



**VIRTUAL/TELECONFERENCE
OPTOMETRY EXAMINING BOARD**
Virtual, 4822 Madison Yards Way, Madison
Contact: Will Johnson (608) 266-2112
August 6, 2026

The following agenda describes the issues that the Board plans to consider at the meeting. At the time of the meeting, items may be removed from the agenda. Please consult the meeting minutes for a record of the actions of the Board.

AGENDA

9:00 A.M.

OPEN SESSION – CALL TO ORDER – ROLL CALL

A. Adoption of Agenda (1-3)

B. Approval of Minutes of February 5, 2026 (4-6)

C. Reminders: Conflicts of Interest, Scheduling Concerns

D. Introductions, Announcements and Recognition

E. Administrative Matters

1. Department, Staff and Board Updates
2. Board Members – Term Expiration Dates
 - a. Jenkins, Mark A. – 7/1/2016
 - b. Kenitz, Scott F. – 7/1/2029
 - c. Slaby, Lisa L. – 7/1/2027
 - d. Sorce, Peter I. – 7/1/2023
 - e. Strombeck, Tracey J. -7/1/2029
 - f. Wilson, Emmylou – 7/1/2027
 - g. Wonderling, Ann M. – 7/1/2027

F. Administrative Rule Matters – Discussion and Consideration (7)

1. Pending or Possible Rulemaking Projects

G. Legislative and Policy Matters – Discussion and Consideration

H. Speaking Engagements, Travel, or Public Relation Requests, and Reports – Discussion and Consideration

1. Travel Report: 2026 ARBO Annual Meeting – Phoenix, AZ – June 13-14, 2026

- I. Discussion and Consideration of Items Added After Preparation of Agenda
 - 1. Introductions, Announcements and Recognition
 - 2. Nominations, Elections, and Appointments
 - 3. Administrative Matters
 - 4. Election of Officers
 - 5. Appointment of Liaisons and Alternates
 - 6. Delegation of Authorities
 - 7. Education and Examination Matters
 - 8. Credentialing Matters
 - 9. Practice Matters
 - 10. Legislative and Policy Matters
 - 11. Administrative Rule Matters
 - 12. Liaison Reports
 - 13. Board Liaison Training and Appointment of Mentors
 - 14. Informational Items
 - 15. Public Health Emergencies
 - 16. Division of Legal Services and Compliance (DLSC) Matters
 - 17. Presentations of Petitions for Summary Suspension
 - 18. Petitions for Designation of Hearing Examiner
 - 19. Presentation of Stipulations, Final Decisions and Orders
 - 20. Presentation of Proposed Final Decisions and Orders
 - 21. Presentation of Interim Orders
 - 22. Petitions for Re-Hearing
 - 23. Petitions for Assessments
 - 24. Petitions to Vacate Orders
 - 25. Requests for Disciplinary Proceeding Presentations
 - 26. Motions
 - 27. Petitions
 - 28. Appearances from Requests Received or Renewed
 - 29. Speaking Engagements, Travel, or Public Relation Requests, and Reports

J. Public Comments

CONVENE TO CLOSED SESSION to deliberate on cases following hearing (s. 19.85(1)(a), Stats.); to consider licensure or certification of individuals (s. 19.85(1)(b), Stats.); to consider closing disciplinary investigations with administrative warnings (ss. 19.85(1)(b), and 440.205, Stats.); to consider individual histories or disciplinary data (s. 19.85(1)(f), Stats.); and to confer with legal counsel (s. 19.85(1)(g), Stats.).

- K. Deliberation of Items Added After Preparation of the Agenda
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L. Consulting with Legal Counsel

RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING CLOSED SESSION

M. Vote on Items Considered or Deliberated Upon in Closed Session, if Voting is Appropriate

N. Open Session Items Noticed Above Not Completed in the Initial Open Session

O. Delegation of Ratification of Examination Results and Ratification of Licenses and Certificates

ADJOURNMENT

NEXT MEETING: NOVEMBER 5, 2026

 MEETINGS AND HEARINGS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC, AND MAY BE CANCELLED WITHOUT NOTICE.

