

# ALABAMA BOARD OF PARDONS & PAROLES

## Open Public Meeting Minutes

August 17, 2021

### A. Call to Order:

1. The Alabama Board of Pardons and Paroles called to order its open public meeting on this date at 8:15 A.M., 100 Capitol Commerce Blvd. Montgomery, AL 36117 for the purpose of conducting its regular parole/pardon hearings, as prescribed by Alabama Code, Title 15, Chapter 22. Board members present were: Leigh Gwathney, Chairman and Dwayne Spurlock, Board Member and Darryl Littleton, Board Member.
2. The Board met to discuss the attached agenda, with the action taken by the Board recorded by the Board's secretary, Sandra Cochran.

### B. Board Business: The Board approved minutes from previous meeting of August 12, 2021 moved by Dwayne Spurlock and second by Darryl Littleton which was majority vote.

Upon request for reconsideration, the Board reviewed the parole file of Jonathan Pitts AIS# 239519. For cause, the Board votes to reinstate Pitts to parole. (See Attached Board Order)

### C. Daily Pardon/Parole Docket:

1. Vaughn Gilbert Johnson Jr., AIS #156163: Speaker against parole Ronald Brown (uncle), 2<sup>nd</sup> Doris Hancock VOCAL, 3<sup>rd</sup> Nayla Contreras (Attorney General Office Office). The Board vote to deny parole with a reset date of 8/2026.
2. David Traylor, AIS #154446: Speaker on behalf parole Scott Frye (Re-entry Program) Speaker against parole 1<sup>st</sup> Virginia Jackson (victim mother), 2<sup>nd</sup> Marsha Edwards (victim sister), 3<sup>rd</sup> Doris Hancock (VOCAL) 4<sup>th</sup> Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty Gen Office). The Board vote to deny parole with a reset date of 8/2026.
3. Jonathan Wesley Greene, AIS #291271: Speaker on behalf parole 1<sup>st</sup> Hal Walker (Attorney), 2<sup>nd</sup> Briggs Greene (father), 3<sup>rd</sup> Janet Greene (mother) Speaker against parole 1<sup>st</sup> Janette Grantham VOCAL, 2<sup>nd</sup> Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty Gen Office). The Board vote to deny parole with a reset date of 8/2025.
4. Eddie Ladon Rowe, AIS #243616: Speaker on behalf of parole 1<sup>st</sup> Samuel Rowe (brother) 2<sup>nd</sup> Carrie Huffman (friend), Speaker against parole 1<sup>st</sup> Janecia Moore (victim sister) 2<sup>nd</sup> Derrick Smith (victim brother) 3<sup>rd</sup> Janette Grantham (VOCAL) 4<sup>th</sup> Nayla Contreras VSO (Attorney General Office). The Board vote to deny parole with no reset date.

5. Eddie Lee Tucker, AIS #135807: Speaker against parole 1<sup>st</sup> Diane Walden (victim daughter) 2<sup>nd</sup> Janette Grantham VOCAL, 3<sup>rd</sup> Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty Gen Office). The Board vote to deny a parole with a reset date of 8/2026.
6. George Allen Burnett, AIS #230119: Speaker against parole 1<sup>st</sup> Doyle Hudson (victim son) 2<sup>nd</sup> Marilyn Dalley (victim sister), 3<sup>rd</sup> Janette Grantham VOCAL, 4<sup>th</sup> Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty Gene Office). The Board vote to deny parole with no reset date.
7. Devarias Cortez Brown, AIS #224946: Speaker on behalf of parole 1<sup>st</sup> Donna Smith (Advocate), 2<sup>nd</sup> Karen Brown (mother), 3<sup>rd</sup> Dennis McKinney (Pastor) Speaker against parole 1<sup>st</sup> Doris Hancock VOCAL, 2<sup>nd</sup> Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty Gen Office) at 10:36am the Board went into executive session called by Darryl Littleton and second by Dwayne Spurlock with majority vote to review the file and out of executive session at 10:39am to vote. The Board vote to deny parole with a reset date of 8/2026.
8. Douglas James Dambaugh, AIS #116211: Speaker on behalf of pardon Douglas Dambaugh (self), Dean Dambach (brother) Speaker against parole 1<sup>st</sup> Doris Hancock VOCAL, 3<sup>rd</sup> Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty Gen Office). The Board vote to deny a pardon.
9. Antrun Lashun Pierce, AIS #202512: Speaker on behalf of parole 1<sup>st</sup> Donna Smith (Advocate), 2<sup>nd</sup> Angelia Elliott (mother) Speaker on against 1<sup>st</sup> Janette Grantham VOCAL, 2<sup>nd</sup> Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty Gen Office). The Board vote to deny parole with a reset date of 8/2026.
10. Bernard Sanders, AIS #157473: Speaker on behalf of parole Eloise Williams (mother), Speaker against parole Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty Gen Office). The Board vote to deny a parole with a reset date of 8/2026.
11. Marvin Woods, AIS #242702: Speaker on behalf of parole Carmone Owens (Second Chance Program), 2<sup>nd</sup> Pauline White (mother), 3<sup>rd</sup> Kenneth Woods (brother) Speaker against parole 1<sup>st</sup> Doris Hancock VOCAL, 2<sup>nd</sup> Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty Gen Office). The Board vote to deny parole with a reset date of 8/2025.
12. Dean Eric Mahone, AIS#214209: Speaker on behalf of parole Sallie Harper (mother), Speaker against parole 1<sup>st</sup> Janette Grantham VOCAL, 2<sup>nd</sup> Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty Gen Office). The Board vote to deny pardon with a reset date of 8/2026.
13. Robert Earl Henderson, AIS# 154391: Speaker on behalf of parole Mary Bozeman (aunt) Speaker against parole Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty Gen Office) The Board vote to deny parole with a reset date of 8/2026.

