



## Engineers Public Meeting

Engineers Board

Mar 24, 2023 at 9:00 AM EDT to Mar 24, 2023 at 12:00 PM EDT

OPLC, 7 Eagle Square, Concord, NH 03301

Board Members Present: Chris Mulleavey, Marc Morin, Paul Mullin, David Gill and Carmela Amato-Wierda

### Minutes

**I. Call to Order-** C. Mulleavey called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

**II. Review and Approval of Agenda**

**III. Approval of Public Minutes-** M. Morin made a motion to approve the minutes from the two meetings listed below. P. Mullin second and motion passes with a roll call vote.

**A. Minutes from the February 24, 2023 meeting**

**B. Minutes from the March 7, 2023 Meeting**

**IV. Public Appearances-** none

**V. OPLC and /or Board Administration Updates**

**VI. Licensure Approval (if applicable)**

**A. Comity Applications-** all comity applicants approved

1. 23-464 Douglas Pac CE License # 17659
2. 23-586 Dwayne Legg EE License # 17660
3. 23-451 Da Ha CE/GEO License # 17661
4. 23-368 Christopher Ribeiro CE License # 17662
5. 21-075 Justin Ahmann License # 17663
6. 23-334 Scott Miccile CE License # 18664

**B. Principle and Practice Applications-** all P&P applications approved.

1. 23-314 Aaron Thibeault CE
2. 23-336 Sydni Clark CE/STR
3. 23-502 Sarah Viola ENV
4. 23-389 Nicholas Fair EE/COMP
5. 23-389 Melanie Haskins CE/HIGHWAY
6. 2-256 Matthew Welch EE/MECH

**C. Model Law Engineers-** M. Morin made a motion to approve the model law engineers since February 21, 2023. C. Amato-Wierda seconded and motion passes with a roll call vote.

| APPL # | NAME              | LICENSE # | DATE      | BRANCH |
|--------|-------------------|-----------|-----------|--------|
| 23-429 | Bryan M. Zach     | 17599     | 2/21/2023 | FP     |
| 23-493 | Bryan P. Dietrich | 17600     | 2/21/2023 | CE/STR |
| 23-466 | Michael Armstrong | 17601     | 2/21/2023 | CE     |

| APPL #  | NAME                  | LICENSE # | DATE      | BRANCH  |
|---------|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|---------|
| 23-485  | Jason R. Worthen      | 17602     | 2/21/2023 | EE/COMP |
| 23-495  | Ashley Ann Curtin     | 17603     | 2/21/2023 | CE      |
| 23-450  | Dennis P. Murtagh     | 17614     | 2/24/2023 | CE      |
| 23-455  | Jeffery Pierce        | 17616     | 2/27/2023 | ENV     |
| 23-452  | Margaret McCarthy     | 17617     | 2/27/2023 | CE      |
| 23-459  | Thomas W. Payne       | 17621     | 2/28/2023 | CE      |
| 23-469  | Matthew John Meste    | 17623     | 3/3/2023  | CE/STR  |
| 23-462  | Christopher E. Nevill | 17624     | 3/3/2023  | CE      |
| 23-507  | Michael Costley       | 17625     | 3/3/2023  | EE/COMP |
| 23-479  | Craig Gradick         | 17626     | 3/3/2023  | MECH    |
| 23-506  | Jason V Philbin       | 17627     | 3/3/2023  | CE      |
| 23-463  | David James Wittle    | 17630     | 3/7/2023  | MECH    |
| 23-465  | John Dennon           | 17631     | 3/7/2023  | CE      |
| 23-467  | Sean R. McFee         | 17632     | 3/7/2023  | CE      |
| 23-468  | Aaron Sylvia          | 17633     | 3/7/2023  | CE      |
| 23-472  | Garrett David Small   | 17634     | 3/7/2023  | CE      |
| 23-473  | Gregory Bridenbaugh   | 17637     | 3/9/2023  | EE/COMP |
| 23-503  | Jared M. Robillard    | 17638     | 3/9/2023  | MECH    |
| 23-505  | Serenity-Joy Wolf     | 17639     | 3/9/2023  | CE      |
| 23-498  | Andrew James Barry    | 17640     | 3/9/2023  | EE/COMP |
| 22-0019 | Brian David Hanson    | 17641     | 3/9/2023  | CE      |
| 23-0042 | Christopher Collins   | 17642     | 3/9/2023  | MECH    |
| 23-593  | Jeffrey R. Lewis      | 17647     | 3/15/2023 | CE      |
| 23-594  | Ryan E. Kuntz         | 17648     | 3/15/2023 | STR     |
| 23-588  | Angela Oruoch         | 17649     | 3/16/2023 | EE/COMP |

## VII. New Business

### A. NCEES Annual Meeting, Boston, MA August 15-18, 2023

C. Mulleavey, P. Mullin, M. Morin and possibly D. Gill will be attending.

**B. Louie Capotosto-Temporary Permit Question-** After discussion on the temporary permit process. Noting that a permit is for specific project only, that NH qualifications must be met. Canadian licensure is not equivalent to NH licensure. Needs to have a PE license.

Mr. Capotosto has already been approved to test. He was looking for the temporary permit to begin in July/ August.

D.Gill made a motion to deny the temporary permit due to not having met the requirements in RSA 310.19. P. Mullin seconded and motion passes with a roll call vote.

Board suggests he take the exam. He will have the ability to retake if he fails, in a short timeframe since it is a CBT exam.

Board would like a list of the requirements for Canadian licenses. Would like to see if NCEES has a position on Canadian licensing.

## VIII. Old Business- none

## IX. Rules Review and Other Legislative Topics

**A. ENG 500 Ethical Standards and License Surrender-** Public Hearing at 9:30 a.m.- C. Mulleavey started the public hearing at 9:53 a.m. There were no public comments. C. Mulleavey closed the public hearing at 10:22 a.m.

**B. ENG 200 Purpose and Scope-** staff will send a copy of the OPLC 200s and the Boards 200s for comparison before a decision is made on this section.

**C. ENG 300 Initial Licensing-** M. Morin made a motion to accept the Eng 300 initial proposal and start the rulemaking process. P. Mullin seconded and motion passes with a roll call vote.

**D. ENG 400- Renewal-** M. Morin made a motion to accept the Eng 400 initial proposal and start the rulemaking process. P. Mullin seconded and motion passes with a roll call vote.

**E. Amended HB655-** Board is very concerned with the language in this Bill. It strips the Board its authority to approve applications and how complaints are addressed. OPLC director would have the authority.

**F. HB2-** Board reviewed the requirements listed in HB2. Board feels this is very detrimental to public safety because the proposed rules do not require experience under a licensed PE. It would also affect the ability to reciprocate a NH license to other states.

Board would like Attorney Goulet to write a letter of comparison of the proposed requirements and the current requirements. This will be in opposition of HB2 expressing the Boards concerns.

Board also discussed the PE/LS joint Board and what would this look like.

M Morin made a motion to have C. Mulleavey present a letter from the Board to the Senate and legislative committee members. D. Gill seconded and motion passes with a roll call vote.

M. Morin made a motion for any Board member to speak on behalf of the Board at the next public hearing as representatives of the Board. P. Mullin seconded and motion passes with a roll call vote.

#### **X. Adjournment-**

There will be no April Meeting due to the NCEES Zone meeting.

The Next meeting will be on May 26, 2023

D. Gill made a motion to adjourn at 11:10 a.m. C. Amato-Wierda seconded and motion passes with a roll call vote.