

April 11, 2018

## BOARD OF NATURAL SCIENTISTS MINUTES

There was a meeting of the Board of Certification for Natural Scientists held on April 11, 2018. Chairman Burt called the meeting to order at 9:02 a.m. Also present were Lobdell, Albert, Long and Martin. Hodsdon was not present.

**1. Interview/meeting** – None.

**2. Reading of minutes of February 14, 2018** – Moved, seconded and voted unanimously to approve the public and non-public minutes as written.

**3. Communications General** – None.

**4. Communications Board Action** – None.

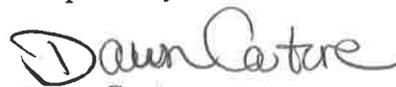
**5. Applications** – None.

**6. New Business** –

- a. Letter on DES Wetlands rules – Albert updated the Board on the DES draft rules. A discussion was held, there was a lack of definitions in the draft rules. Albert will draft a letter to submit that includes the definitions of what a Soil Scientist and a Wetland Scientist means per the Board's administrative rule Soil 102.01. Deadline is April 20, 2018.
- b. Wetland Field exam – Schedule walk through – Exam committee will meet a week prior to June 15<sup>th</sup> to prepare the site.
- c. Soil exam rewrite – Exam committee will review the current exam and make any necessary changes.
- d. Granting reciprocity – SB 334-FN – Couture updated the Board HB 1732 was ITL. It was revised into SB 334-FN which passed and is in House waiting.
- e. Date and Time of next meeting – *Wednesday, July 11, 2018 at 9 a.m.*

**7. Adjournment** – 9:50 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

  
Dawn Couture  
Supervisor II