you get any
10 job offers from any of those locations?

11 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, no, I haven't.

12 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** No job offers
13 from anywhere?

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No.

15 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So how are you
16 gonna get from Wildomar to Corona?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, well, I -- at first, I'll
18 probably have to have a ride from my cousin. She said
19 she's gonna give me, uh, uh, a car when I get out. My
20 cousin said that.

21 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** She -- did she
22 give us letters? Your cousin, Deb.

23 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, yes, she did.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And she offers
25 transportation?

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

2 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Okay.

3 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, but, uh, I will work at
4 McDonald's if I have to. I don't care where I have to
5 work as long as I do work and not steal.

6 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** I understand
7 that, but we're --

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah.

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** -- we're talking
10 about plans.

11 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah.

12 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** If there are any.

13 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Oh, yes.

14 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** If you're saying
15 you're predisposed and you want to work, that's fine.

16 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Right.

17 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So is that your
18 choice to stay in California? I thought you wanted to
19 go work with -- wanted to go see your dad?

20 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I do, but --

21 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Before he passes.

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I think -- I think my -- my
23 best choice is to stay in California.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Well, you -- you
25 need to parole here, but then you can ask for a

1 transfer.

2 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Right. Well, then that's --
3 that's when I will go to --

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** It's not -- it's
5 not uncommon. Is that what you want to do?

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

7 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. So
8 when you go to Oregon, you're gonna live with your
9 father?

10 **INMATE ANDERSON:** In Washington, yes.

11 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** I mean, to
12 Washington.

13 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, I won't live with my
14 father, no.

15 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Where are you
16 gonna live?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I'll live with my brother.

18 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Where does he
19 live?

20 **INMATE ANDERSON:** He lives in, uh, at Lake, uh,
21 uh, I forget the name of where he lives now. It's right
22 by Sumner. It's, uh, Lake Tapps. He lives at Lake
23 Tapps.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Did we get a
25 letter from your brother --

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No.

2 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** -- offering you
3 housing?

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, my brother just -- no, my
5 brother don't write. My brother -- little brother is --

6 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** When's the last
7 time you talked to him?

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, on Christmas Day. He just
9 had --

10 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You just talked
11 to him about --

12 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Oh, yeah.

13 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** -- the
14 possibility of you going up there?

15 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Oh, yeah. He said "If you come
16 up here, come live with me. Don't go live with Dad."

17 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. Where
18 does your dad live?

19 **INMATE ANDERSON:** My dad lives in, uh, in, uh,
20 Toledo, Washington.

21 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So how far is
22 that from Lake --

23 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Lake Tapps?

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** -- Tapps.

25 **INMATE ANDERSON:** It's an hour and a half drive.

1 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So you want to go
2 up there with your brother so you can see your dad but
3 not live with him?

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, I -- I won't --

5 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** I thought you
6 wanted to work on his horse ranch?

7 **INMATE ANDERSON:** He wants me to, but I --
8 realistically, I know my father.

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Okay. So you do
10 plan to ask for a transfer?

11 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah.

12 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And you're gonna
13 live with your brother in Toledo --

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah, until I can get on my
15 feet.

16 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** -- Washington?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Or go to this transitional
18 home.

19 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** What is your --
20 what's your brother's living situation? Who does he
21 live with?

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** He -- uh, he's got his own
23 place. He's a logger. He drives a logging truck.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** He lives by
25 himself? He's not married, no kids?

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, no, he's divorced. He's
2 got three kids, yes.

3 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** That live with
4 him?

5 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No. No, they're grown up.
6 They're all either married or, uh --

7 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Does he -- does -
8 - does he, uh, drink or have a drug habit?

9 **INMATE ANDERSON:** He -- he drinks, yeah. He
10 drinks and me and him has talked about it and he says
11 he's gonna quit, but he does drink. He drinks beer.
12 He's a beer drinker and he just had a heart attack and I
13 told him, I said "That's a sign. You better wake up,
14 you know. You can't keep drinking." He -- he weighs
15 290 pounds.

16 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. And
17 you're gonna work not with your dad but in -- in
18 Washington, you're gonna work where?

19 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I would work at Pioneer
20 Industries.

21 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Where is that?

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** That's in Washington State.
23 That's in, uh --

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** What city?

25 **INMATE ANDERSON:** That's in, uh --

1 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Well, is it in
2 Toledo where your brother lives where you're gonna live?

3 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, it's in -- that's in
4 Seattle. This is up in Seattle. This is, uh --

5 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So how are you
6 gonna get there if you're gonna be living with your
7 brother?

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Well, I'm hoping by then I have
9 a car, you know. My cousin said she's giving me her
10 Honda when I get out.

11 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Okay. When you
12 go with your brother -- he lives in Toledo --

13 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

14 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** -- Washington?

15 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, my brother lives in Lake,
16 uh, Tapps.

17 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Lake Tapps.

18 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah.

19 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. What
20 are you gonna be doing when you get there? How are you
21 gonna be supporting yourself?

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I -- I'll get a job.

23 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Do you have a job
24 offer in Lake Tapps?

25 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, no, but I have a job

1 officer -- job offer in, uh, in Washington and, uh,
2 through Pioneer Human Services.

3 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** That's in a
4 different city, right?

5 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah, it's in Tacoma.

6 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Are you gonna
7 commute?

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, yeah, if I have to. I'll -
9 - I'll take the train, I'll take a bus.

10 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. What
11 do you think is going to be your biggest risk factor
12 once you parole?

