

# ALABAMA BOARD OF PARDONS & PAROLES

## Open Public Meeting Minutes

May 2, 2023

### A. Call to Order:

1. The Alabama Board of Pardons and Paroles called to order its open public meeting on this date at 9:06 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, Darryl Littleton, Board Member and Kim Davidson, 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 April 27, 2023, moved by Leigh Gwathney and seconded by Kim Davidson which was majority vote.

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

### C. Daily Pardon/Parole Docket:

1. Perry Patrick Ramsey, AIS# 249532: Speaker against parole 1<sup>st</sup> Williams Bagwell (victim's son), 2<sup>nd</sup> Cayla Bagwell (victim's daughter), 3<sup>rd</sup> Clay Crenshaw (Atty General Office), 4<sup>th</sup> Janette Grantham (VOCAL). The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 5/2028.
2. Jarius Andre McNeil, AIS# 241495: Speaker on behalf of parole 1<sup>st</sup> Deidra McNeil (mother), 2<sup>nd</sup> Raven Shepard (sister). Speaker on against parole 1<sup>st</sup> Pam Morrison (victim's mother), 2<sup>nd</sup> Janette Grantham (VOCAL), 3<sup>rd</sup> Sarah Green VSO (Atty General Office), 4<sup>th</sup> Sydnee Corello (Baldwin Co. District Atty Office). The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 5/2028.
3. Jeff Kelley McCord, Jr., AIS# 228703: Speaker against parole 1<sup>st</sup> Robert Bates (victim's brother), 2<sup>nd</sup> Kevin Bates (victim's brother), 3<sup>rd</sup> Daniel Lowe (Hoover Police Department), 4<sup>th</sup> Janette Grantham (VOCAL), 5<sup>th</sup> Sarah Green VSO (Atty General Office), 6<sup>th</sup> Judy Yates (Jefferson Co. District Atty Office) at 10:06am the Board went into executive session called by Darryl Littleton and seconded by Kim Davidson with majority to vote to review the file and out of executive session at 10:13am to vote. The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 5/2028.

4. Robert S. Gilchrist, AIS# 133054: Speaker on behalf of parole 1<sup>st</sup> Robin Hill (Redemption Earned), 2<sup>nd</sup> Walter Hayden (supporter), 3<sup>rd</sup> Chris Galanos (prosecutor/supporter). Speaker against parole 1<sup>st</sup> Robert Zane (victim's brother), 2<sup>nd</sup> John Zane (victim's brother), 3<sup>rd</sup> Janette Grantham (VOCAL), 4<sup>th</sup> Sarah Green VSO (Atty General Office) at 10:06am the Board went into executive session called by Darryl Littleton and seconded by Kim Davidson with majority to vote to review the file and out of executive session at 10:13am to vote. The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 5/2026.
5. Kenneth Cannon, AIS# 173468: Speaker on behalf of a pardon Kenneth Cannon (self). Speaker against a pardon 1<sup>st</sup> Denise Pogue (victim's stepdaughter), 2<sup>nd</sup> Janette Grantham (VOCAL), 3<sup>rd</sup> Sarah Green VSO (Atty General Office). The Board voted to deny a pardon.
6. Brian Scott Pate, AIS# 229345: Speaker on behalf of parole Elizabeth Pate (wife). Speaker against parole 1<sup>st</sup> Janette Grantham (VOCAL), 2<sup>nd</sup> Sarah Green VSO (Atty General Office). The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 5/2028.
7. Steven D. Gross, AIS# 825782: Speaker on behalf of a pardon Steven D. Gross (self). Speaker against a pardon 1<sup>st</sup> Janette Grantham (VOCAL), 2<sup>nd</sup> Sarah Green VSO (Atty Gen Office). The Board voted to deny a pardon.
8. James Allen Ferrell, AIS# 294611: Speaker on behalf of a pardon James Allen Ferrell (self). The Board voted to grant a pardon with the following restriction (relief from the habitual offender act).

The Board recessed for a break from 10:48AM – 10:57AM.

