

ELLIS COUNTY BAIL BOND BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, December 15, 2022, 1:15 P.M.
Ellis County Courts Building, Board Members met In-Person
109 S. Jackson St., Waxahachie, Texas

Directors Present: Krystal Valdez, County Clerk
Captain Tommie Eberhart, Designee for County Sheriff
Judge A. Gene Calvert, Jr., County Court at Law #2 (Via WebEx)
Cherie Batsel, Designee for County & District Attorney
Mary Ridgway, Designee for District Clerk
Paul Manigrasso, Criminal Defense Attorney
Chris Macon, Justice of the Peace, Pct. 1
Richard K. Shinpaugh, Licensed Bail Bond Surety Designee (Via WebEx)

Directors Absent: Judge Todd Little, County Judge
Judge Calla Ross, Municipal Judge
Judge Cindy Ermatinger, 443rd Judicial District Judge
Cheryl Chambers, County Treasurer

Others Present: Samantha Johnson, Ellis County & District Attorney's Office
Shannon Lampier, Ellis County Judge's Office
Barbara Rowland, Act Swift Bail Bonds

CALL TO ORDER

In accordance with Agenda Item 1.1. Director Macon called meeting to order, declared quorum and declared notices legally posted pursuant to Open Meetings Act.

In accordance with Agenda Item 1.2, and upon a motion to open the meeting by Director Manigrasso, second by Director Valdez, the motion was unanimously approved.

In accordance with Agenda Item 1.3, the Invocation was led by Director Macon and Pledges of Allegiance were led by Director Valdez.

ADMINISTRATIVE

In accordance with Agenda Item 2.1, and upon a motion by Director Eberhart, seconded by Director Valdez, the minutes of the meeting held on November 17, 2022, were unanimously approved.

In accordance with Agenda Item 2.2, a report from the designated agent for Ellis County Bail Bond Board concerning companies that have been reported to the Sheriff for nonpayment of judgments. Samantha Johnson stated there have been none reported.

In accordance with Agenda Item 2.3, a report from the designated agent for Ellis County Bail Bond Board concerning outstanding NISI Judgments of Waxahachie Area Bail Bonds. Samantha Johnson reported \$10,500.00 outstanding.

In accordance with Agenda Item 2.4, a report from the Sheriff's Office concerning the outstanding bail bonds of Waxahachie Area Bail Bonds. Captain Eberhart reported \$1,234,291.02 outstanding, with \$1,881.58 available.

APPLICATIONS

Applicant was sworn in by Director Macon.

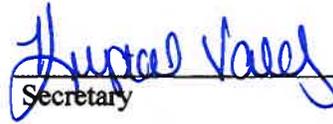
In accordance with Agenda Item 3.1, and upon a motion by Director Valdez, seconded by Director Batsel, the Ellis County Bail Bond Employee Application received from Barbara Rowland, a new employee applicant of Act Swift Bail Bonds, was unanimously approved.

ADJOURNMENT

Upon a motion by Director Eberhart, second by Director Valdez, the meeting was adjourned by Director Macon at approximately 1:21 p.m.



Presiding Officer/Vice-Presiding Officer



Secretary

26 JANUARY 2023

Date Approved

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Date Approved