13 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Drugs, staying off drugs,
14 staying away from it. Drugs played a big factor in my
15 case and drugs are everywhere out there. I know today
16 that how I started, how I got on them, what -- what the
17 ladder was, starting smoking cigarettes that is -- is
18 legal, drinking beer, beer's legal, and they led to
19 harder things. I know to stay away from all legal vices
20 or illegal vices. I know not to go to places that I
21 shouldn't go, parties, bars, old drug associates, uh,
22 bad neighborhoods, a bad relationship.

23 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. So
24 you indicated you wanted acceptance as part of the
25 motivation for your crime. Have you made a relapse plan

1 on how to rely on yourself or -- or how to avoid
2 negative influences?

3 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, I --

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Relationships?
5 Do you have a plan for that?

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, but I know today that -- I
7 know how to deal with it in myself, that I can't change
8 people, I can only change me through the serenity
9 prayer, God grant me the serenity to accepts the things
10 I cannot change, the courage to change the things I can,
11 and the wisdom to know the difference. I can't change
12 how somebody thinks about me. People are gonna like me
13 and people are gonna not like me. It's just something
14 that I had to deal with inside and know who I am that
15 I'm a decent human being. And if somebody doesn't like
16 me, they don't like me, but there's plenty that do.
17 There's plenty of people that do like me and I hang
18 around with likeminded people. I don't hang around with
19 people that use drugs on the yard. I don't hang around
20 with people that are negative. I hang around with
21 likeminded people, people that think like me now. And
22 I'm gonna do the same thing out there. If I -- if I
23 come across someone that's using drugs, I'm gone. I
24 don't want nothing to do with them. That's why I told
25 my little brother "If you're gonna drink beer, I can't

1 live with you." That's why my goal is to go to -- to,
2 uh, Pioneer Transitional Home. As soon as I finish my
3 obligations in California, I want to go to Pioneer
4 Transitional Home.

5 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. I
6 have no further questions. Commissioner, anymore
7 questions?

8 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** No further questions
9 at this point.

10 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Okay. Uh, back
11 to the report, I just want to note some conclusions. It
12 is from 2016. However, the doctor notes that you do
13 meet the criteria for cannabis use disorder, opioid use
14 disorder, stimulant use disorder in a controlled
15 environment because you're in prison. Indicated that
16 you were part of the mental health, uh, system --
17 delivery system in -- in CCCMS and we talked about --
18 for depressed mood, anxiety, and adjustment
19 difficulties. Indicated that you meet the criteria for
20 adult antisocial behavior. You also met the criteria
21 for -- I'm sorry. It indicated your PCLR score was
22 below the mean of North American male inmates and below
23 the cutoff or threshold commonly used to identify
24 dissocial or psychopathic personalities. Looked at the
25 youthful offender factors. You were 18 when you

1 committed the crime?

2 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

3 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** It notes that you
4 displayed behaviors indicative of a juvenile delinquent.
5 You were immature, impulsive, reckless, attempted to win
6 the approval of antisocial crime partners. That since
7 your incarceration, you have not matured, continued to
8 demonstrate a willingness to engage in criminal and
9 violent behavior. You had accrued a total of 16 RVRs
10 during your incarceration and 14 counseling chronos.
11 Concluded that your violence and general criminal
12 behavior were not transient features circumscribed to
13 your adolescent juvenile years. That these issues
14 remained and were areas of concern and they were viewed
15 as chronic character-based attitudes and responses that
16 the inmate will need to continue to address. Overall,
17 noted your risk for violence was moderate and that that
18 was a change from the prior report that was a low.
19 Indicated the reason for that was that he continued to
20 act in a criminally oriented fashion over the course of
21 your lengthy -- lengthy incarceration, indifference to
22 rules and consequences and your unwillingness to discuss
23 the crime in a forthright manner. At that time, he
24 didn't have a relapse prevention plan. He didn't have
25 solid parole plans. And for those reasons, it was

1 higher than the previous one. Do you think you've been
2 forthright with us today, Mr. Anderson?

3 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, I have.

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You don't think
5 you're overdoing it a bit when you're accepting
6 responsibility?

7 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No, I do not.

8 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And describing
9 the crime was horrific, what you did, but then the facts
10 are that you just went along with these guys and you
11 really weren't that involved other than the first one
12 where you held one of the persons at gunpoint. The
13 other crime you're just sitting out in the -- you don't
14 know what's gonna happen, there's no plan of it
15 happening, you're just sitting in the car.

16 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I'm just as guilty of
17 everything that happened in that house. I am guilty.

18 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. Ms.
19 De Jung, clarifying questions?

20 **DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY DE JONG:** Yes, can you
21 ask the inmate if he knows the distance between Lake
22 Tapps and Tacoma?

23 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** How far is it
24 from Lake Tapps and Tacoma?

25 **INMATE ANDERSON:** It's approximately 70 miles.

1 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You're gonna
2 commute that?

3 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Is it a straight
5 highway or is it quarry mountains?

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** It's I5 all the way up.

7 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** How long does it
8 take to get there?

9 **INMATE ANDERSON:** About -- about an hour.

10 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And have you made
11 plans for transportation?

12 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, not yet.

13 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Okay. All right.

14 **DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY DE JONG:** Does the
15 inmate know why the brother said "Don't live with Dad"?

16 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Why was the
17 brother saying not to live with your father?

18 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Because my dad has a bad habit
19 of telling people "Yeah, come live here" and my dad
20 doesn't -- he doesn't like change. My dad doesn't like
21 change, you know. My dad has changed, but he's not
22 changed 100 percent. My dad does not like change.

23 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** In what way?

24 **INMATE ANDERSON:** In having somebody else in his
25 house. Uh, the same way it'll be for me going back in

1 to, uh, around my family. It's not gonna be the same.