9. Andrew Johnson, AIS# 258909: Speaker on behalf of parole 1<sup>st</sup> Brenda Johnson (mother), 2<sup>nd</sup> Veronica Johnson (sister). Speaker against parole 1<sup>st</sup> Janette Grantham (VOCAL), 2<sup>nd</sup> Sarah Green VSO (Atty Gen Office). The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 5/2026.
10. Jerome Kite, AIS# 262879: Speaker on behalf of parole 1<sup>st</sup> Donna Smith (advocate), 2<sup>nd</sup> Arziler Stuckey (mother). Speaker against parole Sarah Green VSO (Atty Gen Office). The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 5/2026.
11. Spencer Jackson, AIS# 272273: Speaker on behalf of parole Rosemary Campbell (wife). Speaker against parole Sarah Green VSO (Atty Gen Office). The Board voted to grant parole with special condition to complete GPS Ankle Monitor, NA/AA weekly and Mental Health Assessment.
12. Herbert Mack Tarver, Jr., AIS# 125853: Speaker on behalf of parole 1<sup>st</sup> Jaynice Tarver (wife), 2<sup>nd</sup> Tanisha Tarver Paige (sister). Speaker against

parole Sarah Green VSO (Atty Gen Office). The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 5/2027.

13. Ethan Wayne Rogers, AIS# 292228: Speaker on behalf of parole Karen Henderson (mother). Speaker against parole Sarah Green VSO (Atty Gen Office). The Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.

The Board recessed for lunch from 12:05PM – 1:15PM.

14. Keontal Delone Brown, AIS# 262610: Speaker on behalf of a pardon Keontal Delone Brown (self). The Board voted to grant a pardon with the following restrictions (relief from the habitual offender act and firearms disabilities).
15. Nicholas Duff, AIS# 307361: Speaker on behalf of a pardon Nicholas Duff (self). The Board voted to grant a pardon with the following restrictions (relief from the habitual offender act and firearms disabilities).
16. Mark McWilliams, AIS# 823074: Speaker on behalf of a pardon Mark McWilliams (self). The Board voted to deny a pardon.
17. George Harold Woodley, Jr., AIS# 009089: Speaker on behalf of a pardon George Harold Woodley, Jr., (self). The Board voted to grant a full pardon with restoration of all civil and political rights.
18. Donald Howard Key, AIS# 209887: Speaker on behalf of a pardon 1<sup>st</sup> Donald Howard Key (self), 2<sup>nd</sup> Joshua Anderson (friend). The Board voted to grant a pardon with the following restrictions (relief from the habitual offender act and firearms disabilities act).
19. Richard Marion Bassham, AIS# 309233: Speaker on behalf of parole Amelia Baer (mother). The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 2/2024.
20. Isaiah Marshall, AIS# 312216: Speaker on behalf of parole Jessica Marshall (mother). The Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
21. Tracy Laverne Jones, AIS# 813845: Speaker on behalf of a pardon Tracy Laverne Jones (self). The Board voted to deny a pardon.
22. Cortney Latez Flint, AIS# 252646: Speaker on behalf of parole Temeka Flint (wife). The Board voted to grant parole with special condition to complete Perry Co. Probation/Parole Reentry Education Program (PREP).
23. Ishamel Kalie Buckley, AIS# 253507: Speaker on behalf of parole 1<sup>st</sup> Connie Buckley (mother), 2<sup>nd</sup> Angelia Williams (godmother). The Board voted to grant parole with special condition to complete Perry Co. Probation/Parole Reentry Education Program (PREP).

24. Randy Williamson, AIS# 147441: The Board voted to grant a pardon with the following restrictions (relief from the habitual offender act and firearms disabilities).
25. Decarlo Dizaar, AIS# 822727: The Board voted to deny a pardon.
26. Stanley Ellis Jones, AIS# 234030: The Board voted to deny a pardon.
27. George Eric Rogers, AIS# 816752: The Board voted to deny a pardon.
28. Perry Weaver, AIS# 807305: The Board voted to deny a pardon.
29. Vonta L. Arrington, AIS# 215283: The Board voted to deny a pardon.
30. Freddie Buford Walker, AIS# 159866: The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 5/2028.
31. Jeromy J. Fanty, AIS# 293964: The Board voted to continue to 6/29/2023.
32. William A. Jefferies, AIS# 310388: The Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
33. Darnell Eugene Lawson, AIS# 238510: The Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
34. Christopher Carver Henton, AIS# 195255: The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 5/2027.
35. William Lamar Yarbrough, AIS# 285773: The Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
36. Terri Carinna Barnett, AIS# 307512: The Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
37. Elias Daniel McNealey, AIS# 212257: The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 5/2026.
38. Richard Cody Nix, AIS# 316547: The Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
39. Undrea Delfon Anderson, AIS# 185169: The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 5/2024.
40. Terrence Jovelle Davis, AIS# 328889: The Board voted to grant parole with special condition to complete Perry Co. Probation/Parole Reentry Education Program (PREP).

