

1 MINUTES

2 BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL SURVEYORS AND MAPPERS

3 EXAM COMMITTEE

4 VIRTUAL MEETING

5 JULY 30, 2020

6 The meeting was called to order by Frank Conkling, Committee Chair, at 2:36 p.m.

7 **COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT**

8 Frank Conkling, Committee Chair/Board Vice Chair
9 Steven Hyde
10 Chris McLaughlin

11 **OTHERS PRESENT**

12 Nick Campanile, Board Chair
13 Michael Zoltek, Board Member
14 David Schryver, Board Member
15 Ia Hall, Board Member
16 George Grubbs, Board Member
17 Michael Zoltek, Board Member
18 Liz Compton, Executive Director
19 Regenia Lee, Government Analyst
20 Amanda McKibben, Acting Board Counsel
21 Olorunfunmi Ojetayo, Prosecuting Attorney
22 Corey Fedrick, PSAM Investigator
23 Howard Ehmke
24 Alvin Gloer
25 Don Elder
26 Larcy Broye
27 Stephen Dees
28 Donald Demkovich
29 Benjamin Fordham
30 Peter Hill

59 **REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF THE FEBRUARY 2020 EXAM COMMITTEE MINUTES**

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61 After discussion, the following motion was made:

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63 MOTION: Mr. McLaughlin made a motion to approve the February 2020 Exam Committee
64 minutes as amended.

65 SECOND: Mr. Hyde seconded.

66 ACTION: The motion passed unanimously.

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68 **NCEES DIVISIONAL EXAMINATIONS – UPDATE ON NCEES SURVEY**

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70 Ms. Compton said that NCEES ask the Board to complete a divisional examination survey. She said that she and
71 Mr. Campanile worked on the survey together and submitted on behalf of the Board. A copy of the survey is
72 available on request.

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74 **UPDATE ON THIRD PARTY EXAMINER FOR FLORIDA JURISDICTIONAL EXAMINATION**

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76 Ms. Compton stated that the Department is working on a contract with Prometric to give the Florida
77 Jurisdictional Examination Nationwide. She said that we would still be offering the exam 8 times a year in
78 Florida but that licensing candidates would be given the option and convenience to take the examination via
79 Prometric at a \$69.00 fee without the expense of time and travel to Florida. She said that Prometric would
80 create a new test from the question item bank each time it is given. Mr. Hyde stated that the Committee would
81 need to be involved in this process. Ms. Compton said that she would keep the Committee updated on the
82 progression of the contract and any decisions that need to be made. Mr. Zoltek stated that he was concerned
83 that the Florida Jurisdictional Examination is not being given. He said that there needs to be a way for the
84 licensee candidates to take the examination until the Covid-19 and other situations pass. Mr. Hyde said that he
85 would be willing to proctor the examinations. Ms. Compton said that she would try and come up with more
86 ideas to try to get the ball rolling.
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PUBLIC COMMENT

Mr. Demkovich said that he appreciates the Board for considering giving the Florida Jurisdictional Examination out of state due to time and travel expenses.

95 **ADJOURNMENT**

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97 The meeting was adjourned at 3:21 p.m.