

ALABAMA BOARD OF PARDONS & PAROLES

Open Public Meeting Minutes

March 31, 2021

A. Call to Order:

1. The Alabama Board of Pardons and Paroles called to order its open public meeting on this date at 8:05 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 Cliff Walker, Board Member and Dwayne Spurlock, Board Member.
2. The Board met to discuss the attached agenda, with the action taken by this panel recorded by the Board's secretary, Sandra Cochran.

B. Board Business: The Board order of March 30, 2021 denying parole for Devonte Jamar Williams (AIS# 316012) is declared void. The matter will be reviewed, and his case will be reset for future parole consideration. (See Attached Board Order)

C. Files for Review:

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

D. Daily Pardon Case Docket:

1. Michael Craig Hightower, AIS #196992
 - i. The Board considered all information contained within the applicant's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny a pardon.
2. Leonard Issac Bertrand, AIS #161197
 - i. The Board considered all information contained within the applicant's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny a pardon.
3. Patricia Ann Brown, AIS #128095
 - i. The Board considered all information contained within the applicant's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny a pardon.
4. Tommy Lee Rogers, AIS #171918
 - i. The Board considered all information contained within the applicant's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny a pardon.
5. Willie Dixon, AIS #812914
 - i. The Board considered all information contained within the applicant's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny a pardon.

6. Jones Tipton Howell III, AIS #822594
 - i. The Board considered all information contained within the applicant's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny a pardon.
7. Otis Anthony Leverette, AIS #821920
 - i. The Board considered all information contained within the applicant's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to grant a pardon with the following restrictions (relief from habitual offender act and firearms disabilities).
8. Billy Joe Weaver, AIS# 821748
 - i. The Board considered all information contained within the applicant's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny a pardon.
9. Justin Andrew Higdon, AIS# 805833
 - i. The Board considered all information contained within the applicant's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny a pardon.
10. Eric Andrew Sward, AIS# 227896
 - i. The Board considered all information contained within the applicant's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny a pardon.

E. Daily Parole Case Docket

1. Kelvin Andrew Johnson, AIS #227896
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2026.
2. Marcus M. Lewis, AIS #181862
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2026.

The Board recessed from 10:57AM – 11:03AM.

3. Jeron Likel Blunt, AIS #318379
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
4. Leroy Kendall Banks, AIS #236615
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2026.
5. Vinson Larry Bailey, AIS #204329
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.

6. James Dennison White, AIS #174225
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2026.
7. Joseph Daniel Clark, AIS #289639
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2023.
8. Kody Burks, AIS #324017
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to grant parole with special condition Moral Reconciliation Therapy (MRT).
9. Shannon Randall Alexander, AIS #191759
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to grant parole with special condition to Detainer and/or Program, NA/AA and Drug Assessment Upon Release.
10. Matthew David Cole, AIS #268898
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to grant parole with special condition complete Opelika Lite Day Reporting Center (DRC) and Drug Assessment Upon Release.
11. Paul Donnell Crowder, AIS #246446
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2026.
12. Jack Larry Crauswell Jr., AIS #291327
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
13. Jason Lee Driskell, AIS #293893
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
14. Brandon Sentelle Dorsey, AIS #242519
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
15. Gene Chandler Elliott Jr., AIS #267038
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 6/2023.
16. Wayne Curtis Dudley, AIS #287992

- i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
- 17. Jeffery Lynn Fair, AIS #145848
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2023.
- 18. Bruce Eric Feazell Jr., AIS #186276
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to grant parole with special condition Drug Assessment Upon Release.

The Board recessed for lunch from 12:00PM – 1:10PM.

- 19. James Edward Hightower Jr., AIS #198191
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
- 20. Corey Lemond Haygood, AIS #201551
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2023.
- 21. Dwight Anthony Hert, AIS #147279
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to grant parole with special condition Drug Assessment Upon Release.
- 22. Paul Gilbert Hinkle, AIS #251591
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
- 23. Bryant Christopher Gardner, AIS #204621
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
- 24. James Lamar Newby, AIS #165477
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 4/2023.
- 25. Kristen Joy Palmer, AIS #295022
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to grant parole with special condition complete Mobile Day Reporting Center (DRC), Drug Assessment Upon Release and Mental Health Follow-up.

