

# **SORAC PUBLIC MEETING**

AUGUST 27, 2020

The Risk Level Committee meeting was called to order by Paul Emerson at 1:02 pm at the Bureau of Criminal Investigation, Bismarck, North Dakota. Present were the following members:

Paul Emerson, Assistant Attorney General, Bismarck  
Chris Helmick, Fargo Police Dept., Fargo  
Gary Malo, Bismarck Police Dept., Bismarck  
Stacy Arnegard, Watford City  
Shelly Paul, NDSP, Bismarck  
Carrie Hjellming, Juvenile Court, Bismarck  
Kristin Plessas, ND DOCR, Minot

Paul Emerson called the meeting to order, passed out the attendance roster, the agendas, and the travel vouchers. He then read the requirements of the meeting as well as explained what the process was of assigning risk levels to offenders.

**OFFENDER: 218920 BELLARD, DANIEL JEFF - R&R – Written Submission**

By: Paul Emerson

**Begin Executive Session at 1:03 pm**  
**Adjourn Executive Session at 1:08 pm**

**ACTION:** Gary Malo made a motion to rate the above offender at a HIGH risk level.

Stacy Arnegard seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a HIGH risk level.

On a 6-0 vote, the above offender was rated at a HIGH risk level.

**OFFENDER: 219661 DECOTEAU, TRAVIS DEAN - Supplement**

By: Chris Helmick

**Begin Executive Session at 1:10 pm**  
**Adjourn Executive Session at 1:13 pm**

**ACTION:** Chris Helmick made a motion to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

Shelly Paul seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

On a 6-0 vote, the above offender was rated at a LOW risk level.

**OFFENDER: 170798 MUNIZ, JUAN ANTONIO - Supplement**

By: Gary Malo

**Begin Executive Session at 1:13 pm**  
**Adjourn Executive Session at 1:16 pm**

**ACTION:** Gary Malo made a motion to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Stacy Arnegard seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Kristin Plessas, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Carrie Hjellming and Shelly Paul voted to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

On a 4-2 vote, the above offender was rated at a MODERATE risk level.

OFFENDER: **250565 PLENTYCHIEF, ROBERT LEE - Supplement**

By: Stacy Arnegard

**Begin Executive Session at 1:17 pm**  
**Adjourn Executive Session at 1:19 pm**

ACTION: Stacy Arnegard made a motion to rate the above offender at a HIGH risk level.

Paul Emerson seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul and Paul Emerson voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Carrie Hjellming, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a HIGH risk level.

On a 4-3 vote, the above offender was rated at a MODERATE risk level.

**OFFENDER: 150464 LINQUIST, JACOB LANDON - Supplement**

By: Shelly Paul

**Begin Executive Session at 1:20 pm**  
**Adjourn Executive Session at 1:25 pm**

**ACTION:** Shelly Paul made a motion to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Chris Helmick seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

On a 6-0 vote, the above offender was rated at a MODERATE risk level.

**OFFENDER: 246463 RID - R&R – Telephone Conference**

By: Paul Emerson

**Begin Executive Session at 1:26 pm**  
**Adjourn Executive Session at 1:37 pm**

**ACTION:** Shelly Paul made a motion to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Paul Emerson seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

On a 6-0 vote, the above offender was rated at a MODERATE risk level.

**OFFENDER: 175950 MOROSKIE, JUSTIN MICHAEL - Supplement**

By: Carrie Hjellming

**Begin Executive Session at 1:39 pm**

**Adjourn Executive Session at 1:43 pm**

**ACTION:** Carrie Hjellming made a motion to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Gary Malo seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Kristin Plessas and Shelly Paul voted to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

On a 4-2 vote, the above offender was rated at a MODERATE risk level.



**OFFENDER: 148536 MILLER, GEOFFREY DALE - Supplement**

By: Chris Helmick

**Begin Executive Session at 1:44 pm**  
**Adjourn Executive Session at 1:48 pm**

**ACTION:** Chris Helmick made a motion to rate the above offender at a HIGH risk level.

Carrie Hjellming seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a HIGH risk level.

On a 6-0 vote, the above offender was rated at a HIGH risk level.

**OFFENDER: 134317 GARZA, GERARDO JR - R&R – Telephone Conference**

By: Paul Emerson

**Begin Executive Session at 1:50 pm**  
**Adjourn Executive Session at 2:06 pm**

ACTION: Gary Malo made a motion to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

Shelly Paul seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

On a 6-0 vote, the above offender was rated at a LOW risk level.

**OFFENDER: 175443 BOHLMAN, EVAN ROSS - Supplement**

By: Kristin Plessas

**Begin Executive Session at 2:08 pm**  
**Adjourn Executive Session at 2:11 pm**

ACTION: Kristin Plessas made a motion to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Stacy Arnegard seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

On a 6-0 vote, the above offender was rated at a MODERATE risk level.

**OFFENDER: 160615 MORSE, CHARLES HOPPIE - Supplement**

By: Shelly Paul

**Begin Executive Session at 2:12 pm**  
**Adjourn Executive Session at 2:18 pm**

**ACTION:** Shelly Paul made a motion to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Paul Emerson seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

On a 6-0 vote, the above offender was rated at a MODERATE risk level.

**OFFENDER: 257071 REESE, ANTHONY - R&R – Telephone Conference**

By: Paul Emerson

**Begin Executive Session at 2:26 pm**  
**Adjourn Executive Session at 2:39 pm**

**ACTION:** Gary Malo made a motion to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

Shelly Paul seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

Stacy Arnegard voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

On a 5-1 vote, the above offender was rated at a LOW risk level.

