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## NYS DIVISION OF PAROLE RELEASES INMATES FROM MONROE COUNTY JAIL

*None of the 51 Inmates Released Experiencing Flu-like Symptoms*

**Rochester, NY (March 28, 2020)** – On March 27, 2020, at the direction of the New York State Division of Parole, the Monroe County Sheriff's Office facilitated the release of 51 incarcerated individuals from the Monroe County Jail. All of the inmates released were interviewed individually; none experienced flu-like symptoms upon release; all of the released individuals were incarcerated in the Monroe County Jail for at least 14 days. There are no COVID-19 cases in the Monroe County Jail.

### Breakdown of MCJ inmate release, as directed by NYS Division of Parole:

- 51 inmates in total released; of those:
  - 8 inmates classified as sex offenders
  - 12 inmates classified as transient population and transported to suitable housing at area hotels as determined by NYS Division of Parole and Monroe County Department of Human Services
  - One (1) inmate transported to Rochester General Hospital for a Mental Health Evaluation
  - 10 inmates released with electronic monitoring devices

The release of incarcerated individuals from the Monroe County Jail, as directed by the New York State Division of Parole, began on Friday, March 27, 2020 at 5:30 p.m. and was completed on Saturday, March 28, 2020 at 3:00 a.m. Thank you to the many deputies, staff, and civilians who worked diligently to facilitate this order.

