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#### VIRTUAL/TELECONFERENCE PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR SECTION

Virtual, 4822 Madison Yards Way, Madison Contact: Adam Barr (608) 266-2112 April 1, 2021

The following agenda describes the issues that the Section 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 Section.

#### **AGENDA**

9:00 A.M.

#### OPEN SESSION - CALL TO ORDER - ROLL CALL

- A. Adoption of Agenda (1-3)
- B. Approval of Minutes of January 7, 2021 (4-9)
- C. Introductions, Announcements and Recognition
- D. Reminders: Conflicts of Interest, Scheduling Concerns
- E. Administrative Matters
  - 1) Department, Staff and Board Updates
  - 2) Board Members Term Expiration Dates
- F. Legislative and Policy Matters Discussion and Consideration
- G. Administrative Rule Matters Discussion and Consideration
  - 1) Pending and Possible Rulemaking Projects
- H. Credentialing Matters Discussion and Consideration
  - 1) Licenses Issued Between Meetings (10)
- I. COVID-19 Discussion and Consideration
- J. Speaking Engagement(s), Travel, or Public Relation Request(s), and Reports Discussion and Consideration
  - 1) 2021 NCEES Annual Meeting August 18-21, 2021 New Orleans, LA (11)
- K. Discussion and Consideration of Items Added After Preparation of Agenda:
  - 1) Introductions, Announcements and Recognition
  - 2) Election of Officers
  - 3) Appointment of Liaison(s)
  - 4) Delegation of Authorities

- 5) Administrative Matters
- 6) Education and Examination Matters
- 7) Credentialing Matters
- 8) Practice Matters
- 9) Legislative and Policy Matters
- 10) Administrative Rule Matters
- 11) Liaison Reports
- 12) Board Liaison Training and Appointment of Mentors
- 13) Informational Items
- 14) Disciplinary Matters
- 15) Presentations of Petitions for Summary Suspension
- 16) Petitions for Designation of Hearing Examiner
- 17) Presentation of Stipulations, Final Decisions and Orders
- 18) Presentation of Stipulations and Interim Orders
- 19) Presentation of Proposed Final Decision and Orders
- 20) Presentation of Interim Orders
- 21) Petitions for Re-Hearing
- 22) Petitions for Assessments
- 23) Petitions to Vacate Orders
- 24) Requests for Disciplinary Proceeding Presentations
- 25) Motions
- 26) Petitions
- 27) Appearances from Requests Received or Renewed
- 28) Speaking Engagement(s), Travel, or Public Relation Request(s), and Reports

#### L. 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.).

#### M. Deliberation of Items Added After Preparation of the Agenda

- 1) Education and Examination Matters
- 2) Disciplinary Matters
- 3) Monitoring Matters
- 4) Professional Assistance Procedure (PAP) Matters
- 5) Petitions for Summary Suspensions
- 6) Petitions for Designation of Hearing Examiner
- 7) Stipulations, Final Decisions and Order
- 8) Stipulations and Interim Orders
- 9) Administrative Warnings
- 10) Review of Administrative Warnings
- 11) Proposed Final Decision and Orders
- 12) Matters Relating to Costs/Orders Fixing Costs
- 13) Case Closings
- 14) Board Liaison Training
- 15) Proposed Interim Orders
- 16) Petitions for Assessments and Evaluations
- 17) Petitions to Vacate Orders
- 18) Remedial Education Cases
- 19) Motions
- 20) Petitions for Re-Hearing

- 21) Appearances from Requests Received or Renewed
- N. Consulting with Legal Counsel

#### RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING CLOSED SESSION

- O. Vote on Items Considered or Deliberated Upon in Closed Session if Voting is Appropriate
- P. Open Session Items Noticed Above Not Completed in the Initial Open Session

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

**NEXT MEETING: JULY 15, 2021** 

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

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# VIRTUAL/TELECONFERENCE PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS SECTION EXAMINING BOARD OF ARCHITECTS, LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS, PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS, DESIGNERS AND PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS JANUARY 7, 2021

**PRESENT:** Daniel Fedderly, Christina Martin, Dennis Myers, Nathan Vaughn (arrived at

9:13 a.m.)

