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The national recidivism rate
is 67%!

NC's is approximately one out
of two



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Problem for
Society



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Ex-offenders commit 80%
of all crime!

Around 11,000 ex-offenders
are currently supervised in
the Charlotte metro area!



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Lately, only 20% of ex-offenders are supervised by the state.

Most of the help is up to us in the community!



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Jails / Prisons become overcrowded, leading to higher taxpayer cost!

Incarceration costs \$25,000-\$40,000 annually per prisoner!



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Due to new laws, increasing numbers, and the state's reluctance to build enough jails and prisons

Even more ex-offenders pour into our communities. They already live all around you right now.



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Major Issues:

Multiple factors increasing recidivism are **not** adequately addressed!

A total person approach that helps change thinking and behaviors is **not** consistently applied!

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The Result:

Ex-offenders remain unchanged...

And the cycle continues!



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BIG Problem

Demands a BIG Solution!!