

August 16, 2018

BOARD OF LICENSURE FOR PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGISTS MINUTES

There was a meeting of the Board of Licensure for Professional Geologists held on August 16, 2018. The meeting was called to order at 9:05 a.m. by Chairperson Shevenell. In attendance were Rydel, Regan, Robinette and Chormann. Also in attendance were OPLC staff Dawn Couture. Dumville was not present.

1. Interview/meeting – None.

2. Reading of minutes of the May 10, 2018 meeting – Board member Robinette made a motion which was appropriately seconded by Board member Regan to accept the public minutes as written. The motion passed unanimously.

3. Communications – General – None.

4. Communications - Board action – None.

5. Applications for Board action –

a. Exam Applicants – Next exam date October 5, 2018

Appl. #18-06 Nicholas D. Legere – Board member Robinette made a motion which was appropriately seconded by Board member Chormann to approve candidate for the ASBOG exams. The motion passed unanimously.

Appl. #19-02 Steven D. Shaw – Board member Rydel made a motion which was appropriately seconded by Board member Regan to approve candidate for the ASBOG PG exam. The motion passed unanimously.

b. Reconsideration Applicant – Board member Rydel made a motion which was appropriately seconded by Board member Regan to accept his additional work experience and approve for licensure with the following number. The motion passed unanimously.

Appl. #18-15 Michael Kanarek #903

c. Reciprocity Applicant – Board member Robinette made a motion which was appropriately seconded by Board member Chormann to approve applicant for licensure with the following number. The motion passed unanimously.

Appl. #17-15 George M. Lukert #904

d. Licensure Applicant – Passed the ASBOG exams, does not hold an out of state license – Chairman Shevenell made a motion which was appropriately seconded by Board member Regan to approve applicant for licensure with the following number, as applicant has met the required qualifications including passing the ASBOG examinations.

Appl. #19-01 Emily Wassmer #905

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5. Applications for Board action, Continued –

- e. GIT Applicants – Noted, no action required.

Appl. #18-17 Derek Drouin

Appl. #19-04 Samuel T. Schoenmann

6. Unfinished Business –

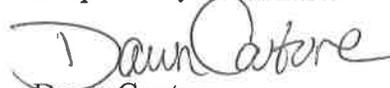
- a. Spring 2019 COE Workshop, Manchester NH – Sample of previous agenda and activities – The Board held a discussion regarding different geological sites within New Hampshire for a possible field trip. Chairman Shevenell has requested OPLC staff member Couture to inquire from ASBOG's representative, what are ASBOG's expectations of New Hampshire for hosting the 2019 Spring COE workshop.
- b. Review of Draft Letter responding to AIPG – A discussion was held. Board member Robinette suggested adding in additional language stating the AIPG's new category does not comply with our current rules for licensure.

7. New Business –

- a. HB 1347 Final Version – Information to be included in the minutes under the right-to-know law – Noted. Required information will be included in the minutes.
- b. Review of minutes on chair meeting with executive director Peter Danles – Chairman Shevenell reported on the OPLC chairs meeting, the large topic at the meeting was SB 531 which changes the OPLC from a 125% agency to a self-funded agency. This bill also allows the OPLC to standardize the 100-300 rules for all Boards within the agency and will allow Boards to review and adjust fees as needed.
- c. Review of regulations regarding reciprocity and temporary permits – The Board held a brief discussion. The Board does not believe this will have a big effect based on the number of temporary permits the Board has received within the last few years.
- d. Election of Officers – Tabled until next meeting.
- e. Date and time of next meeting – *Thursday September 13, 2018 @ 9 a.m.*

8. Adjournment – Board member Robinette made a motion which was appropriately seconded by Board member Regan to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously, meeting adjourned at 10:40 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,


Dawn Couture
Supervisor II