**STAFF:** Valerie Payne, Acting Executive Director; Adam Barr, Executive Director;

Jameson Whitney, Legal Counsel; Dale Kleven, Administrative Rules Coordinator; Kimberly Wood, Program Assistant Supervisor-Adv.; Megan

Glaeser, Bureau Assistant; and other Department Staff

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

Daniel Fedderly, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. A quorum was confirmed with three (3) members present.

#### ADOPTION OF AGENDA

#### **Amendments to the Agenda**

**MOTION:** Dennis Myers moved, seconded by Christina Martin, to adopt the Agenda

as published. Motion carried unanimously.

#### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF JULY 9, 2020**

#### **Amendments to the Minutes**

**MOTION:** Christina Martin moved, seconded by Dennis Meyers, to approve the

Minutes of July 9, 2020 as published. Motion carried unanimously.

#### INTRODUCTIONS, ANNOUNCEMENTS AND RECOGNITION

#### Recognition of Bruce Bowden, Land Surveyor Member

**MOTION:** Christina Martin moved, seconded by Dennis Myers, to recognize and

thank Bruce Bowden for his years of service to the Land Surveyor Section, A-E Examining Board, and the State of Wisconsin. Motion

carried unanimously.

#### **ADMINISTRATIVE UPDATES**

#### **Election of Officers**

#### Chairperson

**NOMINATION:** Christina Martin nominated Daniel Fedderly for the Office of Chairperson.

Valerie Payne, Executive Director, called for nominations three (3) times.

Daniel Fedderly was elected as Chairperson by unanimous voice vote.

#### Vice Chairperson

**NOMINATION:** Dennis Myers nominated Christina Martin for the Office of Vice Chairperson.

Valerie Payne, Executive Director, called for nominations three (3) times.

Christina Martin was elected as Vice Chairperson by unanimous voice vote.

#### Secretary

**NOMINATION:** Christina Martin nominated Dennis Myers for the Office of Secretary.

Valerie Payne, Executive Director, called for nominations three (3) times.

Dennis Myers was elected as Secretary by unanimous voice vote.

(Nathan Vaughn arrived at 9:13 a.m.)

ELECTION RESULTS				
Chairperson	Daniel Fedderly			
Vice Chairperson	Christina Martin			
Secretary	Dennis Myers			

#### **Appointment of Liaisons**

LIAISON APPOINTMENTS				
Credentialing Liaison	Daniel Fedderly			
<b>Continuing Education Liaison</b>	Christina Martin, Nathan Vaughn			
Monitoring and Professional Assistance Procedure (PAP) Liaison	Daniel Fedderly, Christina Martin			
Travel Liaison	Christina Martin, Nathan Vaughn			
Administrative Rules Liaison	Christina Martin, Daniel Fedderly			
Screening Panel	Christina Martin, Nathan Vaughn Alternate: Daniel Fedderly			

#### **Delegation of Authorities**

#### **Document Signature Delegations**

**MOTION:** Dennis Myers moved, seconded by Nathan Vaughn, to delegate authority

to the Chairperson (or in absence of the Chairperson, the highest-ranking officer or longest serving section member in that succession) to sign documents on behalf of the Section in order to carry out its duties. Motion

carried unanimously.

**MOTION:** Christina Martin moved, seconded by Nathan Vaughn, in order to carry

out duties of the Section, the Chairperson (or in absence of the Chairperson, the highest-ranking officer or longest serving section member in that succession) has the ability to delegate signature authority for purposes of facilitating the completion of assignments during or between meetings. The members of the Section hereby delegate to the Executive Director or DPD Division Administrator, the authority to sign on behalf of a section member as necessary. Motion carried unanimously.

#### Delegated Authority for Urgent Matters

**MOTION:** Christina Martin moved, seconded by Dennis Myers, that in order to

facilitate the completion of urgent matters between meetings, the Section delegates its authority to the Chairperson (or, in the absence of the Chairperson, the highest-ranking officer or longest serving section member in that succession), to appoint liaisons to the Department to act in

urgent matters. Motion carried unanimously.