41. Lemetrius Lamar Malone, AIS# 190811: The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 5/2028.

42. James Sandifer, AIS# 332579: The Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.

D. Files for Review:

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

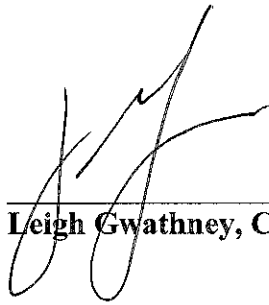
E. Additional Board Business: None.

Adjournment:

- a. The Board adjourned at 4:30pm moved by Leigh Gwathney and seconded by Darryl Littleton with majority vote. The Board's next meeting will be May 3, 2023, at 8:00am at 100 Capitol Commerce Boulevard, Montgomery, AL 36117.

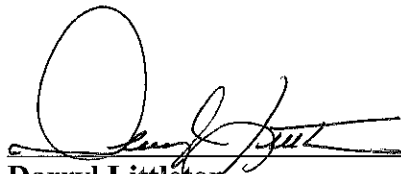
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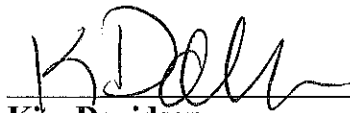
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Board Secretary

Date: 5/3/23

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.

May 2, 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 2<sup>nd</sup> day of May 2023 in open public meeting, at which time the following Board Members were present: Leigh Gwathney, Chair, Darryl Littleton, Associate Member and Kim Davidson, Associate Member.

A Parole Officer Authorization of Arrest was issued on Jennifer Champion, AIS#279,661. The Division Director is asking that the Authorization of Arrest be withdrawn, and Jennifer Champion be released from Cullman County Jail due to EOS on 04/19/23.

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

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**Done this the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of May 2023**

**APPROVED:**

  
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**Leigh Gwathney**  
Chair

  
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**Darryl Littleton**  
Associate Member

  
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**Kim Davidson**  
Associate Member

**DISAPPROVED:**

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**Leigh Gwathney**  
Chair

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**Darryl Littleton**  
Associate Member

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**Kim Davidson**  
Associate Member


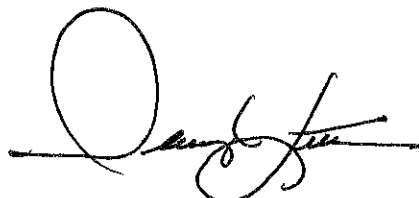


PAROLEES DECLARED DELINQUENT  
05/02/2023

<b>NAME</b>	<b>NUMBER</b>	<b>ACTION</b>
1. Boone, George Jr.	169130A	<u>DD</u>
2. Brewer, James	285216B	<u>DD</u>
3. Cox, Justin	321820A	<u>DD</u>
4. Drinkard, Roderick	283833A	<u>DD</u>
5. Fellows, Matthew	331560	<u>DD</u>
6. Gordon, Christopher	262302B	<u>DD</u>
7. Horton, Roosevelt	160678C	<u>DD</u>
8. Knighten, James	232913B	<u>DD</u>
9. McGhee, Miles	315573	<u>DD</u>
10. Montgomery, Shun	274264	<u>DD</u>
11. Moten, Jarvosky	232573B	<u>DD</u>
12. Pace, Alex	321066	<u>DD</u>
13. Robinson, Moses Jr.	152988A	<u>DD</u>
14. Shrophire, Joey	321715	<u>DD</u>
15. Swain, Demetrius	237948S	<u>DD</u>
16. Taylor, Christopher	173847B	<u>DD</u>
17. Tefteller, Joshua	299365A	<u>DD</u>
18. Tillery, Joseph	278636A	<u>DD</u>
19. Trammell, David	258871C	<u>DD</u>
20. Walker, Charles	239873A	<u>DD</u>
21. Westgate, Nikayla	250710B	<u>DD</u>
22. Young, Tommy	247916	<u>DD</u>

