

MINUTES OF THE QUARTERLY MEETING OF THE HOPKINS COUNTY BAIL BOND BOARD

On this the 29th day of January, 2021, the following officials of Hopkins County, Texas met remotely using Zoom:

County Judge, Robert Newsom
County Court at Law Judge, Clay Harrison
JP 1 Judge, BJ Teer
Sheriff's Office, Whitney Waller
County Clerk, Tracy Smith
District Attorney Will Ramsay
County Treasurer, Danny Davis
CCL Coordinator, Lindsay Smith
Double C Bail Bonds, Cindy Horton
A Fresh Start Bail Bonds, C.J. Duffey

And the meeting being called to order at 2:06 p.m., Judge Newsom, Chairman of the Hopkins County Bail Bond Board, presided over this organizational meeting, whereupon the following resolutions were duly adopted upon motion made, seconded and unanimously carried, to wit:

- I. Announcement by the Chairman that the meeting has been duly called to order and quorum was present.**
 - (1) Chairman Judge Newsom called the meeting to order.

- II. Approval of the Minutes from Previous Quarterly Meeting on October 23, 2020.**
 - (1) After reviewing the minutes from the previous meeting, a motion to approve the minutes was made by Judge Harrison and seconded by Judge Teer. Motion was called to a vote and carried unanimously. Motion passed and minutes were approved.

- III. The Hopkins County Bail Bond Board to Discuss and/or Take Appropriate Action on new employee application for Not Guilty Bail Bonds**
 - (1) Judge Newsom went over the contents of the application. Because no representative was present from Not Guilty Bail Bonds, Mr. Will Ramsay made a motion to continue the applicant's temporary employment status until a representative could appear before the board at the next meeting. The motion was seconded by Judge Harrison. Motion was called to a vote and carried unanimously. Motion passed and the agenda item will be continued until the next quarterly meeting.


- IV. The Hopkins County Bail Bond Board to Discuss and/or Take Appropriate Action on Lone Star Bail Bond's request for release of security, real property located at 4400 CR 2200.**
 - (1) Ms. Tracy Smith informed the board that there are still pending cases and therefore liability in her court for this company. Mr. Danny Davis recommended that property not be released at this time due to pending cases. Ms. Whitney Waller made a motion that the request would be denied at this time, but the item would be placed back on the next agenda to allow the company time to dispose of pending cases. The motion was seconded by Mr. Danny Davis. Motion was called to a vote and carried unanimously. Motion passed and the request was denied at present time, but will be placed on next meeting's agenda.

- V. The Hopkins County Bail Bond Board to Take Comments from the Public and Discuss Future Agenda Items**
 - (1) Renewal application of A Fresh Start Bail Bonds – Judge Newsom gave the reminder to turn in all paper work prior to the next meeting.

- VI. Bail Bond Board to Adjourn.**
 - (1) There being no further business to discuss, a motion to adjourn was made by Judge Teer. The motion was seconded by Will Ramsay. Motion was called to a vote and carried unanimously. The meeting was adjourned by Judge Newsom at 2:19 p.m.

MINUTES APPROVED:

To certify which, witness my hand this 30 day of April, 2021.



Judge Robert Newsom

Chairman of Hopkins County Bail Bond Board