14. Curtis Nathan Ramsey, AIS# 249622: Speaker against parole 1<sup>st</sup> Sarah Ramsey (mother), 2<sup>nd</sup> Rosemary Helton (aunt). The Board vote to deny parole with a reset date of 8/2023.
15. Anthony Smith, AIS# 270423: Speaker on behalf of pardon Anthony Smith (self). The Board vote to deny a pardon.
16. Christy Brenton McCormick, AIS# 277290: Speaker on behalf of pardon Christy Smith (self). The Board vote to grant a pardon with the following restrictions (relief from habitual offender act and firearms disabilities).
17. Darrius Ford, AIS# 823652: Speaker on behalf of pardon Darrius Ford (self). The Board vote to grant a pardon with the following restrictions (relief from habitual offender act and firearms disabilities).

The Board recessed for lunch from 1:05PM – 2:00PM.

18. Ronald David Tielking, AIS#204364: The Board vote to deny a pardon.
19. Geraldine Jones, AIS# 822657: The Board vote to grant a pardon with the following restrictions (relief from habitual offender act and firearms disabilities).
20. Robin Diane Jordan, AIS# 814974: The Board vote to deny a pardon.
21. David Terelle Love, AIS# 822923: The Board vote to deny a pardon.
22. Teresa C. Gideon, AIS# 188969: The Board vote to grant parole with special condition to complete Huntsville Day Reporting Center (DRC), Mental Health Follow-up and Drug Assessment Upon Release.
23. Robert James Hardy, AIS# 176046: The Board vote to deny parole with a reset date of 8/2022.
24. Benny Lee Betts, AIS# 218437: The Board vote to deny parole with no reset date.
25. Paul Edward Turner, AIS# 162739: The Board vote to deny parole with a reset date of 8/2026.
26. Matthew Emerson Usrey, AIS# 257865: The Board vote to deny parole with a reset date of 8/2026.
27. Charles Anthony Pearson, AIS# 182691: The Board vote to deny parole with a reset date of 8/2026.
28. Nathaniel Hank Harrison, AIS# 151319: The Board vote to deny parole with a reset date of 8/2026.

29. Brad Martin, AIS# 167650: The Board vote to deny parole with no reset date.
30. Michael Paul Roberts, AIS# 159178: The Board vote to deny parole with a reset date of 8/2023.
31. Keith Lamar Thompson, AIS# 220058: The Board vote to parole deny parole with no reset date.
32. Reginald Russell, AIS# 205689: The Board vote to deny parole with a reset date of 8/2023.
33. Nathaniel Scott Pilgrim, AIS# 280031: The Board vote to deny parole with no reset date.
34. Deric Julian Reese, AIS# 287587: The Board vote to deny parole with a reset date of 8/2026.
35. Octavia Norman, AIS# 166447: The Board vote to deny parole with no reset date.
36. Richard C. Snell, AIS# 1133823: The Board vote to deny parole with a reset date of 8/2023.
37. Donald Eugene Ippolito, AIS# 228019: The Board vote to grant parole with special condition to complete Baldwin County Day Reporting Center (DRC) and Drug Assessment Upon Release.
38. Jimmy Crawford, AIS# 162898: The Board vote to deny parole with no reset date.
39. Michael Zander Nance, AIS# 187887: The Board vote to deny parole with a reset date of 8/2023.

