



**MINUTES OF THE
ARKANSAS PAROLE BOARD
October 15th, 2015 @ 9:00 A.M.
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BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

John Felts, Chairman
Dawne Vandiver, Secretary/Commissioner
Richard Brown Jr., Vice-Chairman /Commissioner
James Wallace, Commissioner
Abraham Carpenter, Commissioner
John Belken, Commissioner
Andy Shock, Commissioner

EXCUSED WITH VALID REASONS:

Carol Bohannon, Hearing Judge/Attorney
Cara Boyd-Connors, Hearing Judge/Attorney
Jim Williams, Hearing Judge/Attorney
Ashley Vailes, Hearing Judge/Attorney

OTHERS PRESENT

Solomon Graves, Board Administrator, APB
Kelly Knuckles, Executive Assistant to the Chairman, APB
Scott Howard, Board Investigator, APB
Shirley Ellingburg, Area Manager, Institutional Release Services, ACC
Nga Mahfouz, Assistant Attorney General, Attorney General's Office

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Felts called the meeting to order at 9:01 am. A quorum was declared.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES- September 24, 2015

Secretary Vandiver moved for approval of the minutes. Vice-Chairman Brown seconded the motion. The minutes were approved as presented.

FILES FOR REVIEW

There were no questions regarding the files for review.

Chairman Felts mentioned to the Board the Victim Input Meeting dates for the November are the 4th, 18th and the 30th.

ADOPTION OF RECOMMENDATIONS

Secretary Vandiver moved to adopt the recommendations. Commissioner Wallace seconded the motion. The motion was passed.

ADJOURNMENT

The next Board meeting will be held on Thursday, October 29, 2015 at 9:00a.m. at the Arkansas Parole Board.

The meeting adjourned at 9:05 am.

Signature on File

John Felts
Chairman

Signature on File

Dawne Vandiver
Secretary

ARKANSAS BOARD OF PAROLE
FULL BOARD RATIFICATION OF VOTES
October 2015

UNITS:

RATIFIED:

DELTA



WRIGHTSVILLE



TUCKER



TUCKER MAX



CUMMINS



BENTON



TRCC/SW



ACC-CAC



McPHERSON



NORTH CENTRAL/NW



OTHER:

**PARDONS, COMMUTATIONS, TRANSFER SCREENINGS,
ACT 290's, 700's, RECONSIDERATIONS, REVOCATION APPEALS,
RESCINDS, SPECIAL CONDITIONS, EPAs, ETC.**



MOTION BY: Secretary Vandiver

SECONDED BY: Commissioner Carpenter

RATIFICATION DATE: October 15, 2015