

## **Eligibility Criteria for Somerset County Pardons Project**

1. Somerset County resident and with a Somerset County record. If the client's home county does not already have a Pardon Project, but the client has a Somerset County record, we will work with the client to obtain records, information, etc.
2. Financial guidelines (200% below the federal poverty line)
3. 3+ years of sobriety
4. 5 years crime-free conditions as follows:
  - a. Not currently on probation or parole
  - b. No active prosecutions
  - c. 5 years since completion of sentence
5. Ability to pay entire restitution amount within 30 months
6. The following offenses are excluded from this Project:
  - a. Felony assault (physical or sexual) of a minor
  - b. Felony crimes of violence including domestic violence
  - c. Sex offenses requiring SORNA or Megan's Law registration
  - d. Felony gun offenses wherein a gun was used in the commission of a crime or a gun was unlawfully possessed by the client