

**Texas Department of Criminal Justice
Parole and DMS Considerations
Fiscal Year 2018**

FY 2018 Parole Approval Rates by Offense Type

Offense	Votes	Sep-17	Oct-17	Nov-17	Dec-17	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18	Jul-18	Aug-18	FY Total To Date	FY Total Estimated
Aggravated-No Sex Offense	Considered	1,014	955	985	868	947	771	1,026	921	1,016	947	891	947	11,288	11,288
	Approved	350	305	318	294	289	254	368	317	370	333	293	319	3,810	3,810
	Approval Rate	34.52%	31.94%	32.28%	33.87%	30.52%	32.94%	35.87%	34.42%	36.42%	35.16%	32.88%	33.69%	33.75%	33.75%
Aggravated-Sex Offense	Considered	217	333	324	261	362	279	383	316	343	313	300	331	3,762	3,762
	Approved	90	145	141	93	174	105	168	155	141	149	107	149	1,617	1,617
	Approval Rate	41.47%	43.54%	43.52%	35.63%	48.07%	37.63%	43.86%	49.05%	41.11%	47.60%	35.67%	45.02%	42.98%	42.98%
Violent-Not Aggravated-No Sex Offense	Considered	1,096	1,239	1,192	1,181	1,140	1,101	1,160	1,173	1,265	1,252	1,283	1,301	14,383	14,383
	Approved	283	304	316	301	256	286	288	316	318	339	348	339	3,694	3,694
	Approval Rate	25.82%	24.54%	26.51%	25.49%	22.46%	25.98%	24.83%	26.94%	25.14%	27.08%	27.12%	26.06%	25.68%	25.68%
Not Aggravated Sex Offense	Considered	196	250	224	195	239	204	256	229	247	248	247	243	2,778	2,778
	Approved	49	74	69	48	65	50	75	58	68	80	71	73	780	780
	Approval Rate	25.00%	29.60%	30.80%	24.62%	27.20%	24.51%	29.30%	25.33%	27.53%	32.26%	28.74%	30.04%	28.08%	28.08%
Nonviolent-No Sex Offense	Considered	3,802	4,163	3,873	3,892	3,689	3,579	3,800	3,716	4,388	3,960	4,098	4,342	47,302	47,302
	Approved	1,302	1,383	1,350	1,298	1,223	1,238	1,331	1,245	1,574	1,403	1,540	1,558	16,445	16,445
	Approval Rate	34.25%	33.22%	34.86%	33.35%	33.15%	34.59%	35.03%	33.50%	35.87%	35.43%	37.58%	35.88%	34.77%	34.77%
Total	Considered	6,325	6,940	6,598	6,397	6,377	5,934	6,625	6,355	7,259	6,720	6,819	7,164	79,513	79,513
	Approved	2,074	2,211	2,194	2,034	2,007	1,933	2,230	2,091	2,471	2,304	2,359	2,438	26,346	26,346
	Approval Rate	32.79%	31.86%	33.25%	31.80%	31.47%	32.57%	33.66%	32.90%	34.04%	34.29%	34.59%	34.03%	33.13%	33.13%

