

INDETERMINATE SENTENCE REVIEW BOARD
BOARD MEETING
Meeting via Microsoft Teams
SUMMARY MINUTES

June 7, 2021

A regular meeting of the Indeterminate Sentence Review Board was held in the ISRB Office Building located at 4317 Sixth Avenue SE, Lacey, commencing at 9:00 a.m.

Present were:

Board Members:

Staff:

Kecia Rongen
Lori Ramsdell-Gilkey
Jeff Patnode
Elyse Balmert
TaTeasha Davis

Robin Riley, Executive Assistant

A. To the Table Case – Members had a full Board discussion of this ISRB case.

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- THOMAS, Gregory
- DOC #743752
- Purpose: Full Board Discussion
- Date: June 7, 2021
- List of Documents Reviewed
 - ISRB File
- An updated prosecutor recommendation was not received.

- Mr. Thomas was seen for a release hearing at the Airway Heights Corrections Center on May 26, 2021.

- **Summary Discussion**
Mrs. Ramsdell-Gilkey presented the case to the full Board.

Mr. Thomas is being seen by the Board in King County Cause #95-1-02081-6 for Murder in the First-Degree Count II.

Mr. Thomas (age 15) sexually assaulted and murdered a known 72-year-old female in her residence. He entered the home through a window and after stealing items and watching TV, he hid in the victim's closet. When she returned home and found him in the closet, he committed the murder and

sexual assault. He was 15 years of age at the time of the crime and he is currently 41 years of age.

He also has a conviction for Attempted Residential Burglary which was a separate incident. He attempted to enter the residence of a 39-year-old female. She refused to answer the door when he rang the doorbell. He went to her backyard and unscrewed the light bulbs to her motion sensors. The victim called 911 and Mr. Thomas was arrested.

Risk assessments show Mr. Thomas to be a low-moderate to moderate risk to re-offend.

Mr. Thomas' last serious infraction was in 2020 after he was found releasable. The Board held a release hearing on May 26, 2021 to determine if he was still releasable after committing the infraction in 2020.

Mr. Thomas has taken a great deal of programming. He has also completed Chemical Dependency Treatment and the Sex Offender Treatment and Assessment Program (SOTAP).

Mr. Thomas would like to go to a transitional house. He has the support of his sister.

- **Decision:**
The panel recommends he be found releasable.
- **Reasons:**
 - Mr. Thomas participated in mental health treatment to address his PTSD. He participated in an evidence-based treatment protocol called Cognitive Processing Therapy, as well as some interventions directed towards increasing Mr. Thomas' ability to correctly interpret and label emotions.
 - He has completed the core SOTAP program and associated aftercare with positive reports from his providers.
 - He appears to understand his Dynamic Risk Factors and Interventions, which should result in mitigating his risk to the community.
 - He has completed a chemical dependency (CD) treatment program.
- **Recommendations:**
Mr. Thomas should continue to maintain his sobriety and utilize sober support groups as directed. He should continue to seek out mental health services and follow all recommendations of the provider. Mr. Thomas will be required to enter and successfully complete the community portion of

SOTAP.

- **Next Action:**

- Submit Offender Release Plan (ORP)

- **Vote:**

Jeff Patnode	Agree with recommendation
Kecia Rongen	Agree with recommendation
Lori Ramsdell-Gilkey	Agree with recommendation
Elyse Balmert	Agree with recommendation
TaTeasha Davis	Agree with recommendation