



HARRIS COUNTY BAIL BOND BOARD

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MINUTES OF APRIL 10, 2019 MEETING NO. 445

The monthly meeting of the Harris County Bail Bond Board was held Wednesday, April 10, 2019, in the Harris County Administration Building, Commissioners Courtroom, 1001 Preston St. Houston, Texas 77002. The meeting was called to order by Chairman IFIC-Glenn Strickland, at 1:30 p.m.

ATTENDANCE:

IFIC- Glenn Strickland, Chairman
Michael Butera, Designee for Kim Ogg
David Chang, Designee for Dylan Osborne, County Treasurer
Kathryn M. Kase, Designee for Lina Hidalgo, County Judge
Honorable Esmeralda Pena Garcia, Designee for Honorable J. Elaine Marshall
Judith Snively, Designee for Marilyn Burgess, District Clerk
Troy McKinney, Vice Chairman
Sergeant Sisto DeLeon, Harris County Sheriff's Office
Deputy Gregory Cox, Harris County Sheriff's Office
Leslie Rubio, Recorder, Harris County Sheriff's Office

NOT IN ATTENDANCE:

Honorable Shannon Baldwin
Honorable Maria T. Jackson
Honorable Angela Rodriguez

A. READING OF PRIOR MINUTES

Subject to corrections on renewal: Advance Bay Area Bail Bonds, seconded motion by Glenn Strickland; motion to approve remainder of minutes made by Troy McKinney; seconded by Michael Butera.

B. OLD BUSINESS

1. February 12, 2019 amended minutes amendment made and approved to reflect Troy McKinney's presence but not attending as a voting member.

Correction accepted.

2. Request made by Allegheny Casualty Company, agent David Westmoreland, DbA: Texas Quick Bail, License No. 74468 to return the security deposit, Comerica Bank CD# 385106117596 (\$50,000). **(JP LETTERS MAILED ON 12/10/2018)**

Motion to approve made by Troy McKinney; seconded by Judge Esmeralda Pena Garcia; motion carried. (All in favor)

3. Request made by International Fidelity Insurance Company, agent Paula Tatuaka, DbA: Texas Quick Bail Bonds II, License No. 74549 to return the security deposit, Amegy Bank CD# 1089603182 (\$50,000). **(JP LETTERS MAILED ON 12/31/2018)**

Motion to approve made by Michael Butera; seconded by Judge Esmeralda Pena Garcia; motion carried. (All in favor)

C. NEW BUSINESS

1. Request for Renewal of License

U.S. SPECIALTY INS. CO.

Agent: Jose Espinoza
DbA: Espinoza's A-Affordable Bail Bonds
806 Pasadena Boulevard
Pasadena, Texas 77506

VOIR DIRE COMPLETE

License No. 74581
Phone: 713-644-3211
2-year license

Motion to approve by Judge Esmeralda Pena Garcia; seconded by Michael Butera; motion carried. (All in favor)

2. Request for Renewal of License

ALLEGHENY CASUALTY COMPANY

Agent: Thomas Stith II
Dbas: North Main Bail Bond Company
108 Pecore Street
Houston, Texas 77009

VOIR DIRE COMPLETE

License No. 74494
Phone: 713-869-5625
3-year license

Motion to approve by Troy McKinney; seconded by Michael Butera; motion carried.
(All in favor)

3. Request made by Bankers Insurance Group, agent Kevin O'Brien, Dba: Bail Bond Services, License No. 74486 to return the security deposit, Bankers Insurance Group CD# TR357319 (\$50,000). **(JP LETTERS MAILED ON 03/11/2019)**

Tabled for thirty (30) days by Michael Butera; seconded by Troy McKinney; no action taken.

4. Request made by Felix Kubosh, Dba: Kubosh Bail Bonding, License No. 74386 to release property at 1619 Lubbock Street, Houston, Texas 77007. **(JP LETTERS MAILED ON 03/28/2019)**

Tabled for thirty (30) days by Michael Butera; seconded by Troy McKinney; no action taken.

5. Discussion on how the Treasurer's Office will be moving to a new methodology for keeping collateral accounts for bail bonds people, surety companies, insurance companies and attorneys.

Acknowledged.

6. Follow up to February 12, 2019 agenda as discussion on a Petition in Condemnation the Property owned by Catherine Joy Scroggins received by the Bail Bond Board. The property was used for collateral to write bonds in Harris County by Joy Scroggins (deceased).

Acknowledged.

Motion to adjourn made by Troy McKinney; seconded by Judge Esmeralda Pena Garcia and was carried. (All in favor).

Meeting ended at 1:52 p.m.

IFIC-Glenn Strickland, Chairman
Harris County Bail Bond Board

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