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NASBP APPOINTS NEW DIRECTORS-AT-LARGE AND REGIONAL DIRECTORS TO BOARD OF DIRECTORS

WASHINGTON, DC—The National Association of Surety Bond Producers (NASBP) has announced the appointment of four Directors-At-Large and two Regional Directors to serve on the NASBP Board of Directors.

During the NASBP Annual Meeting held last week in Boca Raton, FL, NASBP elected the following four bond producers to the position of Director-At-Large:

- **Jason Gusso** of Gusso Surety Bonds, Inc. in Sioux Falls, SD;
- **Rusty Lear** of Flood & Peterson Insurance in Greeley, CO;
- **Chad Martin** of TIS Insurance Services, Inc. in Knoxville, TN; and
- **Jose Milan** of Carrion, Laffitte & Casellas, Inc./HUB International CLC in Hato Rey, PR.

NASBP Directors-At-Large set policy for the Association and vote on the Association's policy matters. These four join eight other NASBP Directors-At-Large currently serving on the Board. Directors-At-Large serve three years.

In addition to the ten Regional Directors who were re-appointed to oversee their regions, NASBP has elected the following two new Regional Directors:

- **Billy L. Painter** with Alliant Insurance Services, Inc. in Jackson, MS, who will oversee **Region 8**, which includes Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, and Tennessee.
- **Ruben Jordan Blanes** with Fulcro Insurance, Inc. in Old San Juan, PR, who will oversee **Region 12**, which includes Puerto Rico and South America.

Each Regional Director helps plan the annual NASBP regional meeting for their region and serves at least a one-year term. Regional Directors may serve consecutive years.

NASBP thanks these individuals for their commitment and service to the Association.

Founded in 1942, the National Association of Surety Bond Producers (NASBP) is the association of and resource for surety bond producers and allied professionals. NASBP members specialize in providing surety bonds for construction contracts and other purposes to companies and individuals needing the assurance offered by surety bonds.