

# ALABAMA BOARD OF PARDONS & PAROLES

## Open Public Meeting Minutes

March 15, 2023

### A. Call to Order:

1. The Alabama Board of Pardons and Paroles called to order its open public meeting on this date at 9:37 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, Chairperson, 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, Nicole Lewis.

### B. Board Business: The Board approved minutes from previous meeting of March 14, 2023, moved by Leigh Gwathney and seconded by Darryl Littleton which was majority vote.

The Board voted and approved to withdraw the Parole Officer's Authorization of Arrest Warrant and Jennifer Canady be released from Etowah County Jail. (See Attached Board Order)

### C. Daily Pardon/Parole Docket:

1. Gregory James Eddins, AIS# 237521: Speaker against parole 1<sup>st</sup> Kayla Hale (victim's daughter), 2<sup>nd</sup> Doris Hancock (VOCAL), 3<sup>rd</sup> Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty General Office). The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2028.
2. Joseph Lee Murphy, AIS# 267575: Speaker on behalf of parole Chelsia Woods (wife). Speaker against parole Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty General Office). The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2028.
3. Jamichael Clay, AIS# 268864: Speaker on behalf of parole 1<sup>st</sup> Angela Mosley (mother), 2<sup>nd</sup> Marjorie Collins (grandmother). Speaker against parole Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty General Office). The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2028.
4. Deantauwn Labaron Laster, AIS# 285632: Speaker on behalf of parole 1<sup>st</sup> Antionette Laster (stepmother), 2<sup>nd</sup> Dellareese Taylor (mother). Speaker against parole Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty General Office). The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2028.
5. Bobby Lee Baker, AIS# 139885: Speaker on behalf of a pardon 1<sup>st</sup> Dustin Fowler (Attorney), 2<sup>nd</sup> Shirley Haire (friend), 3<sup>rd</sup> Bobby Lee Baker (self). The

Board voted to grant a pardon with the following restriction (relief from the habitual offender act).

6. Raymond Shortsleeve, AIS# 820411: Speaker on behalf of a pardon 1<sup>st</sup> Raymond Shortsleeve (self), 2<sup>nd</sup> Teresa Shortsleeve (wife). Speaker against a pardon Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty Gen Office). The Board voted to deny a pardon.
7. Bradley Jerome Smith, AIS# 195898: Speaker on behalf of parole Tawana Smith (mother). Speaker against parole Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty Gen Office). The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2028.
8. Dontavis Tyrail Jamerson, AIS# 315387: Speaker on behalf of parole LaTorya Jamerson (mother). Speaker against parole Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty Gen Office). The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2028.
9. Curtis Tolbert, Jr., AIS# 242915: Speaker on behalf of parole Sonja Tolbert (mother). Speaker against parole Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty Gen Office). The Board voted to continue to 5/18/2023.
10. Keith Ryan Watson, AIS# 300623: Speaker on behalf of a pardon Keith Ryan Watson (self). The Board voted to grant a pardon with the following restriction (relief from the habitual offender act).
11. Robbie Ransom, AIS# 825360: Speaker on behalf of a pardon Robbie Ransom (self). The Board voted to grant a pardon with the following restriction (relief from the habitual offender act).
12. Edward Beers, AIS# 820349: Speaker on behalf of a pardon Edward Beers (self). The Board voted to grant a pardon with the following restriction (relief from the habitual offender act).
13. Davaris Deon Berry, AIS# 220413: Speaker on behalf of a pardon 1<sup>st</sup> Davaris Deon Berry (self), 2<sup>nd</sup> Theresa Berry (wife). The Board voted to grant a pardon with the following restriction (relief from the habitual offender act).

The Board recessed for lunch from 11:30PM – 12:40PM.

