



AGENDA

BOARD OF PAROLE HEARINGS Executive Board Meeting

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2026

BPH Agenda Webpage: <https://www.cdcr.ca.gov/bph/meeting-agenda/>

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- **Statements on Tuesday's Consent Calendar:** Written statements for the consent calendar must be received by 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, September 22, 2026.
- **Statements on Tuesday's Cases:** Written statements for cases on Tuesday's agenda must be received by 12:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 22, 2026.
- **Statements on Wednesday's Cases:** Written statements for cases on Wednesday's agenda must be received by 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, September 23, 2026.

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START TIME: 11:00 a.m.

Physical Location: 1515 K Street, Suite 550, Sacramento, California 95814

Video: <https://tinyurl.com/SeptemberBoard2026>

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MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

1. Roll Call

CONSENT CALENDAR

2. Approval of the draft minutes from the August 18-19, 2026 Board of Parole Hearings' Executive Board Meeting
3. Approval of the Parole Consideration Hearings and Backlog Report for September 2026
4. Public Comment on Consent Calendar – Comments are limited to two (2) minutes.

REPORTS

5. Report from the Executive Officer
 - Staffing Update
 - Outreach Update
6. Report from the Chief Counsel
 - Legislation Update
7. Report from the Chief Psychologist, Forensic Assessment Division
 - Outreach Update
8. Report from the Chief of Office of Victim and Survivor Rights and Services
 - General Update

OPEN COMMENTS

9. Board Commissioners – Agenda Items for Future Meetings.
10. Public Comment – Comments are limited to two (2) minutes. Comments will not be allowed for items already subject to public comment and decided by the Board. Comments may address general Board matters and the noticed closed session. The Board will not consider comments about future parole hearings. Those comments should be emailed to the Board at BPH.CorrespondenceUnit@cdcr.ca.gov or mailed to the Board of Parole Hearings, P.O. Box 4036, Sacramento, CA 95812, so they can be considered by the panel assigned to the case.

PANEL FOR SEPTEMBER 22, 2026 CASES

The following commissioners are scheduled to participate in public comment, deliberations, and voting on items 11 through 24.

- Commissioner Barton
- Commissioner Garland
- Commissioner Long
- Commissioner Múniz
- Commissioner Ndudim
- Commissioner Purcell
- Commissioner Sharrieff
- Commissioner Sheffield
- Commissioner Taira
- Commissioner Thornton
- Commissioner Weiss

EN BANC REFERRALS

Referral by the Governor under Penal Code section 4802 to review a pardon application. Members of the public may speak for two (2) minutes.

11. GOMEZ, TOBIAS (T80823)

Case Number: 02029995

Sentencing Court: San Francisco

Case Numbers: SC052349A; SC076758A

Sentencing Court: San Mateo

12. HECK, MICHAEL (P84808, H00792, J67611)

Case Number: 02HF1388

Sentencing Court: Orange

Case Number: CR115074

Sentencing Court: San Diego

Case Number: F229840

Sentencing Court: San Luis Obispo

Referral by the Governor under Penal Code section 4802 to review a commutation application. Members of the public may speak for two (2) minutes.

13. BAYNE, VERTIS (T08757)

Sentencing Court: Kern

14. ESPINOSA, JESUS (AR9611)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

15. MO, TIEN (W93622)

Sentencing Court: Orange

Referral by the Chief Counsel to consider for a rescission hearing under California Code of Regulations, title 15, section 2450 et seq. Members of the public may speak for two (2) minutes.

16. BROWN, ALLIE (AY2227)

Sentencing Court: San Luis Obispo

The Board to consider new medical information dated October 28, 2025.

17. GREENLEE, CHRISTOPHER (T70674)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

The Board to consider new confidential information dated September 11, 2026.

18. OLIVER, PAUL (V84319)

Sentencing Court: Santa Clara

The Board to consider new information regarding alleged institutional misconduct that occurred on March 11, 2025.

Referral by the Chief Counsel under Penal Code section 3041(b) and California Code of Regulations, title 15, section 2042 to assure complete, accurate, consistent and uniform decisions and continued public safety, and referral by the Governor under Penal Code section 3041.1 and California Code of Regulations, title 15, section 2044, subdivision (b), to request review of a parole decision by a majority of appointed commissioners. Members of the public may speak for two (2) minutes.

19. STORMENT, BRIAN (BG1140)

Sentencing Court: Stanislaus

In addition to the Governor's referral, the Board to consider new information regarding institutional misconduct that occurred on August 27, 2026.

20. THOMAS, GERALD (F93930)

Sentencing Court: San Joaquin

In addition to the Governor's referral, the Board to consider new medical information dated August 7, 2026, August 14, 2026, August 26, 2026, and August 28, 2026.

Referral by the Governor under Penal Code section 3041.1 and California Code of Regulations, title 15, section 2044, subdivision (b), to request review of a parole decision by a majority of appointed commissioners. Members of the public may speak for two (2) minutes.

21. MORALES, GABRIELA (WE4525)

Sentencing Court: Orange

22. PACHECO, DANIEL (AY7890)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

23. RUIZ, RICHARD (J27838)

Sentencing Court: Santa Clara

24. WILSON, MICHAEL (T45540)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

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- Commissioner Barton
- Commissioner Chappell
- Commissioner Kusaj
- Commissioner Infante
- Commissioner Minor
- Commissioner Ndudim
- Commissioner Ruff
- Commissioner Sargent-Burns
- Commissioner Sheffield

- Commissioner Stern
- Commissioner Thornton

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26. MARSHALL, GARY

Case Numbers: 238509; C31616

Sentencing Court: Orange

27. REDDY, RAJESH (P20651)

Case Number: 98F05410

Sentencing Court: Sacramento

Case Number: 269261

Sentencing Court: Yolo

28. SIDA, KHAMPHANG (V63496)

Case Numbers: 98F07410; 04F07673

Sentencing Court: Sacramento

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29. PETTAWAY, UNDRAE (H42100)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

30. SPARKS, WENDELL (C81539)

Sentencing Court: Santa Clara

31. VILLEGAS, ALFONSO (K22544)

Sentencing Court: Riverside

Referral by a hearing panel member under Penal Code section 3041(a)(5) and California Code of Regulations, title 15, section 2044(a) to request review of a parole decision by a majority of appointed commissioners. Members of the public may speak for two (2) minutes.

32. BYARD, RICHARD (D95699)

Sentencing Court: San Diego

Referral by the Governor under Penal Code section 3041.1 and California Code of Regulations, title 15, section 2044, subdivision (b), to request review of a parole decision by a majority of appointed commissioners. Members of the public may speak for two (2) minutes.

33. GONZALEZ, ERNESTO (E58611)

Sentencing Court: Riverside

34. LARA, MANUEL (G27117)

Sentencing Courts: Los Angeles, Kings

35. LEVIN, JOHN (AI3643)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

36. LOZANO, ALFONZO (AM5738)

Sentencing Court: Los Angeles

37. RILEY, AMBER (WA3123)

Sentencing Court: San Bernardino

38. SULLIVAN, MICHAEL (D14877)

Sentencing Court: Sacramento

39. VELAZQUEZ, JUAN (G61223)

Sentencing Court: San Joaquin

40. WALKER, DAVID (BK0714)

Sentencing Court: San Bernardino

41. WILLIAMS, KARL (V47242)

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ADJOURNMENT

Open session to adjourn the September 22–23, 2026 Board of Parole Hearings' Executive Board Meeting.