2 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You think your
3 dad was demeaning to you growing up?

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

5 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Do you think he's
6 talking about the same type of treatment that you might
7 get?

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Uh, possibly.

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** It could affect
10 your self-esteem again.

11 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Possibly. And that's why he
12 said you -- "Just come live with me. You know, avoid
13 Dad on that issue altogether." You know.

14 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You -- do you
15 agree with that? You think living with your father
16 would be a negative thing for you?

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, I do.

18 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Why?

19 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Because I -- I do believe that
20 my father has changed, but my father is still negative.
21 He's a very negative person. He always looks at the
22 negative in things instead of looking at the positive
23 and I don't want to be around that.

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** In 2016, you told
25 psychologist you wanted to go up there and live with him

1 and --

2 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I did.

3 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** -- work with his
4 horses and --

5 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I -- I did, but I wasn't --

6 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So is this
7 realization that he's a negative person a recent
8 realization for you?

9 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yeah, that's why I said I -- I
10 -- I didn't agree with it at first and then I looked at
11 it and thought you know what, he's right. Um, me living
12 with my dad would just be a trigger and as much as I
13 love my father and I -- yes, I want to spend time with
14 him and, uh, but I know in my heart my dad has not
15 changed enough for me to live with him. I know five
16 minutes after I'm there, my dad is gonna be like "You
17 know, this ain't gonna work out, you being here" and I'm
18 -- I'm not gonna be able to -- to have somebody just
19 shift on me like that.

20 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** I'm just a little
21 concerned that that was, uh, not something that you
22 thought about in -- in April of 2016. Right now you
23 sound pretty sure of that, like almost as if you've
24 always known that.

25 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Well, no. Uh, in fact, uh, I

1 mentioned it at the last Board. I said -- and he said
2 "Well, why are you swapping one for the other? You had
3 him as one and -- and now you're saying you would make
4 him your second." And that's why. Because I -- I
5 thought of that and thought you know what, I better tell
6 them at the Board that, you know, let them know what my
7 feelings are on this and I did and he felt that that was
8 lack of insight, but I don't believe that. I believe
9 that it was having insight. I mean, who don't want to
10 go see their dad, you know? I do. I want to go see
11 him, but I know living with my dad would not be a good
12 thing.

13 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. Other
14 questions?

15 **DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY DE JONG:** Yes, the
16 inmate stated earlier that during the event with Mr.
17 Luna, he stated "Nobody is going to hurt you." However,
18 he did tell the Board today he would use the gun had he
19 needed to. Why would he have told Mr. Luna that?

20 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Why were you
21 telling Mr. Luna no one was gonna hurt him if you said
22 you were -- you were willing to even kill someone if you
23 had to?

24 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Because I was just pacifying
25 him. He was scared. I was manipulative. I was a man

1 with a gun in his face. I would have told him anything
2 at that time.

3 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right.

4 **DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY DE JONG:** Why did the
5 inmate tell Marty "Don't ever ask me to do that again"
6 when he told the Board today it excited him and charged
7 him?

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** It did. I -- I felt -- I -- I
9 got a rush out of it. I'm not gonna lie. But I didn't
10 want to go rob somebody else's house. I didn't want to
11 go in someone's home. That was something that I had
12 always been told by my father don't do.

13 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And then you
14 volunteered to go and participate in another robbery.

15 **INMATE ANDERSON:** And I did, yeah. I did.

16 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** But you told them
17 not to do it.

18 **INMATE ANDERSON:** But I -- yeah.

19 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Telling him not
20 to do it all the way, correct?

21 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

22 **DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY DE JONG:** The inmate in
23 the psych report and today said that he wasn't involved
24 in sex in prison, yet at previous hearings discussed
25 saying he was a pincushion and was tired of it. Has

1 something changed or is he not willing to talk about
2 that?

3 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Were you involved
4 sexually in prison? The report said you -- you denied
5 any sexual --

6 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I don't remember saying that.

7 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Saying what?

8 **INMATE ANDERSON:** That I was a pincushion.

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Okay. Well, I'm
10 just -- the report says you denied any history of sexual
11 behavior in prison.

12 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I -- I was raped in prison, but
13 I wasn't gonna say nothing.

14 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right.

15 **INMATE ANDERSON:** But I never said that I was a
16 pincushion.

17 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right, other
18 questions.

19 **DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY DE JONG:** Uh, one final
20 question. The inmate stated other inmates come to him
21 and tell him about secrets that they have kept. What is
22 the inmate's secret that he has kept regarding the Ranzo
23 crime?

24 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Is there a secret
25 that you kept about the Ranzo crime?

1 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No. I'm -- I'm talking about -
2 - talking about the rape. Other men that keep that a
3 secret in prison. There's two things you don't do in
4 prison, rape and child molestation. They're big, you
5 know, like people wear them like badge of honors. Uh,
6 that somehow your crime is better than my crime and in
7 prison, that's just one of them things that people tend
8 to, uh, look down on and I speak about --

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** So when you were
10 -- when you were talking about how they were talking to
11 you about the courage that you had to talk about your
12 case, you're talking about your -- your crime as it
13 involved the rape?

14 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Right.

15 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** But your crime
16 is, uh, murder, robbery, and burglary.

17 **INMATE ANDERSON:** But a woman was raped.

18 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Right, but they
19 wouldn't know that from these facts.

20 **INMATE ANDERSON:** It doesn't matter. That's why
21 I'm saying I talk about it regardless.

22 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You talked about
23 it?

24 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

25 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Okay. So you

1 weren't referring to some other secret that you had?

