



KATE BROWN
Governor

March 9, 2020

The Honorable Peter Courtney
President of the Senate
900 Court Street NE, S-201
Salem, OR 97301

The Honorable Tina Kotek
Speaker of the House
900 Court Street NE, Room 269
Salem, OR 97301

Dear President Courtney and Speaker Kotek:

ORS 144.660 directs me to report to the Legislative Assembly at its regular session each reprieve, commutation, pardon, or remission of penalty or forfeiture granted since the beginning of the previous legislative session. My report is as follows:

Since June 29, 2019, I have granted 14 pardons and two conditional commutations. No reprieves or remissions of penalty or forfeiture have been granted. Between June 29, 2019, and today, 38 applications for commutation of sentence have been denied. There are 42 commutation applications pending. 19 pardon applications have been denied, 43 pardon applications are pending, two pardon applications were withdrawn, and one pardon applicant is deceased. One reprieve application was denied and two reprieve applications are pending. No remission applications are pending.

Please note that one applicant has applied for more than one type of executive clemency. This report accounts for each type of clemency requested as a separate application.

I have granted the following two conditional commutations:

Johnathan Stuart Baker. Convicted of Manslaughter in the First Degree on February 25, 2013, at the age of seventeen. Sentenced to a total of 120 months incarceration, 36 months post-prison supervision, and ordered to pay fees and assessments. Mr. Baker was incarcerated by the Oregon Youth Authority for seven and a half years and during that time demonstrated exemplary progress and considerable evidence of rehabilitation. Mr. Baker was scheduled to be transferred to an adult prison on May 9, 2020, and was scheduled to complete his 120 month term of incarceration on September 5, 2022. I concluded that continued incarceration of Mr. Baker does not serve the best interest of the State of Oregon.

Carrie Lynn Wilson. Convicted of Felony Murder and Robbery in the First Degree on December 19, 1997. Sentenced to a mandatory 25 year minimum incarceration, post-prison supervision for remainder of life and ordered to pay fees and assessments. Ms. Wilson was incarcerated by the Coffee Creek Correctional Facility for 22 years and during that time demonstrated excellent progress and considerable evidence of rehabilitation. At the time of her sentencing, the trial judge and Marion County District Attorney stated on the record their belief that a mandatory minimum sentence of 25 years was too harsh and committed to supporting a clemency application in the future. Accordingly, the Marion County District Attorney supported Ms. Wilson's commutation. I concluded that continued incarceration of Ms. Wilson does not serve the best interests of the State of Oregon.



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I have granted the following 14 pardons:

Angela Deidre Bitterman also known as Angela Deidre Kolzter. Convicted of Manufacture and Delivery of a Controlled Substance – Schedule II on April 15, 1999 (nunc pro tunc March 18, 1999) and was also convicted of Manufacture and Delivery of a Controlled Substance – Schedule II on November 30, 1999. Sentenced to 20 days jail and three years’ probation and 20 days jail and two years’ probation, respectively. Ms. Bitterman successfully completed her sentence and discharged on March 17, 2002. Ms. Bitterman has remained crime-free and shown herself to be a responsible member of society.

Luis Uriel Garcia-Campos. Convicted of Possession of Methamphetamine and Possession of a Controlled Substance in Schedule I on August 24, 2016. Sentenced to 18 months supervised probation which was successfully completed in 9 months. Mr. Garcia-Campos was discharged on May 24, 2017. Mr. Garcia-Campos has remained a law abiding citizen since his conviction, has maintained gainful employment and has shown himself to be a responsible member of society. Mr. Garcia-Campos is a foreign national who may be subject to deportation by federal officials due to this 2016 state court conviction which would impose severe hardship upon him and his family.

Elizabeth Humphrey. Convicted of Delivery/Manufacturing of a Controlled Substance and Possession of a Controlled Substance (2 counts) on December 17, 2004. Sentenced to imprisonment for a term of 21 months to the Department of Corrections. Ms. Humphrey was released on May 9, 2006, and successfully served her 36 months of post-prison supervision, discharging on May 8, 2009. Ms. Humphrey has lived crime-free for nearly 10 years and has been a valuable member of her community. Ms. Humphrey has been productively employed and values giving back to her community as a speaker for women and recovery mentor.

Marc James Burton also known as Marc Sabatini. Convicted of Burglary in the First Degree on November 22, 1982. Sentenced to five years to the Oregon State Corrections Division with restitution ordered in the amount of \$63,328.36. Mr. Burton successfully completed his sentence and was discharged on February 20, 1985. Mr. Burton has fulfilled his responsibilities and paid the restitution in full. Mr. Burton has pursued an education and subsequently graduated with a Bachelor’s degree in Political Science and has been productively employed.

