

May 17, 2013

Board of Parole and Post-Prison Supervision  
2575 Center St. NE, Ste 100  
Salem, OR 97301-4621

**Re: Sydney Dean Porter, SID 7430532**

To Parole Board Members:

My name was mentioned at a recent Parole Board hearing as one who would be available to counsel Mr. Porter if he were to be released from prison. However, I would like my name removed as the counselor on record and I am also officially withdrawing my services to counsel Mr. Porter should he be released.

After doing my own research and hearing accounts of Mr. Porter's crime from individuals and agencies involved in the Porter case, I am personally convinced that He is still a threat to society and should not be released.

Some reasons for my decision are as follows:

1. He will be living in a remote location with little or no accountability for most of each work day.
2. As a result, if I were his counselor, many would feel that I should hold him accountable to one degree or another.
3. In his testimony to the parole board, Mr. Porter did not accept responsibility for his crime and does not portray remorse or sorrow over the horrific damage he has done to others.
4. Our oldest Son is a police officer.
5. As a law abiding citizen of the community where Mr. Porter is scheduled to live, I agree with many others of our community that "justice has not been served" and his release is a dangerous and irresponsible decision.

Sincerely yours,



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cc: Governor Kitzhaber Attn. Citizens' Representative