

Tuesday, May 25, 2010

Barbara S. Sampson, Chair
Office of the Parole & Commutation Board
Grandview Plaza Building
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206 E Michigan Avenue
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RE: Joshua Puckett
MDOC # 250645

Dear Chairperson Barbara S. Sampson:

I am Reverend Sandy Hess and I have been a member of Renaissance Unity for twenty-one years and a minister for the past ten years. One of my main areas of ministry focuses on the Pastoral Care Program.

As a church community, we at Renaissance Unity, support reentry into the mainstream society and most certainly welcome the opportunity for Mr. Joshua Puckett to volunteer for our organization. I understand that he works in the gardening area at the prisons he has been in; and we have a lot of property that includes several gardens where he could work among the trees, scrubs, and flowers.

I ask that my remarks be taken into consideration by the parole board regarding Joshua Puckett's application for release and thank Ms. Sampson and members of the Parole and Commutation Board for taking the time to read this letter.

Sincerely,

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