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MONTGOMERY AL 36117  
PAROLE DOCKET

SD	CLASS	NAME	AIS #	ACTION
		TARVER HERBERT MACK JR	125853	DENIED - 5/20/21
		ANDERSON UNDREA DELFON	185169	DENIED - 5/24
		MALONE LEMETRIUS LAMAR	190811	DENIED - 5/28
		HENTON CHRISTOPHER CARVE	195255	DENIED - 5/27
		MCNEALEY ELIAS DANIEL	212257	DENIED - 5/26
		PATE BRIAN SCOTT	229345	DENIED - 5/26
		LAWSON DARNELL EUGENE	238510	DENIED - NONE
		FLINT CORTNEY LATEZ	252646	GRANTED - PP
		BUCKLEY ISHMAEL KALIEL	253507	GRANTED - PP
		KITE JEROME	262879	DENIED - 5/26
		JACKSON SPENCER	272273	GRANTED - PP
		YARBROUGH WILLIAM LAMAR	285773	DENIED - NONE
		ROGERS ETHAN WAYNE	292228	DENIED - NONE
		FANTY JEROMY J	293964	CONTINUED TO 6/29/23
		BARNETT TERRI CARINNA	307512	DENIED - NONE
		BASSHAM RICHARD MARION	309233	DENIED - 2/24
		JEFFERIES WILLIAM A	310388	DENIED - NONE
		MARSHALL ISAIAH	312216	DENIED - NONE
		NIX RICHARD CODY	316547	DENIED - NONE
		DAVIS TERRENCE JOVELLE	328889	GRANTED - PP
		SANDIFER JAMES	332579	DENIED - NONE



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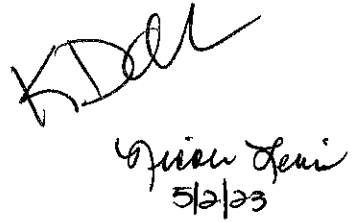
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A		GILCHRIST ROBERT S	133054	DENIED - 5/26
A		WALKER FREDDIE BUFORD	159866	DENIED - 5/28
A		MCCORD JEFF KELLEY JR	228703	DENIED - 5/28
A		MCNEIL JARIUS ANDRE	241495	DENIED - 5/28
A		RAMSEY PERRY PATRICK	249532	DENIED - 5/28
A		JOHNSON ANDREW	258909	DENIED - 5/26



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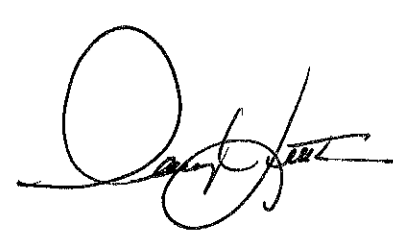
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		WOODLEY GEORGE HAROLD JR	009089	GRANTED
		WILLIAMSON RANDY	147441	GRANTED
		CANNON KENNETH	173468	Denied
		KEY DONALD HOWARD	209887	GRANTED
		JONES STANLEY ELLIS	234030	Denied
		BROWN KEONTAL DELONE	262610	GRANTED
		FERRELL JAMES ALLEN	294611	GRANTED
		DUFF NICOLAS	307361	GRANTED
		WEAVER PERRY	807305	Denied
		JONES TRACY LAVERNE	813845	Denied
		ROGERS GEORGE ERIC	816752	Denied
		DIZAR DECARLO	822727	Denied
		MCWILLIAMS MARK	823074	Denied
		GROSS STEVEN D.	825782	Denied



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Missie Lewis  
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PARDON DOCKET

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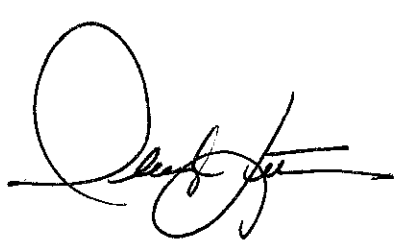
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