

DALLAS COUNTY BAIL BOND BOARD

LEGAL NOTICE & AGENDA

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Section 1704.055 of the Texas Occupations Code, the Presiding Officer of the Dallas County Bail Bond Board has called a regular meeting of the Board at 2:00 o'clock p.m. on the 13th day of February 2020, in Judge Julia Hayes' County Criminal Courtroom #2, located on the 3rd floor of Frank Crowley Criminal Court Building, 133 North Riverfront Boulevard, Dallas County, Texas.

- A. Call To Order**
- B. Quorum Determination**
- C. Meeting Declared Open**
- D. Approval of Minutes**
- E. Reports**

Item 1: Report of ID applications.

Item 2: Report of pending or ongoing investigation(s) or complaint(s):

Investigation complaint number C19-009 against Roberto D. Benavides, account number 716

Investigation complaint number C19-011 against American Surety Company, Jamal Qaddura, agent, d/b/a "AAA Professional Bail Bonds," original license issued December 28, 2016, license number 254, account number 1170.

DALLAS COUNTY BAIL BOND BOARD

Marian Brown
Sheriff
Felicia Ortiz
Designee

Hon. John Creuzot
Criminal District Atty.
Larissa Roeder
Designee

Hon. Dominique Collins
Judge
Criminal Dist. Ct. #4

Hon. Julia Hayes
Judge
County Crim. Ct #2

Hon. Felicia Pitre
District Clerk
Nina Mountique
Designee

Hon. Pauline Medrano
County Treasurer
Tracy Hines
Designee

Hon. John Warren
County Clerk
Hon. John Wiley Price
Designee

Hon. Clay Jenkins
County Judge
Hon. Royal Furgeson
Designee

Hon. Michael Acuña
Judge
Municipal Court

Tom Cox
Elected Representative
Criminal Defense Attorneys

Hon. Sara Martinez
Justice of the Peace
Precinct 5, Place 1

Scott Walstad
Elected Representative
Licensed Bondsmen

STAFF

David L. Finney
Asst. Dist. Atty.
Legal Advisor

Jessica Nimo
Sheriff's Department
Administrative Supervisor

Rachel Astran
Sheriff's Department
Administrative Secretary

Inv. Scott Jones
Sheriff's Department
Investigator

Pamela Pawsey
Sheriff's Department
Administrative Clerk

Item 3. Announcement of the results of the 2020 election for the Dallas County Bail Bond Board Criminal Defense Attorneys' Representative.

Item 4. Announcement of the results of the 2020 election for the Dallas County Bail Bond Board Justice of the Peace Representative.


E. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

None.

F. NEW BUSINESS

Item 1. Discussion and any possible action regarding the request to withdraw the following property tendered and pledged to the Board from Thomas Benson, licensee, d/b/a "Tom Benson Bail Bonds," original license issued April 20, 1997, license number 169, account number 830.

<u>Property</u>	<u>DCBBB Pledged Value</u>
2410 Summer Brook Court Cedar Hill, Texas	\$50,496.00

 **Item 2.** Discussion and any possible action regarding the request to withdraw the following certificate of deposit from Marjorie Walstad, licensee, d/b/a "Immediate Bail Bonds," original license issued April 30, 1990, license number 147, account number 719.

<u>CD</u>	<u>BANK</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
000385111802448	Comerica Bank	\$25,000.00

Item 3. Discussion and possible action regarding the withdrawal of the following certificate of deposit from Texas Fire and Casualty, Tom Taylor, agent, d/b/a "Taylor Bail Bond Service," license number 32, account number 598. This is a closed account.

<u>CD</u>	<u>BANK</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
145-032	Merchants Nat'l Bank	\$5,000.00

Item 4. Determination of reasonable cause to proceed with an investigation on written complaint number C20-001 against First Community Insurance Company, Milene Cooper, agent, d/b/a "Ace Bail Bonds," original license issued October 19, 2015, license number 244, account number 1150 and/or Milene Cooper, licensee, d/b/a "Ace Bail Bonds," original license issued July 14, 2011, license number 223, account number 1086.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

For purposes permitted by Chapter 551, Open Meetings, Texas Government Code, Sections 551.071, 551.072, 551.073, 551.074, 551.0745, 551.075, and 551.076. The Dallas County Bail Bond Board reserves the right to exercise its discretion and may convene in closed executive session as authorized the Texas Government Code §§ 551.071, *et seq.* on any of the items listed on its agendas.

Subjects: • Pending or Contemplated Litigation and Attorney-Client Information: TEX. GOV'T CODE ANN. §§ 551.071(1) (A) and (B): regarding Cause No. PR-18-02375-1, *In the Estate of Philip S. Kohn, Deceased*, in Probate Court Number 1 of Dallas County, Texas.

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G. Invitation to make brief comments from the audience and from Board members as permitted by the Texas Government Code.

H. Adjourn Regular Session.

On the 7th day of February, 2020, this Agenda was posted on the bulletin board, outside the Sheriff's Department at the base of the escalators, in the Frank Crowley Criminal Courts Building, 133 N. Riverfront Blvd., and at the Bond Desk at 111 W. Commerce, both locations in the City of Dallas, Dallas County, Texas.



Scott Walstad, Presiding Officer
Dallas County Bail Bond Board