# EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT STATE OF CALIFORNIA

### PARDON

#### **Robert Morgan**

Robert Morgan, a member of the Koi Nation of Northern California and a resident of California, has applied for executive clemency.

On August 3, 2006, Mr. Morgan was convicted in the Superior Court of California, County of Sonoma, of assault with a deadly weapon. Mr. Morgan struck two victims during a fight at a party. He was sentenced to three years of probation and 91 days in jail.

Mr. Morgan has submitted to this office a formal application for executive clemency in the form of a gubernatorial pardon. He has provided evidence that he is living an upright life and has demonstrated his fitness for restoration of civic rights and responsibilities. Mr. Morgan's application for a pardon is supported by the tribal leadership of the Koi Nation of Northern California.

This act of clemency for Mr. Morgan does not minimize or forgive his conduct or the harm it caused. It does recognize the work he has done since to transform himself.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community, Mr. Morgan merits this pardon.

**THEREFORE, I, GAVIN NEWSOM**, Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Mr. Morgan a full and unconditional pardon for the above case.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF** I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 19th day of November 2021.

GAVIN NEWSOM

GAVIN NEWSOM Governor of California

ATTEST:

SHIRLEY N. WEBER, PH.D. Secretary of State

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### PARDON

#### Frank Spa-ghe Dowd

Frank Spa-ghe Dowd, a member and elected leader of the Resighini Rancheria and a resident of California, has applied for executive clemency.

On March 15, 2002, Mr. Dowd was convicted in the Superior Court of California, County of Del Norte, of assault with a deadly weapon. Mr. Dowd struck a victim with a bat during a fight at a party. He was sentenced to five months of probation and 270 days in jail.

Mr. Dowd has complied with the provisions of California Penal Code sections 4852.01 through 4852.22, which provide a procedure after completion of sentence to seek restoration of civic rights and responsibilities. On October 9, 2020, the Superior Court of California, County of Del Norte, granted Mr. Dowd a Certificate of Rehabilitation on evidence that he has been living an upright life. By granting Mr. Dowd's petition for a Certificate of Rehabilitation, the court has recommended that Mr. Dowd be granted a full pardon. Mr. Dowd's application for a pardon is also supported by the tribal leadership of the Resignini Rancheria.

This act of clemency for Mr. Dowd does not minimize or forgive his conduct or the harm it caused. It does recognize the work he has done since to transform himself.

By the laws of this state it is proper that I, as Governor of the State of California, give testimony that, by completion of his sentence and good conduct in the community, Mr. Dowd merits this pardon.

**THEREFORE, I, GAVIN NEWSOM**, Governor of the State of California, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of California, do hereby grant to Mr. Dowd a full and unconditional pardon for the above case.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 19th day of November 2021.

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