2 **INMATE ANDERSON:** No. No.

3 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right.

4 **DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY DE JONG:** Nothing
5 further. Thank you.

6 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right. Ms.
7 Lum, questions for your client?

8 **ATTORNEY LUM:** If housing in Washington doesn't
9 work out with your brother or your dad, do you have
10 transitional housing in Washington?

11 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

12 **ATTORNEY LUM:** No further questions.

13 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** All right,
14 closing, Ms. De Jong.

15 **DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY DE JONG:** Yes. Um, I --
16 I appear here pleading to the Board to deny parole for
17 this inmate. I have been appearing at these hearings
18 since 2011 for all four crime partners, including going
19 to the capital, arguing to the governor to overturn two
20 grants for two of the crime partners, which the governor
21 has agreed. This inmate here has not upgraded
22 educations since 1989, has continued to be a violent
23 inmate, and his parole plans, at a minimum, are not
24 firm. However, they're inconsistent and poor,
25 contradicting each of his job offers, each of his

1 residence plans. Talked very recently in 2016 and 15
2 about plans with being, uh, with his father on a horse
3 ranch and now saying that he's going to stay with a
4 brother who drinks, which is a -- a primary problem here
5 because the inmate has not completely addressed his
6 addiction problem. Um, any addict who has addressed
7 that and acknowledged and owned their addiction start
8 out very clearly with saying my name and I am an addict.
9 There is no hesitation. There is no yeah, um, I am an
10 addict. Here, Mr. Anderson, after spending all of this
11 time since 2004 when he claims he last used and still
12 hasn't gotten to that point. When asked on two
13 different occasions today by the Board about his drug
14 use, he's hesitant, using the words yeah, um, yeah. In
15 the crimes in this offense, they involve two, the first,
16 the inmate addresses that he was charged and excited.
17 In the second, he said that he didn't want them to go
18 into someone's home, it bothered him, yet he volunteered
19 to go. He stated that while he saw a -- a patrol car in
20 the area, he left because "I'm not gonna explain myself
21 to someone." He stated "All I wanted to do was run
22 home", yet he didn't. Yet, he took money from the
23 Ranzos and he took money and guns from the Lunas. The
24 inmate stated that "Marty was trying to impress me", yet
25 repeatedly, Mr. Anderson has said he's a follower, not a

1 leader. He quoted "I didn't change one bit when I came
2 to prison. Justly and deservedly I've taken -- been
3 taken out of society for what has been done." And the
4 defendant -- or the inmate here clearly said when
5 looking at the psych report in April of 2016 he was in
6 disagreement with it. And then that changed, that he
7 was able to own it or acknowledge it some bit, but that
8 was only April 2016. Today, he tells the Board "There's
9 more work that I need to do", and that was his quote.
10 When asked if he is ready for parole, there's a delayed
11 answer and I think that is solidified by the fact that
12 he has no real plan. His risk assessment has increased.
13 In 2016, the report went from, uh, low to moderate,
14 which is of great concern. The youthful offender
15 factors are not present here as well because he's not
16 matured in prison and he's remained a criminal. And for
17 those reasons, we ask that parole be denied for at least
18 five years.

19 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Thank you. Ms.
20 Lum, your closing.

21 **ATTORNEY LUM:** This was a horrendous crime 38
22 years ago and it's still horrendous today. I'm not
23 gonna dispute that. However, we're here to determine if
24 Mr. Anderson is now suitable for parole and I believe
25 he's no longer an unreasonable risk. There are several

1 facts the Panel should consider. First, although
2 nervous, he has been candid and forthright. He takes
3 full responsibility for the murders of Mark and
4 Catherine Ranzo and for injuring Mr. Luna. He is
5 remorseful. He's drafted letters of apology. He's
6 changed his behavior. He's made efforts at giving back.
7 The crime is a static, unchanging factor and 38 years
8 has elapsed. In addition, he was only 18 years old with
9 a tenth grade education. His young age and complete
10 immaturity at the time of the crime must be considered
11 by the Panel. Under the mandates of SB 261, you must
12 give great weight to the diminished culpability of youth
13 as compared to adults, the hallmark features of youth,
14 and any subsequent growth and maturity. The risk
15 assessment dated April of 2016 notes on Page 15 that he
16 displayed behaviors indicative of a juvenile delinquent.
17 He was immature, impulsive, reckless, attempted to win
18 the approval of antisocial crime partners. In addition,
19 the Panel must also consider his role in the crime. He
20 admits guilt and takes full responsibility, but the fact
21 remains that he waited in the car and was the only
22 defendant to express concern prior to that the Ranzos
23 would be injured. These facts were noted by Governor
24 Brown in codefendant Maria's recent reversal dated
25 November of 2015, which I have a copy of here if the

1 Panel wants to review his role in the crime. Continued
2 reliance on static factors such as the offense, to deny
3 parole in light of his lengthy 38-year incarceration and
4 rehabilitative efforts is contrary to case law. The
5 suitability factors pursuant to Lawrence weigh in his
6 favor. He has no juvenile record, no history of
7 violence or assaultive behavior. He's never failed
8 previous attempts to correct his behavior. He's never
9 failed on probation or parole, no prior prison terms, no
10 history of mental illness, no gang ties, and he's been
11 sober since 2004. He has received numerous 115s in the
12 past and I will not justify those, however, the last was
13 over 13 years ago. The last counseling chrono was nine
14 years ago. Mr. Anderson was given a Comprehensive Risk
15 Assessment in 2016 and found to be a moderate risk.
16 Through no fault of his own, a new or updated risk
17 assessment was not given since his last hearing,
18 however, he's had an additional 18 months to address the
19 concerns noted. Page 15 indicates he should be
20 commended for completing educational, employment, self-
21 help, and vocational goals, but four areas of concern
22 remain. The inmate minimized his participation in the
23 life crime was the first one noted. It's evident in the
24 probation report, Page 7, that no direct evidence shows
25 he ever entered the Ranzo home. He recognizes equal

