



**GEORGIA STATE BOARD of
USED MOTOR VEHICLE DEALERS**
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OPEN SESSION
BOARD MEETING MINUTES
October 9, 2024

The Georgia State Board of Used Motor Vehicle Dealers met Wednesday, October 9, 2024, at the Professional Licensing Boards, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, GA 31217.

USED MOTOR VEHICLE DEALERS MEMBERS PRESENT

- Jason Reaves, Chairman
- Lewis Page, Vice Chair
- Matthew Cristy
- Darryl Hicks
- David Johnson
- Neil Rawls
- Valentina Sosa
- James (Jimmy) Lydon

USED MOTOR VEHICLE DEALERS MEMBERS ABSENT

- Tyler Wood

STAFF PRESENT

- Chris Jones, Executive Director
- Valencia Bland, Complaints/Compliance Supervisor
- Sara Nasworthy, Board Support Specialist
- Samantha Cannon, Licensing Analyst
- Toyia Vinson, Licensing Analyst
- Aaliyah Boswell-Goodrich, Licensing Analyst
- Danielle McBride, PLB Legal Services
- Tommy McNulty, Sr. Assistant Attorney General
- Dowlin Ryals, Assistant Attorney General

OPEN SESSION – 9:18 a.m.

CALL TO ORDER: Jason Reaves, Chairman, noted that a quorum was present, called the meeting to order at 9:18 a.m., and declared the meeting to be “open” pursuant to the Open and Public Meeting Act, O.C.G.A. §§50-14-1 et seq.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Matthew Cristy made a motion, Lewis Page seconded, and the Board voted unanimously to approve the October 9, 2024, Agenda.

APPROVAL OPEN SESSION MINUTES

The Board reviewed the September 11, 2024, Open Session Hearing minutes. Darryl Hicks made a motion, Lewis Page seconded, and the Board voted unanimously to approve the September 11, 2024, Open Session Hearing minutes.

APPROVAL EXECUTIVE SESSION MINUTES

The Board reviewed the September 11 July 17, 2024 Executive Session Hearing minutes. Lewis Page made a motion, Neil Rawls seconded, and the Board voted unanimously to approve the September 11, 2024, Executive Session Hearing minutes

OPEN SESSION OTHER BUSINESS

Neil Rawls made a motion, Lewis Page seconded, and the Board voted unanimously to accept the Open Session Other Business Report as presented by Executive Director, Chris Jones and made the following recommendations:

Appointment to the Board: On September 23, 2024, Georgia Governor Brian Kemp appointed the Honorable Tyler Marion Wood of Monrow, County, Georgia to serve as a member of the State Board of Registration of Used Motor Vehicle Dealers and Used Motor Vehicles Parts Dealers, Used Car Division, for a term of office expiring September 23, 2028.FF

Reappointment to the Board: On September 23, 2024, Georgia Governor Brian Kemp reappointed the Honorable James Stephen Lydon of Pierce, County, Georgia to serve as a member of the State Board of Registration of Used Motor Vehicle Dealers and Used Motor Vehicles Parts Dealers, Used Car Division, for a term of office expiring September 23, 2028.

EXECUTIVE SESSION – 9:45 a.m.

Lewis Page made a motion, Matthew Cristy seconded, and the motion carried to enter into Executive Session in accordance with O.C.G.A. §§ 43-1-19(h), 43-25-5(c) and 43-26-11 for the purpose of discussing evidence presented during hearings, conducting applicant appointments, reviewing and discussing applications and complaints, and to hear the Attorney General's report.

At the conclusion of Executive Session, Jason Reaves declared the meeting to be “open” pursuant to the Open and Public Meeting Act O.C.G.A. § 50-14-1 et seq. No votes were taken during Executive Session.

OPEN SESSION – 12:48 p.m.

EXECUTIVE APPEARANCES

Lewis Page made a motion, Darryl Hicks seconded, and the Board voted unanimously to accept the recommendations made regarding the Executive Session Appearances. The recommendations were as follows:

Applicant 3110342 J.D.L.: Applicant did not attend. No recommendation was made.

Applicant 4072756 R.R.A.S.L.: Issue the license with a Consent Agreement for Licensure to include a \$500 fine for failure to disclose criminal history on application to be paid prior to the license being issued.

R.A.M.: Table pending receipt of additional information.

Applicant 4045567 H.A.C.L.: Issue the license with a Consent Agreement for Licensure to include probation to run concurrent with criminal probation.

Applicant 3110777 E.M.L.: Issue the license.

APPLICATIONS REPORT

There was no Applications Report presented at this meeting.

EXECUTIVE SESSION OTHER BUSINESS

Lewis Page made a motion, Darryl Hicks seconded, and the Board voted unanimously to accept the recommendations made regarding the Executive Session Other Business Report as presented by Executive Director, Chris Jones. The recommendations were as follows:

R.A.M.: Table pending receipt of additional information.

COMPLAINTS REPORT

Lewis Page made a motion, Darryl Hicks seconded, and the Board voted unanimously to accept the Board's recommendations regarding the Complaints Report as presented by Licensing Analyst, Toyia Vinson.

UMVD250298: Refer to Inspections.

UMVD250315: Refer to Inspections; Refer to the Georgia Department of Revenue.

CLOSED COMPLAINTS

Lewis Page made a motion, Darryl Hicks seconded, and the Board recommended to ratify and close the attached list of fifty-five (55) complaints.

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S REPORT

Lewis Page made a motion, Darryl Hicks seconded, and the Board voted unanimously to accept the recommendations made regarding the Attorney General's Report as presented by Attorney General Bryone Thernes.

LEGAL REPORT

The Board reviewed the Legal Report as presented by PLB Staff Attorney, Danielle McBride.

Lewis Page made a motion, Darryl Hicks seconded, and the Board voted unanimously to accept the following recommendations regarding the Legal Report.

Applicant 3075499 L.M.L.: Deny due to criminal history.

Applicant 4037415 Y.A.T.L.: Issue the license with a Consent Agreement for Licensure to include a \$500 fine for failure to disclose criminal history on application to be paid prior to the license being issued.

Applicant 4121567 T.T.S.L.: Issue the license with a Consent Agreement for Licensure to include a \$500 fine for failure to disclose criminal history on application to be paid prior to the license being issued.

Applicant 4115280 W.A.S.L.: Issue the license with a Consent Agreement for Licensure to include a \$500 fine for failure to disclose criminal history on application to be paid prior to the license being issued.

Applicant 4046566 G.L.M.L.: Issue the license.

Applicant 4056234 C.C.C.L.: Deny due to criminal history.

Applicant 4106965 F.I.: Issue the license with a Consent Agreement for Licensure to include a \$500 fine for failure to disclose administrative arrest on application to be paid prior to the license being issued.

Applicant 4001373 K.A.B.L. Issue the license with a Consent Agreement for Licensure to include probation for a term of one (1) year.

BOND INFORMATION REQUESTS

UCAR044885: Grant request; Refer to Inspections.

UCAR050797: Grant request.

UCAR046736: Grant request.

The meeting adjourned at 12:50 p.m.

**The next scheduled meeting of the
Georgia State Board of Used Motor Vehicle Dealers is:
Wednesday, November 6, 2024
Professional Licensing Boards Division
237 Coliseum Drive
Macon, Georgia 31217**

Minutes recorded by:

Sara Nasworthy, Board Support Specialist

Minutes reviewed and edited by:

Chris Jones, Executive Director

Jason Reaves

Jason Reaves, Board Chairman

Chris Jones

Chris Jones, Executive Director

These minutes were approved on November 6, 2024