

**MINUTES OF THE BAIL BOND BOARD OF WEBB COUNTY
MEETING OF OCTOBER 2, 2024
MEETING HELD AT THE 341ST DISTRICT COURT**

The Bail Bond Board of Webb County met at a regular meeting on October 2, 2024. The following members were present to-wit:

JUDGE BECKIE PALOMO	341ST DISTRICT JUDGE
JUDGE VICTOR VILLARREAL	COUNTY COURT AT LAW #2
JUDGE OSCAR LIENDO	JUSTICE OF PEACE JP1 PL2
ESTHER DEGOLLADO	DISTRICT CLERKS
LESLIE SPEER	REPRESENTATIVE MARGIE IBARRA
MANUEL VINALS	COUNTY CLERKS
COMMISSIONER RICARDO JAIME	REPRESENTATIVE RAUL REYES
	COUNTY TREASURER
	WEBB COUNTY COMMISSIONER PCT. 4

The following members were absent:

ALEJANDRO GUTIERREZ	REPRESENTATIVE MARTIN CUELLAR
JUDGE JESUS DOMINGUEZ	SHERIFF OFFICE
MARIO GUERRA	MUNICIPAL JUDGE
JESSICA LAUREL	CRIMINAL DEFENSE ATTORNEY
PEDRO J GARZA JR.	BONDSPERSON REPRESENTATIVE
	REPRESENTATIVE ISIDRO R ALANIZ
	DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Also present was Albrecht Riepen General Counsel and Enedelia Romo Bail Bond Board Administrator.

1. Call meeting to order.

2. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC MAY ADDRESS THE BAIL BOND BOARD DURING PUBLIC COMMENTS. ALL PERSONS MUST PRE-REGISTER IN WRITING BY EMAILING THE BAIL BOND BOARD ADMINISTRATOR AT eromo@webbcountytexas.gov NO LATER THAN 4:00PM ON THE BUSINESS DAY BEFORE THE MEETING. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION WILL BE LIMITED TO THREE MINUTES FOR THOSE WHO HAVE PRE-REGISTERED. PURSUANT TO STATE OPEN MEETING LAW, THE WEBB COUNTY BAIL BOND BOARD IS RESTRICTED IN DISCUSSION OR TAKING ACTION ON ITEMS NOT POSTED ON THE AGENDA.

3. **Approval of September 2024 Bail Bond Board Meeting minutes.**

Upon motion of Mrs. Esther Degollado, Seconded by Commissioner Ricardo Jaime, all voting in favor the minutes of September 18, 2024 were approved.

4. **Report on Outstanding Agreed Judgments/ Default Judgments, Pending Judgments Nisi, Pending Writs of Execution, and Suspended Sureties as of September 27, 2024.**

Albrecht Riepen Board Counsel informed the Board that we don't have new Judgments. No Writs of Execution pending at this time. No one is suspended. There are three Bonding Companies that have pending Judgments Nisi.

5. **Report on outstanding bonds for both active and closed bonding companies as of September 27, 2024.**

Enedelia Romo Bail Bond Board Administrator informed the board about Bonding Company report.

6. **Quarterly Report on Art. 17.16 Affidavits of Surety for Discharge of Liability and Art. 17.19 Affidavits of Surety for Warrant or Capias filed by bonding companies. (Albrecht Riepen, Board Counsel)**

Albrecht Riepen Board Counsel informed the Board that The Quarterly Report was provided by District Clerks Office Kimberly Moreno and by Pre Trial Services Office Isela Delgado.

7. Discussion and possible action related to Webb County Bail Bond Board Rule Section 3.3 regarding employee registration for Mike's Bail Bonds and Mike's Bail Bonds II. Specifically: Cynthia Azeneth Cruz. (Albrecht Riepen, Board Counsel)

Albrecht Riepen ask if someone from Mike's Bail Bonds were present and no one was present. Motion of Commissioner Ricardo Jaime the registration of the employee was denied because this was the second time it was place on the agenda and no one was present. Upon motion of Commissioner Ricardo Jaime, Seconded by Judge Oscar Liendo. All voting in favor this item was Denied.

8. Discussion and possible action related to a renewal application of bonding license of Roman Cisneros DBA: Roman Cisneros Bonding Company. (Albrecht Riepen, Board Counsel)

Albrecht Riepen General Counsel informed the Board to approve the renewal application for Roman Cisneros Bonding Company. All required materials were submitted with the application and there are no pending bond forfeiture cases. Upon motion of Judge Oscar Liendo, Seconded by Commissioner Ricardo Jaime all voting in favor this item was approved.

9. Discussion and possible action on edits and improvements to Bail Bond Board website. (Mario Guerra, Criminal Defense Attorney Representative) (Tabled from last meeting)

Mr. Albrecht Riepen informed the Board that Mr. Guerra was not able to be present. Judge Palomo mention that on the last meeting the website committee will continue working on the edits and improvements to the website. Upon Motion of Judge Rebecca Palomo this item was tabled for next meeting for an update. Upon motion of Commissioner Ricardo Jaime, Seconded by Judge Oscar Liendo all voting in favor this item was tabled.

10. Discussion and possible action relating to the release of certificate of deposit pledged by American Contractors Indemnity Co d/b/a Texas Bonding Co (Agent Jennifer Renee Garza d/b/a A-Kwik Bail Bonds. (Albrecht Riepen, Board Counsel)

Albrecht Riepen General Counsel informed the Board to approve the release of the certificate of deposit. All bonds have been disposed and / or stale it has been 20 years since they closed. Upon motion of Judge Victor Villarreal, Seconded by Judge Oscar Liendo all voting in favor this item was approved.

11. Discussion and possible action related to a renewal application of bonding license of Juan Jose Carmona Jr. DBA: Godfather Bail Bonds. (Albrecht Riepen, Board Counsel)

Albrecht Riepen General Counsel informed the Board to approve the renewal application for Godfather Bail Bonds. All required materials were submitted with the application and there are no pending bond forfeiture cases. Upon motion of Judge Oscar Liendo, Seconded by Commissioner Ricardo Jaime all voting in favor this item was approved.

12. Committee Reports

Rules Committee

Nothing to Report

Advertise Committee

Nothing to Report

Website Committee

Mr. Vinals will send an email.

Judge Palomo remind the Board Members that the Photo Shoots are today at 9:00 am at the PIO Department located at the Treasurer Office.

Commissioner Ricardo Jaime ask to add the Property Description on the Double amount Judgment Nisi Report.

13. Miscellaneous Business.

No Action Taken.

14. Adjournment.

Upon motion of Judge Rebecca Palomo, Seconded by Commissioner Ricardo Jaime, all voting in favor the meeting was adjourned.