D. Files for Review:

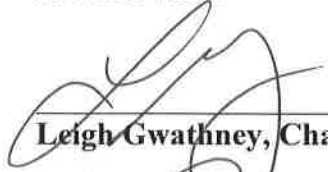
1. The Board considered the attached list of files for revocation.
2. The Board considered the attached list of delinquent files.


E. Additional Board Business: None.

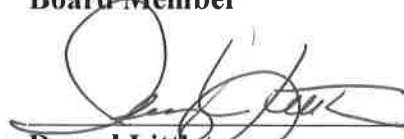
G. Adjournment:

- a. The Board adjourned at 3:35pm moved by Leigh Gwathney and seconded by Darryl Littleton with majority vote. The Board's next meeting will be August 18, 2021 at 8:00am at 100 Capitol Commerce Boulevard, Montgomery, AL 36117.

**APPROVED:**

  
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Leigh Gwathney, Chairman

  
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Dwayne Spurlock  
Board Member

  
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Darryl Littleton  
Board Member

  
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Sandra Cochran  
Board Secretary

**DISAPPROVED:**

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Leigh Gwathney, Chairman

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Dwayne Spurlock  
Board Member

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Darryl Littleton  
Board Member

Date: 8/18/21

Alabama Board of Pardons and Paroles  
Meeting Agenda

The Alabama Board of Pardons and Paroles will convene  
at 100 Capitol Commerce Boulevard, Montgomery, Alabama 36117 at 8:00 AM.

August 17, 2021

1. Call to Order
2. Board Business
3. Files for Review
4. Daily Case Docket
5. Additional Board Business
6. Adjournment

**ALABAMA BUREAU OF PARDONS AND PAROLES**

**MINUTE ENTRY**

and

**BOARD ORDER**

**PAROLEE: JONATHAN ERSKIN PITTS**

**AIS # 239519**

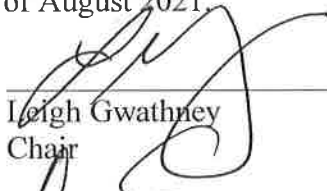
The Alabama Board of Pardons and Paroles met on this 17th day of August 2021, in open public meeting, at which time the following Board Members were present: Leigh Gwathney, Chair, Dwayne Spurlock, Associate Member, and Darryl Littleton, Associate Member.

Upon request for reconsideration, the Board reviewed the parole file of Jonathan Pitts. For just cause, the Board votes to reinstate Pitts to parole.

Done this the 17th day of August 2021

Distribution Date \_\_\_\_\_ to:

Original Board File  
Field Office  
ADOC  
Control Book

  
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Leigh Gwathney  
Chair

  
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Dwayne Spurlock  
Associate Member

  
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Darryl Littleton  
Associate Member

PAROLE COURT HEARING DOCKET

8/17/2021

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AVIS #</u>	<u>DECISION</u>
1. Clifton, Stephen	277915	Rev.
2. Dedmon, Joshua	325468	Rev.
3. Diggs, Tyrell	324160	Rev.
4. Ellison, Robert	212606	Rein.
5. Hall, Justin	263677	Rev.
6. Hopson, Altaego	239540	Rein.
7. Hyfield, Morgan	313794	Rev.
8. Lee, Johnnie	174825	Rein.
9. Lewis, Raphael	292960	Rev.
10. Lusinski, Dekotah	325180	Rev.
11. McClure, Dyaonna	312528	Rev.
12. Riddle, Angela	265814	Rev.
13. Smith, James	278572	Rein.
14. Whisenant, Mark	319620	Rev.