1 responsibility, but his role is minimal compared to the
2 others who entered. Concerns two, three, and four state
3 no housing, employment, or relapse plans. Mr. Anderson
4 had them then and he has them today. Parole plans,
5 marketable skills, and relapse plans for mental health,
6 anger, and substance abuse. The parole plans before the
7 Panel today serve to mitigate Dr. Kendall's concerns.
8 In addition, there were a few errors in this exam. Page
9 16 states he continued to act criminally -- in a
10 criminally oriented fashion with behavioral violations.
11 This concern makes no sense considering his last 115 was
12 13 years ago. Page 2 quotes Mr. Anderson stating his
13 dad whooped the shit out of him, then goes on to state
14 in the next sentence that he denied physical abuse. In
15 previous risk assessments, Mr. Anderson was determined
16 to be a low risk in 2011, a low risk in 2001, a lower
17 than average risk in 1994, a decreased risk in '93, and
18 no more than average in '89, and low in 1983. Risk
19 assessments do not dictate the Board's decision. The
20 mitigation presented to address these concerns today
21 would certainly have lowered the -- the moderate risk
22 given in 2016. Unlike Shaputis I or II, he's been
23 willing to answer your questions. He's shown remorse
24 and adequate insight and does have low risk assessments
25 supporting parole. He enhanced his ability to function.

1 He's got a GED, some college, vocational certifications
2 in Office Services, Forklift, Carpentry, Pre-vocational,
3 experience in PIA Metal Fabrication, Textiles, Tool and
4 Die. He's been a teacher's aide. He's now in
5 electronics. He's had above average to exceptional work
6 reviews. He's availed himself to self-help, NA, AA,
7 Celebrate Recovery, Insight, Criminon, Anger Management,
8 CCCMS, Letters for Struggling Youth. He has solid,
9 realistic parole plans. His first choice is the
10 Training Center in California and he has alternative
11 plans as well, marketable skills, a resume. He's
12 written out a relapse plan. He already has an NA
13 sponsor in place. He's served 38 years on his life
14 sentence. His minimum eligible parole date was 22 years
15 ago. He's now 56 years old. His current age reduces
16 his risk of recidivism. The District Attorney offered
17 her opinion, but reliance on the commitment offense or
18 other static factors does not make him dangerous in
19 itself. He does have solid parole plans in California.
20 He's been sober since '04. "Yeah, um, yeah" does not
21 make him a danger to society, it indicates his
22 nervousness today. The advice of the last Panel was
23 taken seriously. All recommendations were followed.
24 The Board must look at the passage of time and the
25 efforts put forth and your decision must not be

1 arbitrary or capricious. To deny parole today based on
2 the crime or a lack of perfected insight would be
3 arbitrary. In light of the fact, perfection is not
4 required. His insight is adequate. His testimony
5 today, his programming, his behavior the last 13 years
6 and the great weight that must be given to youth
7 offenders, we ask that you follow the law and grant
8 parole. Thank you.

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Thank you. Mr.
10 Anderson, would you like to make a statement?

11 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

12 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Go ahead.

13 **INMATE ANDERSON:** I've been addressing the Board
14 Panel for a while and I have a greater appreciation for
15 you. Thank you for allowing me this opportunity and for
16 prior recommendations to improve myself. I recognize I
17 was given mercy and the Ranzos were not. I cannot
18 change the atrocious, heinous murders of Catherine Ranzo
19 and Phillip Ranzo and the orphaning of their son, Mark
20 Ranzo. I forever destroy the Ran -- the -- the Ranzos
21 lives and that of Mark Ranzo as well as his loved ones,
22 his family members, and his friends. I could never know
23 the full impact of the murder, rape, and torture brought
24 to bear on the Ranzo family and his aunt, uncles,
25 cousins, grandparents, and friends. Their pan will

1 never cease, and I recognize this. What I have changed
2 is my callous and criminal mentality. Today, I am not
3 who I was in 1979. I am now someone who deals with his
4 life on a day to day basis, drug-free, not running away
5 from my responsibilities. I have found myself, the
6 little kid I love so much that was drowned by fear and
7 anger. My drive and purpose is to never create a victim
8 again and to continue -- continually be an example to
9 others of what not to become. I've gained empathy.
10 Today, my core belief is love, integrity, patience, and
11 understanding for others and to love my neighbors as
12 well as myself. I can never change my past. I will
13 always carry it with me as a reminder to always give
14 back wherever and whenever possible. As a kid, I had no
15 faith and nothing to believe in but the distorted and
16 warped belief system I followed, a belief system where I
17 normalized violence and murder. Today, I believe in
18 God, his son, and a faith that plucked me out of the
19 grip of drug addiction and violence. I have employable
20 skills as a CNS mill and lathe operator and programmer.
21 But more than having a trade or two to fall back on, I
22 have a good attitude and what I will never do is resort
23 to criminality or drugs. Drugs will be the biggest
24 challenge in the real world. I will see who is coming -
25 - I am -- I see who is coming back to prison and it's

1 drugs that drive the negative impulsive actions. I talk
2 endlessly to others concerning drug use. Today, I love
3 myself and I cannot say I hate my old self. Only the
4 negative environments I was exposed to and how I dealt
5 with my issues. Today, I am a giver, not a taker.
6 Today, I love not hate. I act in a positive way, not
7 negative. I do not live -- I do not live a life of
8 turmoil and stress environments and a criminality and
9 drug -- that drugs produce. I live in peace with the
10 world around me. I am no -- I am by no means perfect.
11 I am still get up -- upset and angry over some things,
12 but today, I deal with my anger in a calm and rational
13 manner without resorting to violence or drug use.
14 Please give me the opportunity to make amends. I will
15 not disappoint. I have a chance to show I have changed
16 into someone who will appreciate and cherish freedom,
17 never ever resort to crime or violence or drugs ever
18 again.

