



Texas Board of Pardons and Paroles  
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The Texas Board of Pardons and Paroles, as authorized by the Texas Constitution Article 4, Section 11, is responsible for making a recommendation to the Governor for all clemency matters.

Mr. Rodney Reed submitted a clemency application to the Texas Board of Pardons and Paroles requesting a commutation of his sentence to a lesser penalty or a 120-day reprieve.

The Board has completed its review of Mr. Reed's clemency application on November 15, 2019 and voted unanimously to recommend the Governor grant a 120-day reprieve, and not recommend the Governor grant a commutation of sentence to a lesser penalty.