

**PUBLIC MEETING OF THE**  
**RANDALL COUNTY BAIL BOND BOARD**

MINUTES OF THE FEBRUARY 26, 2021 MEETING

Board Members Present: Judge Tracy Byrd, Judge Matt Martindale, Jennifer Cates, Lt. Nina Parvin, David Fulton, Josh Dixon, Joel Forbis, and Angie Parker

RC Staff Present: Richard Gore

Bondsmen/Employees Present: Joshua & Chrystal Nelson, Janie Montano

Public: Drew Johnson, Bankers Insurance Company

Meeting called to order at 8:15 by Judge Byrd

1. **REVIEW OF MINUTES:** Motion to approve the minutes as presented for the meeting held on January 26th, 2021 was made by Nina Parvin and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Josh Dixon. Carried 7/0. (Joel came in later).
2. **CORRESPONDENCE:** To receive, review and discuss correspondence to the Randall County Bail Bond Board.
  - A. Received \$2,200 additional collateral from Bail Bonds by Judy on 2/3/21. Their limit has been increased accordingly by the SO.
3. **REPORTS ON BONDING COMPANIES:** To receive monthly report on bonding companies operating in Randall County. This includes discussion and any necessary action.
  - A. The board will look into a more useful way of processing and distributing the company reports to the bond companies. We will discuss our options at the next meeting.
4. **BAIL BOND EMPLOYEE APPLICATIONS:** Review, discuss and take any necessary action on the following pending applications. Also take notice and receive badges from employees no longer working for bonding companies.
  - A. Denied an application for Whitney Vick for Cowboy Bail Bonds because she marked no as to previous charges. Motion to deny made by Nina Parvin and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Joel Forbis. Carried 8/0. She is welcome to reapply and will be reconsidered at that time.
5. **APPLICATION FOR LICENSES:** Review, discuss and take any necessary action to accept or deny the following license applications.
  - A. Approved renewal application for Bargain Bail Bonds II; License #01-124, Agent Josh Dixon. License expires 02/24/23. Motion made by Angie Parker and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Joel Forbis. Carried 7/0 (Josh Dixon abstained).
  - B. Received new application for Allstate Bail Bonds, Agent Joshua Nelson. Motion made by Angie Parker and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Josh Dixon. Carried 8/0.
6. **DISCUSSION ITEMS:**
  - A. Discussed changing the wording to the Rules and Regulations to lower the minimum additional security that a bail bond company can post from \$2,500 to \$1,000.00. Richard Gore drafted the changes and they were posted on the official bulletin board at the Justice Center on February 1<sup>st</sup> and again on February 26<sup>th</sup> after the board meeting and will become effective 10 days after that. Richard noted that the way it is worded, the change will automatically revert back after December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2021 unless

further action is taken. Angie Parker made a motion to approve and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Joel Forbis. Carried 8/0.

**7. AGENDA ITEMS FOR THE NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING:** The Board will consider the following items for the next meeting March 23rd, 2021.

- A. Take action on renewal application for Allstate Bail Bonds.
- B. Discuss the necessity of employee badges.

**8. OPEN FOR PUBLIC DISCUSSION –**

Motion to adjourn at 8:32 made by Nina Parvin and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Joel Forbis. Carried 8/0.