Reinstatements:	4
Cont'd on Parole:	0
Revoked:	10
Remanded	0

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Total	14
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Revoked  
7 Technical Offense  
3 New Offenses  
0 Both Offense

Dunks  
1

DRC  
0

Continued to DRC  
0



PAROLEES DECLARED DELINQUENT  
08/17/2021

NAME	NUMBER	ACTION
1. Daugherty, Zachary	302583B	<u>DD</u>
2. Driskell, Jason	293893A	<u>DD</u>
3. Farley, Patrick	238917A	<u>DD</u>
4. Fitch, Kevin	305480	<u>DD</u>
5. Foster, Robert	210135	<u>DD</u>
6. Hardy, Logan	318400A	<u>DD</u>
7. Highfill, Shane	228686A	<u>DD</u>
8. Leslie, Shawn	230652B	<u>DD</u>
9. Marby, Carlos	186537C	<u>DD</u>
10. Murray, Cornelius	195460S	<u>DD</u>
11. Myers, Jeremy	197527G	<u>DD</u>
12. Plash, Martin	324852	<u>DD</u>
13. Powell, Derrick	184844	<u>DD</u>
14. Surls, Eric	247869	<u>DD</u>
15. Turner, Bradford	203027C	<u>DD</u>
16. Warner, Jacob	131729R	<u>DD</u>
17. Wiemann, Gregory	321555	<u>DD</u>
18. Williams, John	319385A	<u>DD</u>

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SD	CLASS	NAME	AIS #	ACTION
		SNELL RICHARD C	133823	Denial - 8/23
		HARRISON NATHANIEL HANK	151319	Denial - 8/26
		HENDERSON ROBERT EARL	154391	Denial - 8/26
		SANDERS BERNARD	157473	Denial - 8/26
		ROBERTS MICHAEL PAUL	159178	Denial - 8/23
		CRAWFORD JIMMY	162898	Denial - None
		NORMAN OCTAVIA	166447	Denial - None
		MARTIN BRAD	167650	Denial - None
		HARDY ROBERT JAMES	176046	Denial - 8/22
		PEARSON CHARLES ANTHONY	182691	Denial - 8/26
		NANCE MICHAEL ZANDER	187887	Denial - 8/23
		GIDEON TERESA C	188969	Granted - DRC Huntsville
		RUSSELL REGINALD	205689	Denial - 8/23
		BETTS BENNY LEE	218437	Denial - None
		THOMPSON KEITH LAMAR	220058	Denial - None
		IPPOLITO DONALD EUGENE	228019	Granted - DRC Baldwin
		RAMSEY CURTIS NATHAN	249622	Denial - 8/23
		USREY MATTHEW EMERSON	257865	Denial - 8/26
		PILGRIM NATHANIEL SCOTT	280031	Denial - None
		REESE DERIC JULIAN	287587	Denial - 8/26
		GREENE JONATHAN WESLEY	291271	Denial - 8/25

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\*\*\*\*\* TOTAL RECORDS WRITTEN ..... 21

\*\*\*\*\* SPECIAL DOCKET TOTALS... 0 MALES 0 FEMALES 0

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BUREAU OF PARDONS AND PAROLES  
CLASS 'A' DOCKET  
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PAROLE DOCKET

SD	CLASS	NAME	AVIS #	ACTION
A	TUCKER	EDDIE LEE	135807	Denied - 8/26
A	TRAYLOR	DAVID	154446	Denied - 8/26
A	JOHNSON	VAUGHN GILBERT J	156163	Denied - 8/26
A	TURNER	PAUL EDWARD	162739	Denied - 8/26
A	PIERCE	ANTRUN LASHUN	202512	Denied - 8/26
A	MAHONE	DEAN ERIC	214209	Denied - 8/26
A	BROWN	DEVARIAS CORTEZ	224946	Denied - 8/26
A	BURNETT	GEORGE ALLEN	230119	Denied - None
A	WOODS	MARVIN	242702	Denied - 8/25
A	ROWE	EDDIE LADON	243616	Denied - None



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SD	CLASS	NAME	AIS #	ACTION
		DAMBAUGH DOUGLAS JAMES	116211	Denied -
		TIELKING RONALD DAVID	204364	Denied -
		SMITH ANTHONY	270423	Denied -
X		MCCORMICK CHRISTY BRENTO	277290	Granted -
		JORDAN ROBIN DIANE	814974	Denied -
		JONES GERALDINE	822657	Granted -
		LOVE DAVID TERELLE	822923	Denied -
		FORD DARRIUS	823652	Granted -



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