14. Kenneth Sharon Bryant, AIS# 229626: The Board voted to deny a pardon.
15. Janernal Williams, AIS# 825448: The Board voted to grant a pardon with the following restrictions (relief from the habitual offender act and firearms disabilities).
16. Calvin Eugene Bailey, AIS# 228074: The Board voted to grant a pardon with the following restrictions (relief from the habitual offender act and firearms disabilities).

17. Terrenda Jana Kidd, AIS# 230719: The Board voted to grant a pardon with the following restrictions (relief from the habitual offender act and firearms disabilities).
18. Leaundrea Nicole Seals, AIS# 825857: The Board voted to deny a pardon.
19. Leatsell Lynn Walls, AIS# 239051: The Board voted to deny a pardon.
20. Kelvin Bernard Stover, AIS# 817001: The Board voted to grant a pardon with the following restrictions (relief from the habitual offender act and firearms disabilities).
21. Midal Shalon Duncan, AIS# 199888: The Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
22. Betty Louise Woods, AIS# 184556: The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2028.
23. Ricky R. Knight, AIS# 171382: The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2028.
24. Melvin Lee Waldrep, AIS# 332275: The Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
25. William Alvie Barker, AIS# 150778: The Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
26. Jonathan Matthew Nicholson, AIS# 272246: The Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
27. Joseph McCray, AIS# 135167: The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2028.
28. Kayla Lynn Green, AIS# 310672: The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2028.
29. Kenneth Varnel Davis, AIS# 120566: The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2028.
30. Christopher Aaron Rickman, AIS# 278184: The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2028.
31. Ryan Blake McNeal, AIS# 250962: The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2028.

32. Joshua David Moscato, AIS# 331966: The Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
33. Shannon Willingham, AIS# 187092: The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2025.
34. Jason Adam Helton, AIS# 218998: The Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
35. Destiney Kiah Thompson, AIS# 332127: The Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
36. Fender Lee Reece, AIS# 207383: The Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
37. Shane Whisenant, AIS# 237246: The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 3/2028.
38. Mallory Anjeanette Orr, AIS# 331756: The Board voted to grant parole upon acceptance to the Lovelady Center, Mental Health Follow-up and Drug Assessment Upon Release.
39. De'Arrius Pierria Cook, AIS# 280451: The Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
40. Brian Mitchell Hartley, AIS# 313667: The Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.

D. Files for Review:

1. The Board reviewed the attached list of delinquent files.

E. Additional Board Business: None.

Adjournment:

- a. The Board adjourned at 3:23pm moved by Leigh Gwathney and seconded by Darryl Littleton with majority vote. The Board's next meeting will be March 16, 2023, at 8:00am at 100 Capitol Commerce Boulevard, Montgomery, AL 36117.

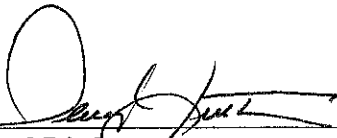
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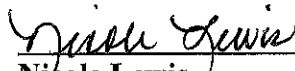
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Leigh Gwathney, Chairman

**DISAPPROVED:**

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Leigh Gwathney, Chairman

  
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**Darryl Littleton**  
**Board Member**

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**Nicole Lewis**  
**Board Secretary**

Date: 3/16/23

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 15, 2023

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

**STATE OF ALABAMA  
BUREAU OF PARDONS AND PAROLES**

**BOARD ORDER**

The Board of Pardons and Paroles met on this **15<sup>th</sup>** day of **March** in open public meeting, at which time the following Board Members were present: Leigh Gwathney, Chair and Darryl Littleton, Associate Member.


A Parole Officer Authorization of Arrest was issued on **Jennifer Canady**, AIS#330,619. The Division Director is asking that the Authorization of Arrest be withdrawn, and **Jennifer Canady** be released from Etowah County Jail due to EOS on 02/15/23.

The Board voted and approved to withdraw the Parole Officer's Authorization of Arrest Warrant and **Jennifer Canady** be released from Etowah County Jail.

