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MINUTES

Arkansas Towing & Recovery Board • January 28, 2025

The Arkansas Towing & Recovery Board convened on Tuesday, January 28, 2025, at 9:30 a.m. The meeting was held at the Arkansas Department of Labor and Licensing at 900 West Capitol Avenue, Suite 400, Little Rock, Arkansas, 72201.

Chair Joe Spadoni called the meeting to order at 9:39 a.m. Chief Investigator Rowe conducted the roll call; Joe Spadoni, Matt Ross, Ronnie Adcock, Wayne Edwards, Scott DeMott, Tom Brown, and Jerry Vint were present. Charles Bokker arrived at 9:59 a.m. Director Paul Burnett, Chief Investigator Joseph Rowe, and Deputy Attorney General Doralee Chandler also attended.

Minutes Approval:

The Board was given the December 10th, 2024, minutes to be considered for approval. The minutes were approved on a motion by Mr. Vint, second by Mr. Brown. Motion carried 7-0

Disciplinary Hearing: Joe Spadoni, Chairman; Brandon Bonner, CCR, CVR, Arkansas Diamond Court Reporting.

2024-0710: Natural State Towing, Drew Klenczar. (Represented by Council) **Ruling:** Civil Penalties of \$1100.00. Restitution of \$20,225.49 to the Complainant insurance company after issuance of the final order. **Allegation of Facts:** A1-A7 all found as True. **Charges:** C-1 is proven True (\$1000.00). C-2 is proven True (\$100.00). Motion by Brown, Seconded by Vint. Motion carried 7-1. Ross voted against.

2024-0107: M&A Wrecker Service, Johnny Draper. Case was continued until next hearing date.

Business:

Director's Report: Director Burnett advised the Board on the status of complaints and the overall day-to-day operations and answered questions from Chairman Spadoni.

Financial Report: The financial report as of December 31, 2024, was presented. Motion for approval by Vint. Second by Ross. Approved 7-0.

Legal Update: Deputy Attorney General Doralee presented an update on two cases in appeal.

New Business:

Authorization of Board expense reimbursement and stipends for the 2025 calendar year as provided by A.C.A. §25-16-902 and §25-16-903, and meals during working meetings. Motion by Ross. Second by Brown. Approved 7-0.

Director Burnett reported that for the Fiscal Year 2023 Audit Report, the Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board had no findings.


A reminder was given to the Board Members that Statements of Financial Interest are due by January 31st, 2025, at the Arkansas Secretary of State Office.

Other Business:

With no other business, the meeting was concluded. Motion by Mr. Vint to adjourn, Second by Mr. Ross. Approved 8-0.

The meeting adjourned at 3:39 p.m.

Attest: 
Paul Burnett, Director

Signed: 
Richard Smith, Chair

Date Approved: 11/20/20