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You are hereby notified that the Court has entered the following opinion and order:

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2017AP329-CRNM      State of Wisconsin v. Carl A. Evrard (L.C. #2015CF138)

Before Neubauer, C.J., Reilly, P.J., and Hagedorn, J.

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Carl Evrard appeals from a judgment convicting him of first-degree reckless homicide (delivery of drugs) contrary to WIS. STAT. § 940.02(2)(a) (2015-16).<sup>1</sup> Evrard's appellate counsel filed a no-merit report pursuant to WIS. STAT. RULE 809.32 and *Anders v. California*, 386 U.S.

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<sup>1</sup> All references to the Wisconsin Statutes are to the 2015-16 version unless otherwise noted.

738 (1967). Evrard received a copy of the report and was advised of his right to file a response. He has not done so. Upon consideration of the report and an independent review of the record as mandated by *Anders* and RULE 809.32, we summarily affirm the judgment because there are no issues that would have arguable merit for appeal. WIS. STAT. RULE 809.21.

The circuit court sentenced Evrard to a twenty-year term (eight years of initial confinement and twelve years of extended supervision). The court also imposed \$12,750 in restitution. Evrard received sentence credit.

The no-merit report addresses the following possible appellate issues: (1) whether Evrard's guilty plea was knowingly, voluntarily, and intelligently entered and (2) whether the circuit court misused its sentencing discretion. After reviewing the record, we conclude that counsel's no-merit report properly analyzes these issues and correctly concludes that these issues are without arguable merit.

In addition to the issues discussed above, we have independently reviewed the record. Our independent review of the record did not disclose any potentially meritorious issue for appeal. Because we conclude that there would be no arguable merit to any issue that could be raised on appeal, we accept the no-merit report, affirm the judgment of conviction and relieve Attorney Jeremy Newman of further representation of Evrard in this matter.

Upon the foregoing reasons,

IT IS ORDERED that the judgment of the circuit court is summarily affirmed pursuant to WIS. STAT. RULE 809.21.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Attorney Jeremy Newman is relieved of further representation of Carl Evrard in this matter.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this summary disposition order will not be published.

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*Sheila T. Reiff*  
*Clerk of Court of Appeals*