26. Shawn Daniel Mealer, AIS #300823
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to continue to 04/27/2021.
27. Rayvon Desha Madison, AIS #313533
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to continue to 04/27/2021.
28. Steven Dewight Lacy, AIS #218559
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2026.
29. Joseph K. Qualls, AIS #271134
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to grant parole with special condition Drug Assessment Upon Release.
30. Alvin Renard Shackelford, AIS #181082
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to grant parole with special condition complete Montgomery Day Reporting Center (DRC) and Drug Assessment Upon Release.
31. Rayburn L. Peacock, AIS #258982
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2026.
32. Albert Arnold Moreland, AIS #166419
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
33. Shaun Tyler Miller, AIS #165466
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2026.
34. Allen C. Whitmore, AIS #173856
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2026.
35. Shawn Michael Power, AIS #221538
 - i. The Board considered all evidence contained within the inmate's file in making its determination. Subsequently, the Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2023.

F. Additional Board Business: None.

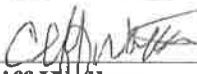
G. Adjournment:

- a. The Board adjourned at 2:50pm moved by Leigh Gwathney and seconded by Dwayne Spurlock with majority vote. The Board's next meeting will be April 1, 2021 at 8:00am at 100 Capitol Commerce Boulevard, Montgomery, AL 36117. '


APPROVED:




Leigh Gwathney, Chairman



Cliff Walker
Board Member



Dwayne Spurlock
Board Member



Sandra Cochran
Board Secretary

DISAPPROVED:

Leigh Gwathney, Chairman

Cliff Walker
Board Member

Dwayne Spurlock
Board Member

Date: 3/31/21

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.

March 31, 2021

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

STATE OF ALABAMA
BOARD OF PARDONS AND PAROLES

MINUTE ENTRY

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BOARD ORDER


The Alabama Board of Pardons and Paroles met on this 31st day of March 2021, in open public meeting, at which time the following Board Members were present: Leigh Gwathney, Chair, Dwayne Spurlock, Associate Member, and Cliff Walker, Associate Member.

The Board order of March 30, 2021 denying parole for Devonte Jamar Williams (AIS#316012) is declared void. The Board was provided information that Mr. Williams is serving consecutive rather than concurrent sentences and that he is not yet eligible for parole consideration. The matter will be reviewed, and his case will be reset for future parole consideration.

Done this 31st day of March 2021.

APPROVED

DISAPPROVED




LEIGH GWATHNEY
CHAIR

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CHAIR



DEWAYNE SPURLOCK
ASSOCIATE MEMBER

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ASSOCIATE MEMBER



CLIFF WALKER
ASSOCIATE MEMBER

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ASSOCIATE MEMBER

PAROLE COURT HEARING DOCKET

3/31/2021

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AIS #</u>	<u>DECISION</u>
1. Blunt, Christopher	278175	Rein.
2. Byrd, Frederick	141636	Rein.
3. Conley, Joe	226003	Rev. w/3/2023
4. Cunningham, Lavan	271511	Rev. w/3/2026
5. English, Willie	195755	Rev. w/3/2025
6. Ford, Jesse	257826	Rev. w/3/2023
7. Grays, Percy	190433	Rev. None
8. Harris, Cordezmond	248596	Rein.
9. Harville, Shane	275431	Rev. None
10. Hunter, Arthur	199696	Rev. w/3/2024
11. Lane, Jarmaal	223577	Rev. w/2/2022
12. Pollard, Nathan	290577	Rev. None
13. Stapleton, Joseph	214154	Rein.
14. Wheeler, Jacob	287174	Rein.