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**Done this the 15<sup>th</sup> day of March 2023**

**APPROVED:**



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**Leigh Gwathney**  
Chair



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**Darryl Littleton**  
Associate Member

**DISAPPROVED:**

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**Leigh Gwathney**  
Chair

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**Darryl Littleton**  
Associate Member

PAROLEES DECLARED DELINQUENT  
03/15/2023

NAME	NUMBER	ACTION
1. Anderson, Scotty	286428B	<u>DD</u>
2. Baxter, Brian	248334S	<u>DD</u>
3. Johnson, Jamie Jr.	280207A	<u>DD</u>
4. Lemley, Kevin	330644	<u>DD</u>
5. Lovell, Anthony	331207	<u>DD</u>
6. Matthews, Tiffany	256798B	<u>DD</u>
7. Shelley, Lauren	332419	<u>DD</u>



HEARINGS BEGIN AT 8:00 A.M. ON 03-15-2023  
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 PAROLE DOCKET

SD	CLASS	NAME	AMS #	ACTION
		DAVIS KENNETH VARNEL	120566	DENIED - 3/2023
		MCCRAY JOSEPH	135167	DENIED - 3/2023
		BARKER WILLIAM ALVIE	150778	DENIED - NONE
		WILLINGHAM SHANNON	187092	DENIED - 3/2023
		SMITH BRADLEY JEROME	195898	DENIED - 3/2023
		REECE FENDER LEE	207383	DENIED - NONE
		HELTON JASON ADAM	218998	DENIED - NONE
		WHISENANT SHANE	237246	DENIED - 3/2023
		TOLBERT CURTIS JR	242915	CONTINUED TO 5/18/2023
		MCNEAL RYAN BLAKE	250962	DENIED - 3/2023
		MURPHY JOSEPH LEE	267575	DENIED - 3/2023
		CLAY JAMICHAEL	268864	DENIED - 3/2023
		NICHOLSON JONATHAN MATTH	272246	DENIED - NONE
		RICKMAN CHRISTOPHER AARO	278184	DENIED - 3/2023
		COOK DE'ARRIUS PIERRIA	280451	DENIED - NONE
		LASTER DEANTAUWN LABARON	285632	DENIED - 3/2023
		GREEN KAYLA LYNN	310672	DENIED - NONE 3/2023
		HARTLEY BRIAN MITCHELL	313667	DENIED - NONE
		JAMERSON DONTAVIS TYRAIL	315387	DENIED - 3/2023
		ORR MALLORY ANJEANETTE	331756	GRANTED - PP
		MOSCATO JOSHUA DAVID	331966	DENIED - NONE
		THOMPSON DESTINEY KIAH	332127	DENIED - NONE
		WALDREP MELVIN LEE	332275	DENIED - NONE

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

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SD	CLASS	NAME	AIS #	ACTION
A		KNIGHT RICKY R	171382	DENIED - 3/2023
A		WOODS BETTY LOUISE	184556	DENIED - 3/2023
A		DUNCAN MIDAL SHALON	199888	DENIED - NONE
A		EDDINS GREGORY JAMES	237521	DENIED - 3/2023

  
  
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		BAKER BOBBY LEE	139885	GRANTED
		BERRY DAVARIS DEON	220413	GRANTED
		BAILEY CALVIN EUGENE	228074	GRANTED
		BRYANT KENNETH SHARON	229626	DENIED
		KIDD TERRENDA JANA	230719	GRANTED
		WALLS LEATSELL LYNN	239051	DENIED
		WATSON KEITH RYAN	300623	GRANTED
		STOVER KELVIN BERNARD	817001	GRANTED
		BEERS EDWARD	820349	GRANTED
		SHORTSLEEVE RAYMOND	820411	DENIED
		RANSOM ROBBIE YVETTE	825360	GRANTED
		WILLIAMS JANERNAL	825448	GRANTED
		SEALS LEAUNDREA NICOLE	825857	DENIED

  
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