

BRAZORIA COUNTY TEXAS BAIL BOND BOARD MINUTES OCTOBER 3, 2024

BE IT REMEMBERED that on the 3rd day of October, 2024 the meeting of the Brazoria County Bail Bond Board was held.

The following members were present:

Judge Chad Bradshaw, 300th District Court Judge
Judge Jeremy Warren, County Court at Law and Probate #3
Judge Sherry Kersh, Justice of the Peace Precinct 4 Place 2
Raethella Jones, District Attorney's Office Representative
Corey Hudman, District Clerk Representative
Jerome Aldrich, Criminal Defense Attorney Representative
Sgt. Dwight Taylor, Sheriff's Office Representative
Kathleen Woods, Bail Bondsman Representative and Bail Bond Board Vice Chair

The following members were Absent:

Judge L.M. Matt Sebesta Jr., County Judge Judge Jeffrey Gilbert, Municipal Court Judge and Bail Bond Board Chairman Honorable Joyce Hudman, County Clerk Honorable Angela Dees, County Treasurer

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 5, 2024

Motion by Judge Sherry Kersh seconded by Raethella Jones, that the Meeting Minutes of the Brazoria County Bail Bond Board meeting be approved as presented. Motion passed unanimously.

- 2. PUBLIC APPEARANCES NONE
- 3. FORMAL REPORTS AND APPEARANCES NONE
- 4. UNFINISHED BUSINESS NONE
- 5. NEW BUSINESS
 - A. Board members are asked to approve an application for a new bail bond employee, <u>Veronica Rodriguez Bonilla</u>, for Elisa Loraine Garcia, under the following dba:
 - Texas Best Bail Bonds, License #145

The applicant has an approved background check by Capt. Wayne Williams.

Motion by Corey Hudman, seconded by Jerome Aldrich that the application for the employment of Veronica Rodriguez Bonilla be approved as presented. Motion passed unanimously.

- B. Board members are asked to approve applications for new bail bond employees <u>Steve Scott and Larry Hatthorn</u>, for Kelly Scott, under the following dba's:
 - Hatthorn Bail Bonds, License #163
 - Larry Hatthorn Bail Bonds 3, License #150

The applicants have approved background checks by Capt. Wayne Williams.

Motion by Corey Hudman, seconded by Jerome Aldrich that the applications for the employment of Steve Scott and Larry Hatthorn be approved as presented. Motion passed unanimously.

- C. Board members are asked to approve an application for a new bail bond employee, Aubrie Bigham, for Cindy Hammons under the following dba's:
 - Action Bail Bonds, License #96
 - Cindy's Bail Bonds 1, License #119
 - Confidential Bail Bonds 1. License #118

The applicant has an approved background check by Capt. Wayne Williams.

Motion by Corey Hudman, seconded by Jerome Aldrich that the application for the employment of Aubrie Bigham be approved as presented. Motion passed unanimously.

6. ANNOUNCEMENT

- A. Judge Chad Bradshaw of the 300th Judicial District Court, will serve as the District Court Judge Representative for the Brazoria County Bail Bond Board, replacing Judge Patrick Bulanek of the 461st District Court. (See Exhibit 1)
- B. As passed by Brazoria County Commissioners Court, and per the attached Court Order H.2., dated September 24, 2024, Judge Jeremy Warren, County Court at Law #3, has been designated to serve as the County Court at Law Representative for the Brazoria County Bail Bond Board.

7. CLOSED MEETING - NONE

The Board will conduct a closed meeting under Chapter 551.071 of the Texas Government Code, consultation with its attorney to seek the advice of attorney regarding: (A) pending or contemplated litigation; or (B) a settlement offer, or (C) on a matter in which the duty of the attorney to the Board under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct of the State Bar of Texas clearly conflicts with this chapter.

8. ADJOURN

Motion by Raethella Jones, seconded by Judge Sherry Kersh that the Brazoria County Bail Bond Board Meeting adjourn. Motion passed unanimously.

Jeffrey Gilbert Municipal Court Judge Bail Bond Board Chairman

Dina Brown,

Senior Administrator Bail Bond Board