Reinstatements:	5
Cont'd on Parole:	0
Revoked:	9
Remanded	0

Total	14
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Revoked
4 Technical Offense
3 New Offenses
2 Both Offenses

Dunks
0

DRC
0

Continued to DRC
0

PAROLEES DECLARED DELINQUENT
03/31/2021

NAME	NUMBER	ACTION
1. Allen, James	175580	<u>DD</u>
2. Clark, Donald Jr.	232368B	<u>DD</u>
3. Crumpton, Christopher	249753A	<u>DD</u>
4. Hinton, Joseph	208087	<u>DD</u>
5. Lawley, Melanie	318259	<u>DD</u>
6. Meeks, Anthony	282672B	<u>DD</u>
7. Nix, Daric	232554A	<u>DD</u>
8. Pearson, Michael	147987	<u>DD</u>
9. Simpson, Ned	120353	<u>DD</u>
10. White, Michael	220662	<u>DD</u>
11. Whiteside, Carlton	306173A	<u>DD</u>

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PARDON DOCKET

SD	CLASS	NAME	AIS #	ACTION
		BROWN PATRICIA ANN	128095	Denied -
		HIGHTOWER MICHAEL CRAIG	196992	Denied -
X		SWARD ERIC ANDREW	227896	Denied -
		HIGDON JUSTIN ANDREW	805833	Denied -
		DIXON WILLIE	812914	Denied -
		WEAVER BILLY JOE	821748	Denied -
		LEVERETTE OTIS ANTHONY	821920	Granted -
		HOWELL JONES TIPTON III	822594	Denied -

Payne Smith

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SD	CLASS	NAME	AIS #	ACTION
A		BERTRAND LEONARD ISSAC	161197	<i>Denied</i> -
A		ROGERS TOMMY LEE	171918	<i>Denied</i> -

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

Roger Smith

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		FAIR JEFFERY LYNN	145848	Denied - 3/23
		HERT DWIGHT ANTHONY	147279	Granted - PP
		MILLER SHAUN TYLER	165466	Denied - 3/26
X		NEWBY JAMES LAMAR	165477	Denied - 4/23
		MORELAND ALBERT ARNOLD	166419	Denied - None
		WHITMORE ALLEN C	173856	Denied - 3/26
		SHACKLEFORD ALVIN RENARD	181082	Granted - DRC Montgomery
		FEAZELL BRUCE ERIC JR	186276	Granted - PP
		ALEXANDER SHANNON RANDAL	191759	Granted - Detained
		HIGHTOWER JAMES EDWARD J	198191	Denied - None
		HAYGOOD COREY LEMOND	201551	Denied - 3/23
		BAILEY VINSON LARRY	204329	Denied - None
		GARDNER BRYANT CHRISTOPH	204621	Denied - None
		LACY STEVEN DEWIGHT	218559	Denied - 3/26
		POWER SHAWN MICHAEL	221538	Denied - 3/23
		BANKS LEROY KENDALL	236615	Denied - 3/26
		DORSEY BRANDON SENTELLE	242519	Denied - None
		CROWDER PAUL DONNELL	246446	Denied - 3/26
		HINKLE PAUL GILBERT	251591	Denied - None
		PEACOCK RAYBURN L	258982	Denied - 3/26
		ELLIOTT GENE CHANDLER JR	267038	Denied - 6/23
		COLE MATTHEW DAVID	268898	Granted - DRC Opelika Site
		QUALLS JOSEPH K	271134	Granted - PP
		DUDLEY WAYNE CURTIS	287992	Denied - None
		CLARK JOSEPH DANIEL	289639	Denied - 3/23
		CRAUSWELL JACK LARRY JR	291327	Denied - None
		DRISKELL JASON LEE	293893	Denied - None
		PALMER KRISTEN JOY	295022	Granted - DRC Mobile
		MEALER SHAWN DANIEL	300823	Continue to 4-27-21
		MADISON RAYVON DESHA	313533	Continue to 4-27-21
		BLUNT JERON LEKEL	318379	Denied - None
		BURKS KODY	324017	Granted - PP

Rayne Spindel, CHW

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***** SPECIAL DOCKET TOTALS... 1 MALES 1 FEMALES 0

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SD	CLASS	NAME	AIS #	ACTION
A	WHITE	JAMES DENNISON	174225	<i>Denied - 3/26</i>
A	LEWIS	MARCUS M	181862	<i>Denied - 3/26</i>
A	JOHNSON	KELVIN ANDREW	200863	<i>Denied - 3/26</i>

Dwayne Spivey

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Roger J. [Signature]

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