

ELLIS COUNTY BAIL BOND BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, June 26, 2025, 1:00 P.M.

Members met at the Ellis County Commissioners' Courtroom (2nd Floor)
101 W. Main St Waxahachie, Texas

Directors Present: Judge A. Gene Calvert, Jr, County Court at Law 2
Deborah Bonner, Designee for County & District Attorney
Cheryl Chambers, County Treasurer
Krystal Valdez, County Clerk
Shannan Lampier, Designee for County Judge
Dusty Autrey, Licensed Bail Bond Agent
Byron Winborne, Defense Attorney
Judge Calla Ross, Municipal Judge
Chief Deputy Terry Ogden, Designee for Ellis County Sheriff

Others Present: Tony Rieper, A-1 Bail Bonds
Steve Feiden, eBonds

CALL TO ORDER & MEETING OPENING

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

In accordance with Agenda Item 1.2, and upon a motion to open the meeting by Director Calvert, seconded by Director Ross, was unanimously approved.

ADMINISTRATIVE

In accordance with Agenda Item 3.1, concerning approval of the May 22, 2025 meeting minutes. A motion to approve the minutes by Director Ross, seconded by Director Calvert, was unanimously approved.

In accordance with Agenda Item 3.2, a report concerning companies that have been reported to the Sheriff for nonpayment of judgments. Deborah Bonner reported that AA Best Bail Bonds has not paid after continued collection efforts. A motion to accept the report by Director Calvert, seconded by Director Ross, was unanimously approved.

In accordance with Agenda Item 3.3, a report from the County & District Attorney's Office concerning outstanding NISI Judgments. Deborah Bonner reported 1,182 outstanding judgments, totaling \$6,926,946.00. A motion to accept the report by Director Ross, seconded by Director Valdez, was unanimously approved.

In accordance with Agenda Item 3.4, a request to suspend the bond writing privileges of AA Best Bail Bonds due to an outstanding judgment. The motion to suspend until paid by Director Valdez, seconded by Director Ross, was unanimously approved.

In accordance with Agenda Item 3.5, Chief Deputy Terry Ogden went over the benefits of using eBonds in the Sheriff's Office. Will make a decision after discussing further details with legal.

ADJOURNMENT

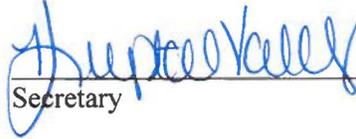
Upon a motion by Director Ross, seconded by Director Ogden, the meeting was adjourned at approximately 1:29 p.m.



Presiding Officer

7/24/2025

Date Approved



Secretary

7-24-25

Date Approved