

The Pardon Project

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GOALS OF THE PARDON PROJECT:

**Increase presidential pardons • Change the culture around restorative justice
Create pathways toward self-governance**

The framework started with the establishment of The Pardon Project and Administrative Abuse Project. We are already seeing successes from our work. **Crystal Munoz**, **Tynice Hall**, and **Judith Negron** received clemency on February 18, 2020. Several others, including **Rufus Rochell**, an elderly man we recommended to President Trump in March 2020, have been released into home confinement under the Compassionate Release program. More than 50 news articles have been published on our cases.

The Trump administration, through the White House Office of American Innovation, wants to expand the use of Presidential pardons. In order to ensure public support for the program and the administration, we are seeking much needed funding to scale up the project and achieve the following:

- 1. Collect and vet cases by our legal team**
- 2. Creating compelling story content and a robust public relations effort to make it politically profitable for President Trump to pardon the “lost” man or woman**
- 3. Provide support to returning prisoners to ensure successful re-entry into society and successful completion of the project.**



Program Leader &
Former Acting USAG
Matthew Whitaker

The Pardon Project will provide a national structure, led by **Matthew Whitaker**, former Acting U.S. Attorney General, and **Alice Marie Johnson**, to work closely with key groups and individuals to recommend cases to the President.

Article on our work: White House assembles a team of advisors to guide clemency process as Trump considers more pardons.

Advisory Group: The White House working group includes **Matt Whitaker**, **Alice Marie Johnson**, **Jessica Jackson**, **Kevin Roberts**, **Greg Sindelar**, **John Koufos**, **John Hostettler**, **Mark Holden**, **Shon Hopwood**, **Dina Powell**, **Brittany Barnett**, **Amy Povah**, **Jason Hernandez**, **Michael Searle**, and **Brett Tolman**.

Coalition Organizations: Buried Alive, Can-Do Foundation, Cut50, Koch Companies Public Sector, Stand Together, States Trust, Taking Action for Good Foundation and Texas Public Policy Foundation.

Budget: \$5 million. We are willing to provide a line-by-line budget for our interested parties.

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