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**VIRTUAL/TELECONFERENCE
OPTOMETRY EXAMINING BOARD
MEETING MINUTES
FEBRUARY 5, 2026**

PRESENT: Mark Jenkins (*arrived at 9:03 a.m.*), Scott Kenitz, Lisa Slaby, Peter Sorce, Tracey Strombeck, Emmylou Wilson, Ann Wonderling

STAFF: Will Johnson, Executive Director; Jameson Whitney, Legal Counsel; Jacob Pelegrin, Administrative Rules Coordinator; Tracy Drinkwater, Board Administration Specialist; and other DSPS Staff

CALL TO ORDER

Lisa Slaby, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. A quorum was confirmed with six (6) members present.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

MOTION: Peter Sorce moved, seconded by Emmylou Wilson, to adopt the Agenda as published. Motion carried unanimously.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF NOVEMBER 6, 2025

MOTION: Peter Sorce moved, seconded by Emmylou Wilson, to adopt the Minutes of November 6, 2025, as published. Motion carried unanimously.

Mark Jenkins arrived at 9:03 a.m.

ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

Election of Officers

Slate of Officers

NOMINATION: Peter Sorce nominated the 2025 slate of officers to continue in 2026. All officers accepted their nominations.

Will Johnson, Executive Director, called for nominations three (3) times.

The Slate of Officers was elected by unanimous voice vote.

2026 OFFICERS	
Chairperson	Lisa Slaby
Vice Chairperson	Emmylou Wilson
Secretary	Scott Kenitz

Appointment of Liaisons and Alternates

LIAISON APPOINTMENTS	
Credentialing Liaison(s)	Lisa Slaby, Ann Wonderling <i>Alternate:</i> Tracey Strombeck
Education and Exams Liaison(s)	Lisa Slaby, Emmylou Wilson <i>Alternate</i> Ann Wonderling
Monitoring Liaison(s)	Scott Kenitz <i>Alternate:</i> Ann Wonderling
Professional Assistance Procedure (PAP) Liaison(s)	Scott Kenitz <i>Alternate:</i> Peter Sorce
Legislative Liaison(s)	Peter Sorce <i>Alternate:</i> Lisa Slaby
Travel Authorization Liaison(s)	Emmylou Wilson <i>Alternate:</i> Ann Wonderling Tracey Strombeck
Prescription Drug Monitoring Program Liaison(s) (PDMP)	Emmylou Wilson <i>Alternate:</i> Ann Wonderling
SCREENING PANEL APPOINTMENTS	
January-December	Emmylou Wilson, Scott Kenitz, Peter Sorce <i>Alternate:</i> Ann Wonderling

Delegation of Authorities**Review and Approval of 2025 Delegations including new modifications**

MOTION: Emmylou Wilson moved, seconded by Peter Sorce, to reaffirm all delegation motions made in 2025, as reflected in the February 5, 2026, agenda materials, which were not otherwise modified or amended during the February 5, 2026, meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

**SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS, TRAVEL, OR PUBLIC RELATION REQUESTS, AND
REPORTS**

Travel Request: 2026 ARBO Annual Meeting – Phoenix, AZ – June 13-14, 2026

MOTION: Mark Jenkins moved, seconded by Scott Kenitz, to designate Peter Sorce to attend the 2026 ARBO Annual Meeting on June 13-14, 2026, in Phoenix, AZ. Motion carried unanimously.

**DELEGATION OF RATIFICATION OF EXAMINATION RESULTS AND
RATIFICATION OF LICENSES AND CERTIFICATES**

MOTION: Emmylou Wilson moved, seconded by Peter Sorce, to delegate ratification of examination results to DSPS staff and to delegate and ratify all licenses and certificates as issued. Motion carried unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Peter Sorce moved, seconded by Mark Jenkins, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 9:49 a.m.

**State of Wisconsin
Department of Safety & Professional Services**

AGENDA REQUEST FORM

1) Name and title of person submitting the request: Jake Pelegrin Administrative Rules Coordinator		2) Date when request submitted: 7/27/26 Items will be considered late if submitted after 12:00 p.m. on the deadline date which is 8 business days before the meeting									
3) Name of Board, Committee, Council, Sections: Optometry Examining Board											
4) Meeting Date: 8/6/26	5) Attachments: ☒ Yes ☐ No	6) How should the item be titled on the agenda page? Administrative Rule Matters – Discussion and Consideration 1. Pending or possible rulemaking projects.									
7) Place Item in: ☒ Open Session ☐ Closed Session	8) Is an appearance before the Board being scheduled? <i>(If yes, please complete Appearance Request for Non-DSPS Staff)</i> ☐ Yes ☒ No	9) Name of Case Advisor(s), if required: N/A									
10) Describe the issue and action that should be addressed: Attachments:											
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Directions for including supporting documents: 1. This form should be attached to any documents submitted to the agenda. 2. Post Agenda Deadline items must be authorized by a Supervisor and the Policy Development Executive Director. 3. If necessary, provide original documents needing Board Chairperson signature to the Bureau Assistant prior to the start of a meeting.											