

ALABAMA BOARD OF PARDONS & PAROLES

Open Public Meeting Minutes

February 28, 2024

A. Call to Order:

1. The Alabama Board of Pardons and Paroles called to order its open public meeting on this date at 9:21A.M., 301 South Ripley Street, Montgomery, AL 36104 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 Gabrelle Simmons, 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 February 27, 2024, moved by Leigh Gwathney and seconded by Gabrelle Simmons which was majority vote.

C. Daily Pardon/Parole Docket:

1. Timothy John Yelder, AIS# 152782: Speaker on behalf of parole 1st Aimee Cobb (attorney), 2nd George Green (brother), 3rd Barbara Yelder (sister-in-law). Speaker against parole 1st Penny Nichols (victim), 2nd Makayla Phifer (VOCAL)), 3rd India Eaves VSO (Atty General Office), 4th Ellen Brooks (Prosecutor). The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 2/2029.
2. Aaron Joshua Hadley, AIS# 818346: Speaker on behalf of a pardon Aaron Joshua Hadley (self). Speaker against a pardon 1st Makayla Phifer (VOCAL), 2nd Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty General Office). The Board voted to deny a pardon.
3. Joe Nathan Johnson, Jr., AIS# 335574: Speaker on behalf of parole 1st Avis Napier (fiancée), 2nd Janya Blakley (fiancée's daughter). Speaker against parole 1st Makayla Phifer (VOCAL), 2nd India Eaves VSO (Atty General Office). The Board voted to deny parole with no reset date.
4. Kimberly Dawn Newton, AIS# 238640: Speaker on behalf of parole 1st Shervanae Scott (Redemption Earned Caseworker), 2nd Audra O'Shields (attorney). Speaker against parole Nayla Contreras VSO (Atty General Office) at 10:23am the Board went into executive session called by Darryl Littleton and seconded by Gabrelle Simmon with majority vote to review the file and out of executive session at 10:40am to vote. The Board voted to grant parole with special condition to complete the Herring House, GPS Ankle Monitor,

Mental Health Assessment and Community Service to be determined by Parole Officer.

5. Blake Edward Brasher, AIS# 305915: Speaker on behalf of a pardon Blake Edward Brasher (self) at 10:23am the Board went into executive session called by Darryl Littleton and seconded by Gabrelle Simmon with majority vote to review the file and out of executive session at 10:40am to vote. The Board voted to grant voting rights only.
6. Phillip Louis Adrey, II, AIS# 826293: Speaker on behalf of a pardon 1st John Paul Merrell (attorney), 2nd Phillip Louis Adrey, II (self), 3rd Bill Osborne (employer). The Board voted to grant a full pardon with the restoration of all civil and political rights.
7. Larry Dale Gant, AIS# 229415: Speaker on behalf of parole 1st Patricia Gant (mother), 2nd Karen Gibson (sister), 3rd Pastor Melvin Smith (Outreach Reentry Ministries). The Board voted to grant parole with special condition to complete Outreach Reentry Ministries, NA/AA, GPS Ankle Monitor, Mental Health Follow-up, Seek Employment and Drug Assessment Upon Release.
8. Jeff Coots, AIS# 812743: Speaker on behalf of a pardon Jeff Coots (self). The Board voted to grant a full pardon with the restoration of all civil and political rights.
9. Tamar McCarley, AIS# 826355: Speaker on behalf of a pardon 1st Tamar McCarley Hawkins (self), 2nd Tracy Hawkins (husband). The Board voted to grant a full pardon with the restoration of all civil and political rights.
10. John Eric Simpson, AIS# 241401: Speaker on behalf of a pardon 1st John Eric Simpson (self), 2nd Randall Malley (employer). The Board voted to grant a full pardon with the restoration of all civil and political rights.
11. Richard McBride, AIS# 805218: Speaker on behalf of a pardon Richard McBride (self). The Board voted to grant a full pardon with the restoration of all civil and political rights.
12. Undray Averett, AIS# 243460: Speaker on behalf of a pardon Undray Averett (self). The Board voted to grant a full pardon with the restoration of all civil and political rights.
13. James A. Riley, AIS# 288973: Speaker on behalf of parole 1st Jennifer Peterman (sister), 2nd Kaye Ellis (employer's wife). The Board voted to grant parole with special condition to complete The ARC; NA/AA, GPS Ankle Monitor and Drug Assessment Upon Release.