FY 2018 Discretionary MS Approval Rates by Offense Type

Offense	Votes	Sep-17	Oct-17	Nov-17	Dec-17	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18	Jul-18	Aug-18	FY Total To Date	FY Total Estimated
Aggravated-No Sex Offense	Considered	0	2	1	1	2	1	3	3	2	2	0	4	21	21
	Approved	0	1	0	0	1	1	3	1	0	1	0	2	10	10
	Approval Rate	0.00%	50.00%	0.00%	0.00%	50.00%	100.00%	100.00%	33.33%	0.00%	50.00%	0.00%	50.00%	47.62%	47.62%
Aggravated-Sex Offense	Considered	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	Approved	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	Approval Rate	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	50.00%	50.00%
Violent-Not Aggravated-No Sex Offense	Considered	322	399	338	354	364	392	333	397	401	348	366	382	4,396	4,396
	Approved	108	157	119	124	144	163	124	141	166	135	160	164	1,705	1,705
	Approval Rate	33.54%	39.35%	35.21%	35.03%	39.56%	41.58%	37.24%	35.52%	41.40%	38.79%	43.72%	42.93%	38.79%	38.79%
Not Aggravated Sex Offense	Considered	31	22	25	29	50	26	33	38	41	40	36	31	402	402
	Approved	12	6	12	8	26	9	12	18	15	18	14	9	159	159
	Approval Rate	38.71%	27.27%	48.00%	27.59%	52.00%	34.62%	36.36%	47.37%	36.59%	45.00%	38.89%	29.03%	39.55%	39.55%
Nonviolent-No Sex Offense	Considered	1,118	1,255	1,156	1,114	1,151	1,132	1,170	1,144	1,374	1,208	1,220	1,214	14,256	14,256
	Approved	540	609	588	547	596	588	644	580	681	638	641	609	7,261	7,261
	Approval Rate	48.30%	48.53%	50.87%	49.10%	51.78%	51.94%	55.04%	50.70%	49.56%	52.81%	52.54%	50.16%	50.93%	50.93%
Total	Considered	1,472	1,678	1,520	1,498	1,567	1,552	1,539	1,582	1,818	1,598	1,622	1,631	19,077	19,077
	Approved	661	773	719	679	767	761	783	740	862	792	815	784	9,136	9,136
	Approval Rate	44.90%	46.07%	47.30%	45.33%	48.95%	49.03%	50.88%	46.78%	47.41%	49.56%	50.25%	48.07%	47.89%	47.89%

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FY 2018 Parole Approval Rates by Guidelines Level

Guideline Score	Votes	Sep-17	Oct-17	Nov-17	Dec-17	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18	Jul-18	Aug-18	FY Total To Date	FY Total Estimated	Recommended Approval Rate
1	Considered	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0% - 20%
	Approved	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	Approval Rate	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	
2	Considered	464	470	481	441	485	413	472	409	512	461	415	484	5,507	5,507	15% - 35%
	Approved	127	117	123	101	123	112	128	111	142	130	93	144	1,451	1,451	
	Approval Rate	27.37%	24.89%	25.57%	22.90%	25.36%	27.12%	27.12%	27.14%	27.73%	28.20%	22.41%	29.75%	26.35%	26.35%	
3	Considered	435	494	468	444	492	424	551	514	562	478	484	498	5,844	5,844	25% - 40%
	Approved	143	145	129	109	145	119	201	189	169	152	139	148	1,788	1,788	
	Approval Rate	32.87%	29.35%	27.56%	24.55%	29.47%	28.07%	36.48%	36.77%	30.07%	31.80%	28.72%	29.72%	30.60%	30.60%	
4	Considered	2,261	2,492	2,444	2,323	2,355	2,142	2,481	2,426	2,620	2,407	2,363	2,474	28,788	28,788	30% - 45%
	Approved	570	619	638	610	617	574	712	653	728	666	636	652	7,675	7,675	
	Approval Rate	25.21%	24.84%	26.10%	26.26%	26.20%	26.80%	28.70%	26.92%	27.79%	27.67%	26.91%	26.35%	26.66%	26.66%	
5	Considered	1,800	2,046	1,816	1,815	1,789	1,732	1,811	1,768	2,036	1,903	2,013	2,073	22,602	22,602	35% - 50%
	Approved	603	657	578	570	535	534	578	553	660	632	673	665	7,238	7,238	
	Approval Rate	33.50%	32.11%	31.83%	31.40%	29.90%	30.83%	31.92%	31.28%	32.42%	33.21%	33.43%	32.08%	32.02%	32.02%	
6	Considered	1,150	1,190	1,166	1,152	1,082	1,036	1,086	1,051	1,257	1,246	1,253	1,367	14,036	14,036	45% - 70%
	Approved	498	503	580	496	475	461	465	456	586	563	623	650	6,356	6,356	
	Approval Rate	43.30%	42.27%	49.74%	43.06%	43.90%	44.50%	42.82%	43.39%	46.62%	45.18%	49.72%	47.55%	45.28%	45.28%	
7	Considered	215	248	220	220	171	187	223	186	270	223	291	268	2,722	2,722	65% - 100%
	Approved	133	170	143	146	109	133	145	129	184	159	195	179	1,825	1,825	
	Approval Rate	61.86%	68.55%	65.00%	66.36%	63.74%	71.12%	65.02%	69.35%	68.15%	71.30%	67.01%	66.79%	67.05%	67.05%	
Total with Guidelines	Considered	6,325	6,940	6,595	6,395	6,374	5,934	6,624	6,355	7,257	6,718	6,819	7,164	79,500	79,500	33.86% to 51.66%
	Approved	2,074	2,211	2,191	2,032	2,004	1,933	2,229	2,091	2,469	2,302	2,359	2,438	26,333	26,333	
	Approval Rate	32.79%	31.86%	33.22%	31.77%	31.44%	32.57%	33.65%	32.90%	34.02%	34.27%	34.59%	34.03%	33.12%	33.12%	
Total without Guidelines*	Considered	0	0	3	2	3	0	1	0	2	2	0	0	13	13	
	Approved	0	0	3	2	3	0	1	0	2	2	0	0	13	13	
	Approval Rate	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	0.00%	100.00%	0.00%	100.00%	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%	100.00%	

