

# Agency 015 - BOARD OF PAROLE

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## **STATUTORY AUTHORITY:**

The main statutes governing the Board of Parole, including the Division of Parole Supervision, which was legislatively created in 1969, are Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 83-187.01 through 83-1,135.02. Additionally, the Board of Parole is a constitutional entity established in 1969 by Article IV, Section 13 of the Nebraska Constitution, which states that “the legislature shall provide by law for the establishment of Board of Parole and the qualifications of its members.” With the transfer of the Office of Parole from the Nebraska Department of Correctional Services to the Board of Parole in July 2016, the Board’s scope of authority and duties expanded from its primary function of decision-making to include supervision of parolees and also provision of services to its parolee clients.

## **VISION:**

The Nebraska Board of Parole and Division of Parole Supervision are committed to serving and protecting the public. The Board will strive to make informed and appropriate parole decisions by giving due consideration to and utilizing the resources of the Division of Parole Supervision, including innovative case management, for the successful re-entry of clients back into the community to become productive and responsible citizens.

## **MISSION AND PRINCIPLES:**

It is the mission of the Nebraska Board of Parole and the Division of Parole Supervision to continue its research, understanding and implementation of evidence-based approaches as it pertains to the release of clients who have appropriately been prepared for community supervision. The Board and the Division of Parole Supervision are dedicated to maintaining public safety, reducing recidivism, and addressing the needs of victims, while integrating clients into society through a balance of best practice of supervision and treatment strategies.

## **GOALS:**

### Client Behavior Change and Accountability

In order to improve our effectiveness and enhance public safety, DPS must adopt client supervision practices that are supported by existing evidence-based practices and research.

### Capital/Service Management

In order to ensure that our financial decisions are consistent with our agency goals understanding our resources and the management of those resources is important to our success. We are committed to directing our resources to delivering cost-effective services.

### System Change

In order to continue to foster the work surrounding Justice Reinvestment, the Division of Parole Supervision is committed to serve as leaders in system change and unite partners to collaborate for the good of the whole.

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## Financial Data

	FY18 Actual	FY19 Approp	FY20 Request	FY20 Recomm	FY21 Request	FY21 Recomm
<b>Operations Funding</b>						
General Fund	5,942,012	7,534,270	9,140,303	7,726,230	9,423,019	7,940,945
Cash Fund	470,800	455,873	455,873	455,873	455,873	455,873
Federal Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Revolving Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total Operations</b>	<b>6,412,813</b>	<b>7,990,143</b>	<b>9,596,176</b>	<b>8,182,103</b>	<b>9,878,892</b>	<b>8,396,818</b>
<b>Aid Funding</b>						
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
<b>Total Aid Funding</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
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