IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

ORDER

04-cr-49-bbc

v.

WILLIE HERRON,

Defendant.

Defendant Willie Herron has filed a motion pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3582, seeking a reduction of the sentence imposed upon him in this court on January 28, 2009. The motion will be granted.

When defendant was sentenced in 2009, his term of imprisonment was 146 months, which was at about the midpoint of the sentencing guideline range of 130 to 162 months. Under the amended guidelines, defendant has an advisory guideline range of 110 to 137 months.

Defendant has asked for a sentence of 110 months, at the bottom of the amended sentencing range. The government argues for a decrease to the midpoint of the range or 123

months.

I am persuaded that a sentence at the midpoint of the amended guideline range would be sufficient to protect the community, provide defendant the opportunity for substance abuse counseling and other rehabilitative programs, including vocational training, and achieve parity with the sentences of similarly situated offenders.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that the judgment and commitment order signed on January 28, 2009, is AMENDED to provide that the sentence imposed on defendant Willie Herron is reduced to 123 months. In all other respects, the judgment and commitment order remains as signed on January 28, 2009.

Entered this 21st day of November, 2011.

BY THE COURT: /s/ BARBARA B. CRABB District Judge