



Iowa Board of Nursing

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BOARD MEETING MINUTES

December 14, 2022

3:00 p.m.

Electronic Meeting: This electronic meeting was held in accordance with Iowa Code section 21.8. The Code states that a governmental body may conduct a meeting by electronic means only if circumstances are such that meeting in person is impossible or impractical and access is provided to the public. Public access was provided via the Zoom platform. Instructions for remote attendance were provided on the agenda. The agenda was posted on the Board's website and sent electronically to those individuals subscribed to GovDelivery.

Board in Attendance

Amber Mahrt, RN, MSN, Chairperson
Gordon Goettsch, DDS, Vice Chairperson
Ryan Stuck, BSN, RN, LNHA
Jackie Barber, EdD, MSN, RN, CNS, CNL
Brian Feist, BSN, RN
Amy Beltz, LPN

Board Not in Attendance

Casey Kenneavy, LNHA

Staff

Kathy Weinberg, RN, Executive Director
Jimmy Reyes, RN, Associate Director Education/Practice
Doug Bartels, Associate Director Enforcement
Rhonda Ruby, RN INAP Coordinator
Michele Royer, INAP Case Manager
Bill Hansen, Enforcement
Eric Holsapple, Enforcement
Kathleen Beebout, RN, Enforcement
Taunya Cunningham, RN, Enforcement

Anne Ryan, RN, Enforcement
Laci Olson, Enforcement
Tessa Register, Assistant Attorney General
Tracey Westby, Enforcement Secretary
Emily Nordstrom, Secretary

Audience: none

November 9, 2022

3:01 p.m., Amber Mahrt called the meeting to order.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

No announcements.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

On a motion by Gordon Goettsch, seconded by Amy Beltz , the Board voted to adopt the agenda.

Public Comment

No public comment.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

On a motion by Brian Feist, seconded by Ryan Stuck, the Board voted to approve the November 9, 2022 open session minutes.

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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Director Weinberg reminded the Board that the next meeting would be in-person January 19-21, 2023 and to make their reservations if they are staying in town. She also asked the Board members to let the staff know if they are unable to attend to make sure there will be a quorum. The legislative session will start January 9, 2023. The Board of Nursing staff will continue to monitor any relevant bills that come through. The Board will have a new AAG, Katie Carl, representing the State during contested case proceedings beginning in January 2023. The Board also has a new Health Professions Investigator, Aaron Kephart, who will be starting in January and will attend the January Board meeting.

Open Session

On a motion by Ryan Stuck, seconded by Jackie Barber, the Board voted to deny the Military Service Education/Experience Application for Douglas Rinderknecht.

On a motion by Gordon Goettsch, seconded by Jackie Barber, the Board voted to approve the ARNP Application for 22-505 Oliver Djoumessi.

3:15 p.m. On a motion made by Gordon Goettsch, seconded by Ryan Stuck, the Board voted unanimously by roll call vote to move into closed session pursuant to Iowa Code section 21.5(1)(a), to review or discuss records which are required or authorized by state or federal law to be kept confidential; pursuant to Iowa Code section 21.5(1)(d), to discuss whether to initiate licensee disciplinary investigations or proceedings; and pursuant to Iowa Code section 21.5(1)(f), to discuss the decision to be rendered in a contested case conducted according to the provisions of chapter 17A.

4:15 p.m. The Board returned to open session.

On a motion by Jackie Barber, seconded by Ryan Stuck, the Board vote to approve the Volunteer Surrender of Licensure for cases:

17-259 Megan Tonnemacher

21-325 Vicki Stor

On a motion by Gordon Goettsch, seconded by Ryan Stuck, the Board voted to approve the Combined Statements of Charges, Settlement Agreement, and Final Orders for cases:

21-497 Quinton Twilla

11-248 Kerri Gray

22-294 Cynthia Bustos

22-297 Tracy Trefl

22-307 Theresa Fell

22-309 Chrishandia White

22-326 Lindsey Edie

22-457 Sarah Daringer

22-458 Luis Ramirez

On a motion by Gordon Goettsch, seconded by Ryan Stuck, the Board voted to approve the Settlement Agreement and Final Orders for cases:

21-454 Randy Roggentien

22-255 Sarah Haptonstall

On a motion by Jackie Barber, seconded by Gordon Goettsch, the Board voted to approve the Confidential Orders for Evaluation for cases 21-190 and 22-258.

On a motion by Gordon Goettsch, seconded by Jackie Barber, the Board voted to close the following cases:

21-554	22-188	22-358	22-418
21-611	22-231	22-359	22-419

22-030	22-305	22-373	22-420
22-081	22-308	22-375	22-428
22-082	22-318	22-376	22-435
22-088	22-329	22-377	21-558
22-090	22-349	22-405	21-559
21-560	21-561	22-333	22-234
22-256			

At 4:20 p.m., on a motion by Jackie Barber, seconded by Ryan Stuck, the Board voted unanimously by roll call vote to move into closed session pursuant to Iowa Code section 21.5(1)(f), to discuss the decision to be rendered in a contested case conducted according to the provisions of chapter 17A.

At this time, the investigators and AAG left the conference call.

4:23 p.m. The Board returned to open session.

On a motion by Amy Beltz, seconded by Gordon Goettsch, the Board vote to approve the Finding of Fact, Conclusions of Law, Decision, and Order for cases:

21-289 Kami Adolf

21-340 Cody Babbitt

21-584 Teri Dunshee

21-585 Debbie Hird

4:25 p.m. On the motion of Brian Feist, seconded by Ryan Stuck, the Board voted to adjourn.