19 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Thank you, Mr.
20 Anderson.

21 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Thank you.

22 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** For the record, I
23 don't know if we covered it. I may have missed it, but
24 we also had a letter of opposition from Israel Garza
25 that we considered. All right. With that, than we will

1 recess for deliberations.

2 **DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY DE JONG:** I do have --

3 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Time is --

4 **DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY DE JONG:** I do have a
5 victim impact letter --

6 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Oh.

7 **DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY DE JONG:** -- that, um,
8 I'd like to read if that's possible.

9 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Yes.

10 **DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY DE JONG:** Um, the
11 victim's next of kin have been present at nearly 20 of
12 these hearings. Uh, they have never missed one and they
13 had a family emergency and they submitted a letter to me
14 to read.

15 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Okay. I did not
16 know that.

17 **DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY DE JONG:** December 25th,
18 2017. Another Christmas dinner with two empty chairs at
19 our table. Each year at Christmastime, we pray that
20 another family does not have to suffer the loss of their
21 loved ones to unnecessary violence. It does not get
22 easier as the years pass and there will never be
23 closure. To schedule this parole hearing right after
24 Christmas in this location so far away from the crime
25 scene is telling the surviving victims that our lives

1 are not important, only the criminal. You scheduled
2 this hearing so far away to discourage the victim from
3 having to attend to represent their murdered family
4 members, again making the criminal's feelings more
5 important than reality. His callous and selfish
6 disregard for human life, except his own, is why we are
7 here. When the criminal offense is not considered in
8 the parole hearing, it's like saying the victims never
9 existed, that they weren't even born. To deny the
10 criminal offense is to say that there isn't any
11 responsibility on the part of the criminal, which
12 ultimately says that the criminals aren't responsible
13 for their behavior. When Anderson participated in these
14 multiple murders, he did not suffer from diminished
15 capacity. These premeditated multiple murders and
16 robbery tells more about his character than his lack of
17 understanding. He used his free will to participate in
18 the destruction of two innocent people, sending terror
19 throughout the community, denying what happened because
20 all he did was sit in the car. He does not accept
21 responsibility for his participation in the crime and he
22 will not accept responsibility for anything if he does
23 get released from prison. Criminals don't think their
24 victims have any rights. Phillip and Cathy didn't get a
25 second chance at life. Anderson turned his back and

1 drove away. To this day some many years later, there
2 are adults in the community who were children at the
3 time remember their parents being totally afraid. He
4 made Phillip and Cathy's only son an orphan. He broke
5 the hearts of Phillip and Cathy's parents and family
6 members. Because of the seriousness of the crime, you
7 were sentenced accordingly. Just because a few laws
8 changed does not make you suitable for parole. You were
9 then, you are now, and you will be a danger to society.
10 The reality that some do not want to face is that you
11 were part of a crime that took multiple lives. The
12 reality is that you were too compliant when Phillip and
13 Cathy were slaughtered and now you would get into the
14 same situation because you don't think you should be
15 punished for what your crime partners did. You helped
16 them do it. That is reality. The reality is you could
17 do it again and will always be someone else's problem
18 because you thought you got a raw deal. Phillip and
19 Cathy got a raw deal. Their son, Mark, got a raw deal.
20 The family was never afforded counseling or an
21 education. We continue to get a raw deal. If this
22 criminal of multiple murders is released, who will be
23 responsible for his continued lack of character and lack
24 of responsibility if set free. And at each of these
25 hearings, the next of kind was always present with a

1 photograph of Phillip and Cathy Ranzo. Phillip, a
2 pharmacist, a graduate at University of Pacific, and
3 Catherine, who owned a hair salon.

4 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Okay, thank you.
5 With that, we will recess for deliberations. Time is,
6 uh, 10:40 a.m. Thank you.

7 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Off the record.

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DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES: On the record.

PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO: Thank you, Commissioner. We're on the record. The date is December 27th, 2017. The time is approximately 11:18 a.m. We have reconvened for the pronouncement of the Panel's decision. All the parties present prior to the break have returned. By way of background, Mr. Anderson was received by CDCR on June 11th, 1980 from the County of Stanislaus. The controlling offense in this case is two counts of Murder First Degree, arising from a conviction in case 69119 and resulting in a sentence of 25 years to life. According to a determination by case records, Mr. Anderson qualifies as a youthful offender pursuant to Penal Code Section 3051. The victims in this case were Phillip and Catherine Ronzo, last name R-O-N-Z-O.

DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY DE JONG: Pardon me, R-A-N-Z-O.

PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO: R-A-N-Z-O? Thank you for that. According to the California Supreme Court, in making a parole eligibility decision, this Panel must not act arbitrarily or capriciously and must

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1 consider all relevant and reliable information
2 available. When a prisoner has committed his or her
3 controlling offense as defined in subdivision A of Penal
4 Code Section 3051 prior to attaining 23 years of age,
5 the Board shall give great weight to the diminished
6 culpability of juveniles as compared to adults, the
7 hallmark features of youth, and any subsequent growth
8 and maturity of the prisoner in reviewing a prisoner's
9 suitability for parole pursuant to Penal Code Section
10 3041.5. In this case, the Panel has read and considered
11 the written record before us, including the Central
12 File, the Comprehensive Risk Assessment, which did take
13 into consideration the diminished culpability of
14 juveniles as compared to adults, the hallmark features
15 of youth, and any subsequent growth and maturity of the
16 prisoner, the additional documents submitted during this
17 hearing, and all of the written responses received from
18 the public. The confidential portion of the Central
19 File was reviewed as well, but the Panel did not rely on
20 any information contained there due to lack -- due to
21 passage of time, I'm sorry. The Panel also considered
22 the testimony presented at this hearing by Mr. Anderson
23 himself and the input of the victim's next of kin, um,
24 through the District Attorney's reading of their letter.
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1 The fundamental consideration in making a parole
2 eligibility decision is whether the inmate continues to
3 pose a current unreasonable threat to public safety upon
4 the inmate's release. Accordingly, a denial of parole
5 must be based upon evidence in the record of the
6 inmate's current dangerousness. Having these legal
7 standards in mind and after giving great weight to the
8 diminished culpability of juveniles as compared to
9 adults, the hallmark features of youth, and any
10 subsequent growth and maturity of the prisoner, we find
11 that Mr. Anderson does not pose an unreasonable risk of
12 danger to society or a threat to public safety and is
13 therefore eligible for parole. While the record does
14 reflect some circumstances tending to show unsuitability
15 for parole, these are outweighed by other circumstances
16 tending to show suitability. Regarding the, uh,
17 unsuitability factors, we first considered the crime,
18 which we felt was heinous and horrific. Uh, Mr.
19 Anderson participated in a, uh, murder of two people,
20 robbery, and the rape of one of the victims. His
21 reasons for committing the crime, greed and acceptance
22 by his peers, in no way justified his actions. He had
23 an unstable social history as well. He indicated he was
24 whipped a lot by his father, suffered abuse, uh,

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1 physical abuse as well as emotional abuse by his father
2 yelling and screaming at him. He also reported being
3 sexually abused. He indicated he was involved in
4 multiple fights out of anger, dropped out of school as
5 well. He also had prior criminality prior to the crime.
6 He admitted being involved in stealing gasoline at 15
7 years of age, involved in shoplifting items like candy,
8 indicated he participated in car burglaries and
9 participated in drug use as well. However, the Supreme
10 Court has ruled that after a long period of time,
11 immutable factors such as the commitment offense, the
12 prior criminality, unstable social history may no longer
13 indicate a current risk of danger to society in length
14 of a -- in light of a lengthy period of positive
15 rehabilitation. In this case, approximately 38 years
16 have passed and many of the circumstances that tend to
17 show suitability pursuant to Title 15 Section 2402
18 Subdivision D are present in this case. Initially, Mr.
19 Anderson committed the crime as a juvenile with a
20 diminished culpability as compared to that of adults.
21 He was 18 years old at the time. Juveniles are more
22 vulnerable and susceptible to negative influence and
23 outside peer pressures including family peer pressure,
24 exposure to deviant peer -- peers leads to increased

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1 deviant behavior and is a consistent predictor of
2 adolescent delinquency. We found that that was a factor
3 that was evident in Mr. Anderson's case. He indicated
4 himself part of the motivation for the crime was the
5 peer pressure and the feeling of acceptance that he was
6 seeking from his peers. He also exhibited hallmarks of
7 youthfulness at the time of the crime. We agreed with
8 the clinician's statement at Page 15 that the inmate
9 displayed behaviors indicative of a juvenile delinquent.
10 He was immature, impulsive, reckless, and attempted to
11 win the approval of his antisocial crime partners. Mr.
12 Anderson also did not possess a significant history of
13 violent crime. He only discussed, uh, a few school
14 fights. He has shown, uh, signs of remorse and
15 acceptance of responsibility. He, although not very
16 emotional, we didn't see any tears, we see tears
17 currently, um, but he did express his remorse. It was
18 clear to us that he understood the magnitude of his
19 offense and his role in it and in discussing the crime,
20 describe -- describing his acceptance of responsibility,
21 uh, he appeared genuine and definitely contrite about
22 the -- the matters. He is of an age that reduces the
23 probability of recidivism as well, 56 years old, an age
24 that statistically reduces the probability of

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1 recidivism. He's engaged in institutional activities
2 that indicate an enhanced ability to function within the
3 law. He's participated in AA/NA. It's clear to us that
4 he knows the steps and that he's working them.

5 Participated in Celebrate Recovery, Anger Management,
6 Impacts of Crime, Criminon, and took courses in insight
7 as well, among others. He has made realistic plans for
8 release. His California plans are -- are fine.

9 Transitional housing with Training Center and then
10 living with family in Wildomar and working in Corona.
11 His plans for Washington are acceptable as well. He can
12 still work on them. There's some inconsistencies in his
13 plan as far as his work and where he's gonna live, but
14 if he paroles to San Diego to the Training Center, he's
15 gonna have some time, especially if you then parole to
16 your family's residence in Wildomar, you're gonna have
17 time to work on your plans in Washington. They need a
18 little bit more work as you saw from our questioning.

19 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

20 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** There's some
21 basic answers that have to make sense.

22 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

23 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** If you're gonna
24 live in a certain town and you're gonna work, you know,

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1 that needs to be feasible and workable.

2 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

3 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** And it's clear to
4 us it sounds like you really want to go to Washington,
5 so you need to work on those, but they're fine for now
6 because you are going to be in California.

