CANIDATES NEEDED

FOR THE ARIZONA BOARD OF EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

BACKGROUND

The Board of Executive Clemency (BOEC) reviews all clemency cases in Arizona, including petitions from prisoners seeking a full pardon, a commutation to a lesser sentence, or a temporary release from prison to obtain medical treatment or end-of-life care due to a terminal medical condition. Specifically, BOEC considers the following types of cases:

- Absolute Discharge
- Commutation
- General Parole or Parole to a Consecutive Sentence
- Reprieve
- Pardon

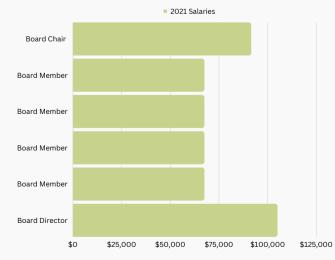
In the case of a reprieve, commutation, parole, or pardon, the Board makes a recommendation to the Governor, who has the final authority over whether to grant clemency in these types of cases.

The service term is five years and members are reappointed at the discretion of the governor. Positions are filled based on governor appointment and senate confirmation.

Full employee benefits are available to the BOEC members. The Board works a full time schedule conducting hearings Monday through Thursday. As of September 2022 hearings are held at 4000 N Central, Floor 23, Suite 2300 in Phoenix or at the Arizona State Prison Complex - Florence.

SALARY INFORMATION

from 2021 public record data available, the board chair salary was \$91,490 and board members salary averaged at \$67,444. The governor selects who should serve as chair person.



WHO CAN SERVE?

The Arizona Constitution defines the basic qualification for appointment to a State Board or Commission as:

- Must be a resident of Arizona
- At least 18 years of age.

Each member of the Board is appointed on the basis of broad professional and educational qualifications with an interest in the state's correctional program.

No more than two members from the same professional discipline may be members of the Board at the same time. Terms expire on the third Monday in January of the appropriate year.

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