*Guideline scores for some offenders may not be available electronically as of the date of this report. Board members have access to all guidelines when voting.

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FY 2018 Cases Approved for Parole by FI Types

Month	FI-1	FI-2	FI-5	FI-6	FI-3R	FI-4R	FI-6R	FI-7R	FI-9R	FI-18R	TOTAL	# Tier Votes To Date	% Tier Votes To Date	# Tier Votes Estimated
Sep-17	471 22.7%	314 15.1%	400 19.3%	89 4.3%	269 13.0%	44 2.1%	405 19.5%	9 0.4%	62 3.0%	11 0.5%	2,074	800	38.6%	9,600
Oct-17	531 24.0%	317 14.3%	362 16.4%	130 5.9%	310 14.0%	54 2.4%	379 17.1%	3 0.1%	103 4.7%	22 1.0%	2,211	1,671	39.0%	10,026
Nov-17	583 26.6%	340 15.5%	320 14.6%	87 4.0%	336 15.3%	72 3.3%	365 16.6%	7 0.3%	73 3.3%	11 0.5%	2,194	2,535	39.1%	10,140
Dec-17	506 24.9%	318 15.6%	354 17.4%	107 5.3%	284 14.0%	60 2.9%	336 16.5%	7 0.3%	55 2.7%	7 0.3%	2,034	3,284	38.6%	9,852
Jan-18	504 25.1%	268 13.4%	290 14.4%	107 5.3%	297 14.8%	83 4.1%	338 16.8%	7 0.3%	104 5.2%	9 0.4%	2,007	4,122	39.2%	9,893
Feb-18	453 23.4%	306 15.8%	333 17.2%	137 7.1%	261 13.5%	49 2.5%	299 15.5%	6 0.3%	76 3.9%	13 0.7%	1,933	4,826	38.8%	9,652
Mar-18	557 25.0%	326 14.6%	340 15.2%	142 6.4%	317 14.2%	63 2.8%	339 15.2%	12 0.5%	127 5.7%	7 0.3%	2,230	5,691	38.8%	9,756
Apr-18	549 26.3%	324 15.5%	307 14.7%	102 4.9%	276 13.2%	61 2.9%	365 17.5%	7 0.3%	90 4.3%	10 0.5%	2,091	6,500	38.8%	9,750
May-18	524 21.2%	415 16.8%	376 15.2%	156 6.3%	415 16.8%	57 2.3%	402 16.3%	11 0.4%	97 3.9%	18 0.7%	2,471	7,500	39.0%	10,000
Jun-18	600 26.0%	390 16.9%	339 14.7%	112 4.9%	400 17.4%	52 2.3%	286 12.4%	7 0.3%	108 4.7%	10 0.4%	2,304	8,363	38.8%	10,036
Jul-18	640 27.1%	423 17.9%	294 12.5%	104 4.4%	451 19.1%	65 2.8%	307 13.0%	8 0.3%	59 2.5%	8 0.3%	2,359	9,261	38.7%	10,103
Aug-18	656 26.9%	405 16.6%	329 13.5%	113 4.6%	494 20.3%	58 2.4%	255 10.5%	8 0.3%	102 4.2%	18 0.7%	2,438	10,196	38.7%	10,196
FY Total to date	6,574 25.0%	4,146 15.7%	4,044 15.3%	1,386 5.3%	4,110 15.6%	718 2.7%	4,076 15.5%	92 0.3%	1,056 4.0%	144 0.5%	26,346			