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

14. Kadejah Matrail Watson, AIS# 267243: The Board voted to grant a pardon with the following restrictions (relief from the habitual offender act and firearms disabilities).
15. Alisha Gail Riley, AIS# 291491: The Board voted to continue to 4/2/2024.
16. Troy Mooney, AIS# 126294: The Board voted to grant voting rights only.
17. Michael Robinson, AIS# 193330: The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 2/2027.
18. David Neal Whisenant, AIS# 240272: The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 2/2025.
19. Charles David Greenway, AIS# 236767: The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 8/2024.
20. Phillip Kevin Johnson, AIS# 189364: The Board voted to grant parole with special condition to complete the Perry Co. Probation/Parole Reentry Education Program (PREP), GPS Ankle Monitor, Mental Health Assessment and Drug Assessment.
21. James Earl Stackhouse, AIS# 162181: The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 2/2025.
22. Shannon Gene Pickard, AIS# 202079: The Board voted to grant parole with special condition to complete the Perry Co. Probation/Parole Reentry Education Program (PREP), GPS Ankle Monitor, NA/AA and Drug Assessment Upon Release.
23. Larry Eugene Deerman, AIS# 181452: The Board voted to deny parole with a reset date of 2/2027.

D. Files for Review:

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

E. Additional Board Business:

Parole for Christopher Allen Dyas, AIS# 290236 was granted on December 7, 2023, and included a special condition that he complete PREP. Because of a serious medical situation and on the request and recommendation from PREP personnel, the parole condition that Dyas complete PREP is suspended. He should have his home plan transferred to Mobile and be assigned to the Mobile DRC for supervision; he must be placed on GPS monitoring; and he should be reevaluated

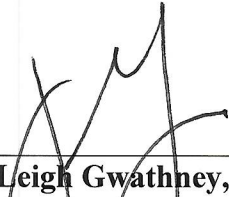
by his supervising officer so he can return to and complete the PREP program when appropriate. (See Attached Minute Entry & Board Order)

Adjournment:

- a. The Board adjourned at 3:00pm moved by Leigh Gwathney and seconded by Gabrelle Simmons with majority vote. The Board's next meeting will be February 29, 2024, at 8:00am at 301 South Ripley Street, Montgomery, AL 36104.


APPROVED:

DISAPPROVED:




Leigh Gwathney, Chairman

Leigh Gwathney, Chairman



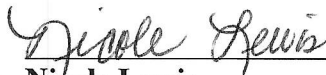
**Darryl Littleton
Board Member**

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**Gabrelle Simmons
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**Nicole Lewis
Board Secretary**

Date: 2/29/24

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.

February 28, 2024

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
&
BOARD ORDER**

The Alabama Board of Pardons and Paroles met on this 28th day of February 2024, in open public meeting, at which time the following Board Members were present: Leigh Gwathney, Chair, Darryl Littleton, Associate Member, and Gabrelle Simmons, Associate Member.

Parole for **Christopher Allen Dyas, AIS 290236** was granted on December 7, 2023, and included a special condition that he complete PREP. Because of a serious medical situation and on the request and recommendation from PREP personnel, the parole condition that Dyas complete PREP is suspended. He should have his home plan transferred to Mobile and be assigned to the Mobile DRC for supervision; he must be placed on GPS monitoring; and he should be reevaluated by his supervising officer so he can return to and complete the PREP program when appropriate.

Done this the **28th day of February 2024.**

APPROVED

DISAPPROVED

**LEIGH GWATHNEY
CHAIR**

**LEIGH GWATHNEY
CHAIR**



**DARRYL LITTLETON
ASSOCIATE MEMBER**

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**GABRELLE SIMMONS
ASSOCIATE MEMBER**

