August 22, 2018

BOARD OF NATURAL SCIENTISTS MINUTES

There was a meeting of the Board of Certification for Natural Scientists held on August 22, 2018. Chairman Burt called the meeting to order at 9:06 a.m. Also present were Albert, Long and Martin. Lobdell and Hodsdon were not present.

1. Interview/meeting – None.

2. Reading of minutes of June 27, 2018 – Board member Albert made a motion which was appropriately seconded by Board member Long to approve the public minutes as written. The motion passed unanimously.

3. Communications General – None.

4. Communications Board Action – None.

5. Applications –

a. Wetland Scientist Apprentice – Received Transcript – Board member Long made a motion which was appropriately seconded by Board member Albert to deny the application due to the lack of soil science credits per RSA 310-A:84 I (a). The motion passed unanimously.

   Appl. #18-07 Jason C. Bolduc

b. Soil Scientist Apprentice – Received Transcript – Board member Burt made a motion which was appropriately seconded by Board member Albert to approve the following with certificate number. The motion passed unanimously.

   Appl. #18-01 Jason C. Bolduc WSA-049

6. New Business –

a. Upon the motion of Long and the second of Burt, the Board voted by roll call vote, to conduct a non-public session for the purpose of discussing pending investigations and noting that such a non-public session is authorized by RSA 91-A:3, II (c) & (j), RSA 91-A:5, IV, Lodge v. Knowlton, 11 N.H. 574 (1978), and the Board's executive and deliberative privileges. Each member recorded his or her vote on the motion, which passed by the unanimous vote of all members present. Upon the motion of Burt and Albert, the Board by roll call vote resumed public session.

b. Upon the motion of Long and Martin, the Board by roll call vote resumed public session.

6. New Business, Continued –

c. Upon the motion of Long and the second of Burt, the Board, by roll call vote, resolved to withhold the minutes of the preceding non-public session from public disclosure pursuant to RSA 91-A:3, III on the grounds that public disclosure would be likely to render the proposed action ineffective. Each member recorded his or her vote on the motion, which passed by the unanimous vote of all members present.

d. Wetland June 15th Field Exam Results – Noted.
   Brenden M. Walden #297
   Benjamin Griffith #298

e. Wetland July 27th Written Exam Results – 1 pass, 2 failed – Noted.

f. September 7th field exam – 2 candidates – Noted.

g. Date and Time of next meeting – ***Wednesday, October 24, 2018 @ 9:00 a.m.***

7. Adjournment – Board member Burt made a motion which was appropriately seconded by Board member Albert to adjourn. The motion was passed unanimously, meeting adjourned at 10:30 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

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