

Agency 015 - BOARD OF PAROLE

STATUTORY AUTHORITY:

Board of Pardons - Article IV, Section 13 of the Nebraska State Constitution, and Nebraska Statutes Sections 83-170(6); 81-1, 126 through 83-1, 135.

Board of Parole - Article IV, Section 13 of the Nebraska State Constitution, and Nebraska Statutes Sections 83-170 and 83-133 through 83-1, 125

VISION:

The Nebraska Board of Parole is committed to professional public service reflecting recognition of public safety. It is our desire that through effective and appropriate programming, offenders who are paroled will be enabled to make a successful transition back into the community.

MISSION AND PRINCIPLES:

The Nebraska Board of Parole is an integral part of the criminal justice system. The actions of the Board affect all of society, including those who are confined and paroled, victims and the general public. The Board is dedicated to ensuring public safety by returning qualified offenders into the community through supervised conditional release. It is the agency's objective to provide the offender with a successful transition from confinement to responsible citizenship.

GOALS:

1. Inform public, criminal justice agencies, victims, and policy makers of the parole process and consequences of non-compliance, stressing at all times the importance of public safety;
2. Maintain confidentiality and assure accuracy of all information relating to offender files;
3. Staff and Board Members will conduct themselves in an informed professional and courteous manner. The agency will provide appropriate training.

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Financial Data

	FY08 Actual	FY09 Approp	FY10 Request	FY10 Recomm	FY11 Request	FY11 Recomm
Operations Funding						
General Fund	695,453	800,540	808,718	808,642	820,179	819,542
Cash Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Federal Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Revolving Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Operations	695,453	800,540	808,718	808,642	820,179	819,542
Aid Funding						
General Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cash Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Federal Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Revolving Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Aid Funding	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Program 320 - PAROLE BOARD SALARIES

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:

This program contains only the five Parole Board Members' salaries and benefits. The Governor establishes the Parole Board Members salaries, which can change only at the end of a term of a Board Member

Members are appointed to six year terms with legislative approval. By law, board members must be of good character and just temperament. At least one Board Member must be a minority, and one must have a professional background in corrections. The Governor designates one Board Member as Chairperson.

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

The objective of this program is to fund the five Board Members' salaries and benefits.

PERFORMANCE MEASURES:

The Board meets daily to hear and review parole cases.

The Board reviews the status of committed offenders, determines when committed offenders are released on parole, establishes parole conditions, and may revoke parole and issue warrants to arrest parole violators. The Board also visits and inspects state and local prisons and jails, and recommends parole legislation to the Governor.

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Program 320 - PAROLE BOARD SALARIES

Financial Data

	FY08 Actual	FY09 Approp	FY10 Request	FY10 Recomm	FY11 Request	FY11 Recomm
Operations Funding						
General Fund	423,522	467,175	482,152	480,292	497,865	494,300
Cash Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Federal Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Revolving Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Program 358 - BOARD OF PAROLE

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PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

It is the agency's objective to provide the offender with a successful transition from confinement to responsible citizenship.

PERFORMANCE MEASURES:

As of July 15, 2008 there were 836 adult offenders on Parole in Nebraska.

For FY07, the Parole success rate was 59.7%

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Financial Data

	FY08 Actual	FY09 Approp	FY10 Request	FY10 Recomm	FY11 Request	FY11 Recomm
Operations Funding						
General Fund	271,930	333,365	326,566	328,350	322,314	325,242
Cash Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Federal Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Revolving Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
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