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PAROLE COURT HEARING DOCKET

2/28/2024

| <u>NAME</u> | <u>AIS #</u> | <u>DECISION</u> |
|-----------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| 1. Baird, Tyler | 282966 | Rein. |
| 2. Banks, Tellis | 235591 | Remanded |
| 3. Benson, Courtney | 230424 | Rev. None |
| 4. Blackman, Garland | 238874 | Rev. w/2/2027 |
| 5. Carnes, Roger | 206014 | Rev. w/2/2027 |
| 6. Clements, Robert | 145598 | Rev. None |
| 7. Deloach, Gabriel | 247927 | Rev. None |
| 8. Demings, Tyler | 319738 | Rein. |
| 9. Fisher, Keidrick | 243802 | Rein. |
| 10. Hall, Amber | 322530 | Rein. |
| 11. Henley, Quadarius | 285875 | Rein. |
| 12. Marlowe, Jonathan | 290695 | Rein. |
| 13. Marshall, John | 170176 | Rev. w/2/2026 |
| 14. Palmer, Michael | 247436 | Rein. |
| 15. Perryman, James | 149897 | Rev. w/2/2029 |
| 16. Ramsey, Donald | 325855 | Rev. None |
| 17. Stapleton, Sharon | 240469 | Rev. w/2/2026 |
| 18. West, Shawn | 176374 | Rev. w/2/2029 |
| 19. White, Travis | 318369 | Rein. |

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| Reinstatements: | 8 |
| Cont'd on Parole: | 0 |
| Revoked: | 10 |
| Remanded | 1 |

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| Total | 19 |
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Revoked

4 Technical Offense
4 New Offenses
2 Both Offense

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PREP Center

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PAROLEES DECLARED DELINQUENT
02/28/2024

| NAME | NUMBER | ACTION |
|---------------------|---------|-----------|
| 1. Hope, Brandi | 278687B | <u>DD</u> |
| 2. Meeks, Joseph | 332704 | <u>DD</u> |
| 3. Price, Rickey | 264664C | <u>DD</u> |
| 4. Smith, Omar | 181285A | <u>DD</u> |
| 5. Vanwinkle, Tanya | 331705 | <u>DD</u> |

HEARINGS BEGIN AT 8:00 A.M. ON 02-28-2024
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MONTGOMERY AL 36104
PAROLE DOCKET

| SD | CLASS | NAME | AIS # | ACTION |
|----|-------|------------------------|--------|----------------|
| | | STACKHOUSE JAMES EARL | 162181 | DENIED - 2/25 |
| | | DEERMAN LARRY EUGENE | 181452 | DENIED - 2/27 |
| | | JOHNSON PHILLIP KEVIN | 189364 | GRANTED - PREP |
| | | ROBINSON MICHAEL | 193330 | DENIED - 2/27 |
| | | PICKARD SHANNON GENE | 202079 | GRANTED - PREP |
| | | GANT LARRY DALE | 229415 | GRANTED - PP |
| | | GREENWAY CHARLES DAVID | 236767 | DENIED - 2/24 |
| | | NEWTON KIMBERLY DAWN | 238640 | GRANTED - PP |
| | | WHISENANT DAVID NEAL | 240272 | DENIED - 2/25 |
| | | RILEY JAMES A | 288973 | GRANTED - PP |
| | | JOHNSON JOE NATHAN JR | 335574 | DENIED - BOS |

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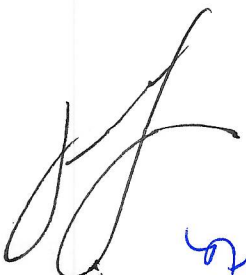
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CLASS 'A' DOCKET
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PAROLE DOCKET

| SD | CLASS | NAME | AIS # | ACTION |
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| A | | YELDER TIMOTHY JOHN | 152782 | DENIED - 2/29 |



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CLASS 'A' DOCKET
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PAROLE DOCKET

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MONTGOMERY AL 36104
PARDON DOCKET

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|----|-------|------------------------|--------|-----------------------------------|
| | | MOONEY TROY P | 126294 | <u>GRANTED VOTING RIGHTS ONLY</u> |
| | | SIMPSON JOHN ERIC | 241401 | <u>GRANTED</u> |
| | | AVERETT UNDRAY | 243460 | <u>GRANTED</u> |
| | | WATSON KADEJAH MATRAIL | 267243 | <u>GRANTED</u> |
| | | RILEY ALISHA GAIL | 291491 | <u>CONTINUED TO 4/2/24</u> |
| | | BRASHER BLAKE EDWARD | 305915 | <u>GRANTED VOTING RIGHTS ONLY</u> |
| | | MCBRIDE RICHARD | 805218 | <u>GRANTED</u> |
| | | COOTS JEFF | 812743 | <u>GRANTED</u> |
| | | HADLEY AARON JOSHUA | 818346 | <u>DENIED</u> |
| | | ADREY PHILLIP LOUIS II | 826293 | <u>GRANTED</u> |
| | | MCCARLEY TAMAR | 826355 | <u>GRANTED</u> |

Julie Lewis
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