Lisa R. Hernandez. Convicted of Delivery/Manufacturing of a Controlled Substance on July 30, 1992. Sentenced to 10 days jail and two years of probation and community service. Ms. Hernandez completed her sentence and was discharged on July 29, 1994. Ms. Hernandez pursued an education, has been productively employed and has remained crime-free. Multnomah County District Attorney’s Office does not object to this pardon because Ms. Hernandez takes responsibility for her past action, and has demonstrated full rehabilitation.

Mark Kevin Brittain. Convicted of Burglary in the First Degree on April 21, 1976. Sentenced to 90 days jail and 36 months of probation. Mr. Brittain completed his sentence and was discharged from all supervision on May 2, 1985. Mr. Brittain has been a law-abiding citizen for the last 40 years and had maintained gainful employment until he became permanently disabled. The Klamath County District Attorney’s Office does not object to this pardon.

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Gregory Alan Mapel. Convicted of Assault in the Second Degree on February 14, 1996. Sentenced to six months in jail and 36 months of probation. Mr. Mapel successfully completed his sentence on September 17, 1997 and was able to earn the early discharge of his probation. Mr. Mapel serves as an active volunteer with his church and would like to take a more active role in his son's Boy Scouts of America Troop. Mr. Mapel has shown himself to be a responsible member of society.

David Richard Jones. Convicted of Burglary in the First Degree on November 27, 1989. Sentenced to 6 months of work release and 25 months of probation. Mr. Jones successfully completed his sentence, was converted to unsupervised probation after 14 months and on November 27, 1992, was discharged from his probation. Mr. Jones has been a law-abiding citizen, started a philanthropic committee, gives presentations to at-risk youth, serves as a Volunteer Peer Mentor and continues to make positive contributions to the youth sports community. The victims of Mr. Jones's crime are in support of his continued success.

Frank Troy Sellers. Convicted of Manufacturing a Controlled Substance (Marijuana) on July 31, 1986. Sentenced to 2 years of supervised probation. Mr. Zellers successfully completed his sentence on January 30, 1991 and was discharged from probation. Mr. Zellers spends his free time as a mentor, counselor, missionary to Mexico and member of the local Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Zellers has remained crime-free and has shown himself to be a responsible member of society.

Cassandra Lynne Lamar also known as Cassandra Lynne Orozco. Convicted of Burglary in the First Degree on July 7, 2004. Sentenced to a term of imprisonment of 10 days in jail and 36 months supervised probation. Ms. Lamar substantially complied with supervision conditions and satisfied all ordered financial obligations. Ms. Lamar was discharged from probation on July 5, 2007. For nearly 13 years, Ms. Lamar has lived crime-free and has been a valuable member of her community.

John Andrew Grillo. Convicted through an Alford Plea of Criminally Negligent Homicide on May 18, 2007. Sentenced to 60 months of supervised probation. Mr. Grillo had his sentence converted to bench probation on December 23, 2009 and was successfully discharged on May 17, 2012. Mr. Grillo has remained crime-free and has established a stable life including earning his degree at Pacific University and continuing to further his education at Portland State University and Portland Community College. Lane County Circuit Court Senior Judge Lyle Velure, who was the sentencing judge, supports the pardon for Mr. Grillo.

Adam Tyler Latham. Convicted of Possession of a Controlled Substance (Psilocybin) on November 10, 2003. Sentenced to 18 months of supervised probation. Mr. Latham successfully completed his supervision, was discharged on May 9, 2005, and since has been a law-abiding citizen. Mr. Latham has maintained gainful employment in the office automation field, advancing to a high level with his current employer. Washington County District Attorney's Office does not object to the pardon for Mr. Latham.

Gary James Soden. Convicted of Burglary in the First Degree on February 10, 1977. Sentenced to five years under the jurisdiction of the Oregon State Corrections Division and he received an early discharge on February 16, 1980. For the last 40 years, Mr. Soden has been a law-abiding citizen and has maintained gainful employment resulting in his recent retirement. The Deschutes County District Attorney's Office supports Mr. Soden's pardon.

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Deren Eric Ash also known as Daren Eric Ash. Convicted of Burglary in the First Degree on February 20, 2001. Sentenced to three years of court probation with the Washington County Corrections Division. Mr. Ash successfully completed his sentence and was discharged from probation on February 19, 2004. Mr. Ash has been a law-abiding citizen, has earned a Bachelor's Degree in Computer Science and has founded a volunteer search and rescue organization in Maui. Mr. Ash is an active member of his community and is a board member and involved in leadership of the Hawaiian Canoe Association.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kate Brown" with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Governor Kate Brown

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