7 **INMATE ANDERSON:** All right.

8 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You, uh, you lack
9 serious misconduct in prison since 2004, uh, your mutual
10 combat 115. So that's 13, 14 years ago so we felt that
11 you've shown recent maturity for a significant amount of
12 time and that you've not incurred additional
13 disciplinary action. You last used drugs September 6th,
14 2004 was the date you gave us.

15 **INMATE ANDERSON:** That's right.

16 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** That's also a
17 significant amount of time, 13 years combined with your
18 knowledge and your demonstrated ability to work the
19 steps, uh, that you've shown us. We felt that you had
20 addressed that issue as well. Your insight is not
21 perfect, uh, but you did identify substance abuse, which
22 was a contributing factor. You were using marijuana
23 during one of the crimes. You said you stayed out in
24 your car and smoked a bowl of marijuana while the crime

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1 was happening. You've, uh, identified negative peers as
2 also a -- a source of, um, you know, caution for you
3 that you need to be on the lookout for and I think that
4 you're beginning to do that. You've also identified
5 that you were seeking acceptance. Uh, you've come up
6 with relapse prevention plans that you know very well
7 for your substance abuse and -- and violence. As I
8 said, they're not perfect. You could work on, um, the
9 issue of relationships and more on negative peers --

10 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Okay.

11 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** -- uh, because
12 that was something that you identified, um, and you can
13 work on a little bit more, but, however, we felt that
14 your insight was overall adequate for -- for the issues
15 that you've identified and we did not feel that as a
16 result of your -- of your imperfect insight that you
17 would be dangerous society. We felt that you understood
18 the impact and the magnitude of -- of your crime. We
19 looked at the Comprehensive Risk Assessment prepared by
20 Dr. Kendall and approved April 21st, 2016. As I said,
21 it did consider the hallmark features of you, thought
22 that they were present during your crime at the age and
23 the way you were acting back then. Didn't feel that
24 they were solely responsible for your character because

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1 you went into prison and you did commit some more, uh,
2 rule violations and some drug use and continued to act
3 out, uh, but we -- we felt that some of the deficiencies
4 that were pointed out like your relapse prevention plans
5 and your parole plans, we felt that in the time that has
6 passed that you've worked on that and you've addressed
7 some of those issues. And we made our own determination
8 in any event in this case. Overall, just based on your
9 age at the time of the crime, the -- your age now, your
10 lack of misconduct in the past 13, 14 years, your
11 improved insight, and your acceptance of responsibility
12 and -- and indication and insight into the magnitude of
13 the crime led us to the conclusion that you do not pose
14 an unreasonable risk of danger or a threat to public
15 safety at this time. Commissioner, any comments?

16 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** No, nothing to add.
17 Uh, thank you, Commissioner. I concur in the decision.

18 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Thank you. This
19 decision is not final. The decision will become final
20 after 120 days and only after review by the BPH Decision
21 Review Unit. This decision will then become effective
22 after 30 additional days during which time the governor
23 may review the decision. You'll be notified in writing
24 if there are any changes to that decision. And you

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1 heard today some mention of governor reversals. Those
2 can happen in this case so this -- this is not a final
3 determination.

4 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

5 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** You gotta get
6 some more green lights before you're actually released.

7 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes, sir.

8 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** We did your, uh,
9 term calculation. Uh, based on your, uh, first degree
10 murder occurring after 1978, your life term start date
11 of June 11, 1980, and your base offense of first degree
12 murder, it carries a base term of 30 years. We didn't
13 aggravate or mitigate based on your role in the crimes,
14 uh, was rather passive. So your adjusted base term was
15 360 months. You've served 37 years. We found that you
16 had ten ineligible years for the 115s that you did
17 commit. You had 25 satisfactory years and two exemplary
18 years for the, uh, getting your GED and your -- and the
19 programming that you've done overall and we gave you a
20 year of credit for that. So your total post-conviction
21 credit calculation is 112 months. Total prison term is
22 248 months. Having said that, though, as a youthful
23 offender and under current law, you'll be eligible to be
24 released once you get all those green lights once we

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1 find you eligible. That's pursuant to Penal Code
2 Section 3046C. As far as, uh, conditions of parole,
3 you're gonna be subject to all the general conditions of
4 parole as required by Penal Code Section 2512 as well as
5 any special considerations -- conditions of parole
6 imposed by DAPO and as permitted by Penal Code Section
7 2513. And based on that statutory authority, we also
8 impose that you participate in a psychiatric evaluation
9 and any treatment deemed appropriate for successful
10 adjustment to parole. And that's based on you
11 participation in CCCMS and that's not necessarily a bad
12 thing. Get evaluated and if you, uh, need assistance,
13 they help you with it. And I think we recognize you
14 said you're able to ask for help now, so --

15 **INMATE ANDERSON:** Yes.

16 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** -- that's an area
17 that you should use. It's for your own benefit.

18 **INMATE ANDERSON:** All right.

19 **PRESIDING COMMISSIONER CASTRO:** Uh, and based on
20 your history here in prison, we think that that's an
21 appropriate condition. We're also gonna ask you to
22 abstain from alcohol and illicit drug use. Substance
23 abuse was part of your history, led to your involvement
24 in this case, and you were actually using marijuana

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1 during one of the offenses, so we felt that that was an
2 appropriate, uh, special condition of parole. With
3 that, I want to thank everybody for their participation
4 and their patience. The hearing is concluded. Time is
5 11:32 a.m. Thank you.

6 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOARES:** Off the record.

7 **A D J O U R N M E N T**

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