

AGING YOUNG BOY KILLERS UP FOR PAROLE

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Two members of the **Young Boy Killers** gang who were sentenced to life in prison **for** beating a man to death with baseball bats because the man owed a drug debt are to have **parole** hearings Jan. 15.

Brian Matthew Hurst, 50, and Robert James Peterson, 57, were found guilty of first-degree murder and were sentenced May 20, 1980, in Detroit Recorder's Court **for** the slaying of Alvin Rosser, 40, in Rosser's apartment on Woodrow Wilson in Detroit on July 21, 1979.

The Michigan **Parole** Board is to hold a public hearing at 11 a.m. **for** Peterson and a 1 p.m. hearing **for** Hurst to consider the possible commutation of their sentences. The hearings are to be at the Handlon Correctional Facility in Ionia.

Young Boy Killers was affiliated with the notorious gang **Young Boys Inc.** that operated a heroin-selling business that grossed \$100,000 a week. According to police, Rosser sold drugs **for** **Young Boys Inc.** and owed the gang \$290.

Hurst and Peterson were with two other men who went to Rosser's apartment to beat Rosser. He died the next day from massive head injuries at a local hospital.

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