

# **WALLER COUNTY**



## **BAIL BOND BOARD**

## **LOCAL RULES**

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## **SECTION 1 – GENERAL PROVISIONS**

### **1.01 AUTHORITY AND SCOPE OF RULES**

These Rules are adopted by the Waller County Bail Bond Board as authorized by Texas Occupations Code, Section 1704.101.

### **1.02 PURPOSE**

The purpose of these Rules is to supervise and regulate each phase of the bonding business within the geographic boundaries of Waller County and to adopt and post rules necessary to implement the Texas Occupations Code, Section 1704.101.

### **1.03 COMPUTATION OF TIME**

- A. The computation of time shall be calendar days rather than business days, unless otherwise required by statute.
- B. Unless otherwise required by statute, in computing time periods prescribed by these Rules, the period shall begin to run on the day after the act, event, or default in question. The day of the act, event, or default on which the designated period of time begins to run is not included in the computation. The period shall conclude on the last day of the designated period.
- C. Any deadline imposed pursuant to these Rules shall extend to the next business day thereafter in the event that the stated date falls on a day that Waller County or the United States Postal Service is not open for business.

### **1.04 DEFINITIONS**

The following words, when used in these Rules, shall have the following meanings, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise.

- A. Agent: an independent contractor licensed in Waller County as a bail bondsman and contracted by a Corporate Surety to issue bail bonds on behalf of the Corporate Surety.
- B. Applicant: a person seeking to obtain or renew a License for a Corporate Surety, Corporate Surety Agent or Individual in Waller County.
- C. Board: means the Waller County Bail Bond Board.