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SUPPORTING INDIVIDUALS WORKING IN OUR NATION'S JAILS

## American Jail Association Resolution Intermediate Sanctions

**WHEREAS,** the American Jail Association recognizes the detrimental impact that crowding places on local jails, and

**WHEREAS,** many of those who are incarcerated in jails do not pose a known danger to themselves or to society;

**THEREFORE BE  
IT RESOLVED**

**THAT** the American Jail Association support the expansion of intermediate sanctions in states and localities throughout America for offenders who do not pose a known danger to public safety. The American Jail Association believes that intermediate sanctions address real concerns of constituents.

*Adopted by the American Jail Association Board of Directors on November 14, 1992.  
Re-affirmed May 3, 2008, by the AJA Board of Directors in Sacramento, California.  
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