

# MINNESOTA BOARD OF

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**BOARD MEMORANDUM** 

AUGUST 17, 2017

TO:

**All Board Members** 

Christopher Kaisershot, Assistant Attorney General

FROM:

Dennis Martenson, PE, Board Chair

SUBJECT:

**AUGUST 17, 2017 BOARD MEETING MINUTES** 

GOLDEN RULE BUILDING, Suite 295 (Second Floor)

10:30 - 12:00 PM

The Board held its regularly scheduled meeting on the above-mentioned date, time and location.

## 1) QUORUM CALL

Dennis Martenson, PE, Chair Terry Groshong, Architect, Vice Chair Robert Gunderson, LA, Secretary Nirmal Jain, PE, Treasurer (ABSENT) Dave Blume, PE Rachel Dwyer, PM Eric Friske, JD, PM Darcy Hield, CID Wayne Hilbert, Architect David Krech, PE William Kuretsky, MME, JD, PM Robin Mathews, LS Daniel Murphy, PE Meg Parsons, Architect Marjorie Pitz, LA Keith Rapp, PG Claudia Reichert, CID Jody Rooney, PM (ABSENT) David Stenseth, CPA, PM Paul Vogel, LS Robert Whitmyer, PSS

### **OTHERS:**

Doreen Frost, Executive Director Andrea Barker, Assistant Executive Director Kay Weiss, Communications Specialist Leama Sather, OASI

### **GUESTS:**

None

- 2) INTRODUCTIONS
- 3) READING AND APPROVAL OF JULY 11, 2017 BOARD MEETING MINUTES

  MSP: To approve the July 11, 2017 Board meeting minutes.

- 4) RULES COMMITTEE REPORT (D. Hield, Committee Chair)
  - A) Continued to discuss the Rules of Professional Conduct
- 5) CREDENTIALING COMMITTEE REPORT (D. Krech, Committee Chair)
  - A) No meeting held
- 6) ALACID SECTION REPORT (M. Parsons, Section Chair)
  - A) CLARB Model Law Language:

MP: To carry the Board's position on the resolutions with the freedom to participate in the dialogue at the CLARB Annual Meeting and take into consideration the discussions and any amendments to the resolution before casting the vote on behalf of the Board.

- B) NCARB Alternative Path Minnesota is not accepting the NCARB Education Alternative. Staff will contact NCARB to update Minnesota's position.
- C) AXP Portfolios are encompassed in our rule.
- D) Age threshold for licensure was discussed. Minnesota Statutes require applicants for licensure to be 25 years of age before being licensed. However, in the case of architecture, individuals can complete the education, examination and experience requirements before they reach age 25.
- 7) ELSGEO SECTION REPORT (P. Vogel, Section Chair)
  - A) Discussed potential article for the next Board Newsletter.
  - B) Discussed bringing a motion at the next ASBOG national meeting that ASBOG create or assist in creating a national database of disciplinary actions.
  - C) Discussed the PLSS Depth module and the proposed resolution from California MP: To recommend modifying the resolution to agree to a study of the subject pending hearing additional discussion from the floor.
- 8) EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT (D. Martenson, Chair)
  - A) Internal controls annual report was discussed and the topic will be discussed at each meeting.
  - B) Offer for Board Investigator has been extended.
  - C) Strategic Plan was discussed and there will be more information at the next meeting.
  - D) Delegations of Authority

- i) Continuing Education Exemption for Active Military (ATTACH. 8Di distributed at meeting)
  - MP: To approve the resolution to delegate to the Executive Director the authority to review requests for exemption from the continuing education requirement based on the licensee or certificate holder being called to activity duty in the military during the biennial renewal.
- ii) Model Law Engineer (MLEs) (ATTACH. 8Dii distributed at meeting)
  - MP: To approve the resolution to delegate to the Executive Director the authority to approve and sign the applications of individuals who have the designation of "NCEES Model Law Engineer" and meet the requirements for licensure as a professional engineer in Minnesota.
- 9) TREASURER'S REPORT (N. Jain, Treasurer)
  - A) Budget and Revenue Reports reviewed and discussed.
- 10) EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REPORT (D. Frost, Executive Director)
  - A) MN §14.001 reviewed and discussed.
- 11) UNFINISHED BUSINESS
  - A) Strategic Planning Update update from Kay Weiss and Andrea Barker on the newsletter and the upcoming online applications demo.
- 12) NEW BUSINESS
  - A) New Licensee Report
    - MSP: To approve the New Licensee Report.
  - B) CLARB letter to Registration Boards discussed (ATTACH. 12B distributed at meeting)
- 13) COMPLAINT COMMITTEE REPORT (R. Mathews, Committee Chair)
  - A) The Complaint Committee requested a closed session.
    - MSP: To close the meeting to review disciplinary matters.
- 14) CLOSED SESSION
  - A) Disciplinary Matters
    - i) In the Matter of Peter Lichomski, Architect, License #46120, the Board issued a Settlement Agreement and Cease and Desist Order.
  - B) Request to open the meeting

MSP: To open the meeting.

- 15) PUBLIC COMMENT
  - A) None
- 16) ADJOURN

MSP: To adjourn at 11:39 am

Approval:

Robert Gunderson, LA, Board Secretary

cc: Professional Societies and Interested Parties

# MANAGER'S FINANCIAL REPORT

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