

My name is Anthony Ammons Junior at 16 I went to prison and was sentenced to 102 years to life. I was fortunate enough to turn my life around and think differently and do better. I was in a documentary called QBall which in 2018 led to the reduction of my sentence through a commutation by Governor Jerry Brown from 102 years to life to 19 years time served. After my second board hearing in 2021, and since my release from prison, I made it my goal to amplify the voice of the incarcerated community through jobs such as working for the Golden State Warriors as an elevator operator and then working as a public safety coordinator for assembly member Mia Bonta and now as a special project coordinator for the California Department of Justice. I am community-focused as well as being human-being-driven. While working for the California Department of Justice, I am also in community college at Long Beach Community College studying humanities because I believe that education amplifies experience