

**ARKANSAS PROFESSIONAL
BAIL BONDSMAN LICENSING BOARD
Regular Meeting via Zoom
July 14th, 2023**

Roll call was taken. The following members were present Clark, Muldoon, Joyner, Molder, Wilburn, and Craig. Edwards was absent.

Clark made a motion to excuse Edwards due to job related circumstances. Molder 2nd. Motion passed.

Assistant Attorney General Doralee Chandler was present. Board Staff Scott Handford, Ron Bratton, and Veronica Tuzon was present.

Hearings

Benton County vs GM Bail Bonds/Jacqueline Hanna Forfeiture

Board was read details of the Forfeiture by Assistant Attorney General Doralee Chandler. There was no discussion.

Clark made a motion to pay the forfeiture from the Bail Bond Recovery Fund. Molder 2nd. Motion passed.

Minutes from last meeting.

Minutes presented for previous meeting June 9th, 2023, were approved. Wilburn made motion to approve previous minutes and Molder seconded. Motion passed.

Old business

AG reported no appeal updates pending.

NEW BUSINESS

Vouchers Paid & Financial Report:

The Chairman invited questions and/or discussion regarding the vouchers paid since last meeting. Clark made a motion to approve expenses and Muldoon seconded. Motion passed.

Forfeitures: Forty-Nine (49) new forfeitures.

Transfers- There were zero (0) transfer.

License Suspensions and Terminations- There were zero (0) License Suspensions and Termination.

License Approvals:

There were eight (8) licenses issued since last meeting.

The Previous Months Forfeiture Report was presented.

A motion by Joyner was made to send out a 10-day letter on all forfeitures that are not paid in a timely manner. Muldoon seconded. Motion passed.

Sale of Free At Last Bail Bonds Co. Inc.

After hearing detail of the sale. Muldoon made a motion to Continue sale until September board meeting, due to mistake in paperwork presented to board members. Molder seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Investigators Report: Investigator informed board of new cases working and working with AG on previous cases.

Director's Report / Review:

Director discussed Board retreat on Aug. 10-11, 2023, pertaining to Rule 1 cleanup and additions. Director gave final report.

Public Comments:

No public comments.

Meeting was adjourned.

Clark made a motion to adjourn, Molder seconded. Meeting was adjourned.

Submitted for approval:

This 8th day of September, 2023

_____ Curt Clark, Chairman