

REQUEST for SERIOUS RELEASE CONSIDERATION

To Governor Tony Evers, his transition team and staff:

- 1. Name and Number: LESTER PAUL STEPHENS #250546
- 2. Birth date (BD) /Age Now: 06 30 1959 - 59 years old
- 3. Date & age at incarceration: 04 19 92 - 32 years old
- 4. Years in prison: 26 & counting
- 5. Offense description: 1 degree intentional homicide

- 6. Length of sentence: LIFE
- 7. Current Prison: JBCC - JOHN BURKE CORR. CENTER
- 8. MR/PMR Date: _____
- 9. Original parole eligibility date: 09 2006
- 10. Programs taken: AODA, DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, RESTORATIVE JUSTICE PROGRAM 2009, SMALL BUSINESS TRAINING, CUSTODIAL SERVICES & MASONRY LEVEL I & II.

11. Number of parole hearings/ number and length of deferments: 36 MONTHS¹, 24 MONTHS^{2ND}, 18 MONTHS^{3RD}, 15 MONTHS^{5TH}, 10 MONTHS^{6TH}, 9 MONTHS^{7TH}, 9 MONTHS⁸, 8 MONTHS⁹, 7 MONTHS¹⁰, 7 MONTHS¹¹ AND 7 MONTHS

12. Official reason for denial/deferment: Insufficient amount of time served was the reason the first ten times and at My last hearing it was release at this time would involve an unreasonable risk to the public and the needless loss of life, ~~not~~ serving additional time for punishment is warranted

13. Do you have a verifiable support system? (Release support needs): My mother, four brothers, two sisters, first cousins who have been on My side & in My corner for My entire incarceration, and are looking forward to Me coming home as soon as I'm released.

Statement (couple paragraphs)

Note: These will be submitted to Tony Evers so write neatly. They will be typed as is possible. The new governor is looking especially for people he can release quickly through his executive powers, but all will be used as the campaign continues. If you do not use this form, make sure you let us clearly know which questions you are answering. (Number them or restate)

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Greetings,

I'm aware of the seriousness of My taking Ruby's life and I've taken responsibility for My actions. I believe in My heart that I'm a better person today than I was many years ago. I've greatly underestimated how much freedom, life & family truly mean to Me. I've had time to change My way of thinking and even been working in the community to show I'm ready for another chance to be free and live responsibly. So I ask You Governor Evers give Me a second chance.

Sincerely

Lester P. Stephens