**OFFENDER: 259649 LINDLAUF, CARL JAMES - New Assessment**

By: Kristin Plessas

**Begin Executive Session at 2:41 pm**  
**Adjourn Executive Session at 2:44 pm**

ACTION: Kristin Plessas made a motion to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

Shelly Paul seconded the motion.

Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

Chris Helmick voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

On a 5-1 vote, the above offender was rated at a LOW risk level.

**OFFENDER: 263460 FOOTE, THOMAS ALFRED III - New Assessment**

By: Stacy Arnegard

**Begin Executive Session at 2:46 pm**  
**Adjourn Executive Session at 2:50 pm**

**ACTION:** Stacy Arnegard made a motion to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Paul Emerson seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

On a 6-0 vote, the above offender was rated at a MODERATE risk level.

**OFFENDER: 263119 NELSON, NASHIA ANTHONY - New Assessment**

By: Carrie Hjellming

**Begin Executive Session at 2:52 pm**

**Adjourn Executive Session at 2:56 pm**

**ACTION:** Carrie Hjellming made a motion to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

Chris Helmick seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

On a 6-0 vote, the above offender was rated at a LOW risk level.



**OFFENDER: 236030 GIBSON, JUSTIN NEAL - New Assessment**

By: Gary Malo

**Begin Executive Session at 2:58 pm**  
**Adjourn Executive Session at 3:01 pm**

**ACTION:** Gary Malo made a motion to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Carrie Hjellming seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

On a 6-0 vote, the above offender was rated at a MODERATE risk level.

**OFFENDER: 162452 HERNANDEZ, ISMAEL - New Assessment**

By: Kristin Plessas

**Begin Executive Session at 3:03 pm**

**Adjourn Executive Session at 3:06 pm**

**ACTION:** Kristin Plessas made a motion to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Stacy Arnegard seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

On a 6-0 vote, the above offender was rated at a MODERATE risk level.

**OFFENDER: 263457 TONIHKA, VICTOR - New Assessment**

By: Shelly Paul

**Begin Executive Session at 3:07 pm**  
**Adjourn Executive Session at 3:11 pm**

**ACTION:** Shelly Paul made a motion to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

Gary Malo seconded the motion.

Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

Chris Helmick and Stacy Arnegard voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

On a 4-2 vote, the above offender was rated at a LOW risk level.

**OFFENDER: 191427 FLATTUM RIEMERS, BRENT HELTERA - New  
Assessment**

By: Chris Helmick

**Begin Executive Session at 3:23 pm  
Adjourn Executive Session at 3:31 pm**

ACTION: Chris Helmick made a motion to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Stacy Arnegard seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

On a 6-0 vote, the above offender was rated at a MODERATE risk level.

**OFFENDER: 255819 ERKER, JASON ANDREW - New Assessment**

By: Carrie Hjellming

**Begin Executive Session at 3:32 pm**

**Adjourn Executive Session at 3:37 pm**

**ACTION:** Carrie Hjellming made a motion to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

Gary Malo seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Carrie Hjellming and Stacy Arnegard voted to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

On a 4-2 vote, the above offender was rated at a MODERATE risk level.

**OFFENDER: 228121 OPPEGARD, LEE ALLAN - New Assessment**

By: Gary Malo

**Begin Executive Session at 3:38 pm**

**Adjourn Executive Session at 3:44 pm**

ACTION: Gary Malo made a motion to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Paul Emerson seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

On a 6-0 vote, the above offender was rated at a MODERATE risk level.

**OFFENDER: 266355 BROADWAY, LASHANNA MARIE - New Assessment**

By: Shelly Paul

**Begin Executive Session at 3:44 pm**  
**Adjourn Executive Session at 3:48 pm**

**ACTION:** Shelly Paul made a motion to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

Stacy Arnegard seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Shelly Paul and Stacy Arnegard voted to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

On a 4-2 vote, the above offender was rated at a MODERATE risk level.

**OFFENDER: 256792 FONSECA, CHRISTOPHER SHANE - New Assessment**

By: Stacy Arnegard

**Begin Executive Session at 3:50 pm**  
**Adjourn Executive Session at 3:53 pm**

**ACTION:** Stacy Arnegard made a motion to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

Gary Malo seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas and Paul Emerson voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Shelly Paul, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

On a 4-3 vote, the above offender was rated at a MODERATE risk level.



**OFFENDER: 262189 KJENSTAD, MICHAEL LEE - New Assessment**

By: Chris Helmick

**Begin Executive Session at 3:54 pm**

**Adjourn Executive Session at 3:56 pm**

ACTION: Chris Helmick made a motion to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Paul Emerson seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Kristin Plessas, Shelly Paul, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

On a 6-0 vote, the above offender was rated at a MODERATE risk level.

**OFFENDER: 206690 VELA SANCHEZ, JAVIER - New Assessment**

By: Gary Malo

**Begin Executive Session at 3:57 pm**  
**Adjourn Executive Session at 4:00 pm**

**ACTION:** Gary Malo made a motion to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Chris Helmick seconded the motion.

Chris Helmick, Carrie Hjellming, Stacy Arnegard and Gary Malo voted to rate the above offender at a MODERATE risk level.

Kristin Plessas and Shelly Paul voted to rate the above offender at a LOW risk level.

On a 4-2 vote, the above offender was rated at a MODERATE risk level.

There were 25 offenders assessed.

5 offenders were assessed a LOW risk level.

18 offenders were assessed a MODERATE risk level.

2 offenders were assessed a HIGH risk level.

The next SORAC meetings are scheduled for September 24-25, 2020 at the BCI office in Bismarck, ND.