#### Delegation to Chief Legal Counsel Due to Loss of Quorum

**MOTION:** Dennis Myers moved, seconded by Nathan Vaughn, to delegate the review

of disciplinary cases to the Department's Chief Legal Counsel due to lack of/loss of quorum after two (2) consecutive scheduled meetings. Motion

carried unanimously.

#### **Monitoring Delegations**

**MOTION:** Nathan Vaughn moved, seconded by Dennis Myers, to adopt the "Roles

and Authorities Delegated for Monitoring" document as presented in the January 7, 2021 agenda materials on pages 12-13. Motion carried

unanimously.

**MOTION:** Christina Martin moved, seconded by Nathan Vaughn, to delegate to

Board Legal Counsel the authority to sign Monitoring orders that result from Section meetings on behalf of the Chairperson. Motion carried

unanimously.

#### Credentialing Authority Delegations

**MOTION:** Dennis Myers moved, seconded by Christina Martin, to delegate authority

to the Credentialing Liaison(s) to serve as a liaison between the

Department and the Section and to act on behalf of the Section in regard to credentialing applications or questions presented to them, including the signing of documents related to applications, except that potential denial decisions shall be referred to the full Section for final determination. Motion carried unanimously.

#### Delegation of Authority for Predetermination Reviews

**MOTION:** 

Dennis Myers moved, seconded by Nathan Vaughn, to delegate authority to the Department Attorneys to make decisions regarding predetermination applications pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 111.335(4)(f). Motion carried unanimously.

#### Delegation of Authority for Conviction Reviews

**MOTION:** 

Nathan Vaughn moved, seconded by Dennis Myers, to delegate authority to the Department Attorneys to review and approve applications with convictions which are not substantially related to the practice of professional land surveying. Motion carried unanimously.

#### Delegation of Authority for Reciprocity/Endorsement Reviews (New Delegation)

**MOTION:** 

Dennis Myers moved, seconded by Nathan Vaughn, to delegate authority to the Department Attorneys to review and approve reciprocity/endorsement applications in which the out of state license requirements meet or exceed the Section's requirements for licensure. Motion carried unanimously.

#### Delegated Authority for Application Denial Reviews

**MOTION:** 

Nathan Vaughn moved, seconded by Christina Martin, to delegate authority to the Department's Attorney Supervisors to serve as the Section's designee for purposes of reviewing and acting on requests for hearing as a result of a denial of a credential. Motion carried unanimously.

#### Continuing Education Liaison Delegation(s)

**MOTION:** 

Dennis Myers moved, seconded by Nathan Vaughn, to delegate authority to the Continuing Education Liaison(s) to address all issues related to continuing education. Motion carried unanimously.

## Authorization for DSPS to Provide Section Member Contact Information to National Regulatory Related Bodies

**MOTION:** 

Dennis Myers moved, seconded by Christina Martin, to authorize DSPS staff to provide national regulatory related bodies with all Section member contact information that DSPS retains on file. Motion carried unanimously.

#### Optional Renewal Notice Insert Delegation

**MOTION:** 

Dennis Myers moved, seconded by Christina Martin, to designate the Chairperson (or, in the absence of the Chairperson, the highest-ranking officer or longest serving section member in that succession) to provide a brief statement or link relating to section-related business within the license renewal notice at the Section's or Section designee's request. Motion carried unanimously.

#### **Travel Delegation**

**MOTION:** 

Christina Martin moved, seconded by Nathan Vaughn, to delegate authority to the Travel Liaison to approve any Section member travel. Motion carried unanimously.

#### **CLOSED SESSION**

**MOTION:** 

Dennis Myers moved seconded by Nathan Vaughn, to 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.). Bruce Bowden, Chair, read the language of the motion. The vote of each member was ascertained by voice vote. Roll Call Vote: Daniel Fedderly-yes; Christina Martin-yes; Dennis Myers-yes; Nathan Vaughn-yes. Motion carried unanimously.

The Section convened into Closed Session at 10:57 a.m.

## DELIBERATION ON DIVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES AND COMPLIANCE (DLSC) MATTERS

#### **Case Closings**

#### 20 LSR 001 - W.F.W.

**MOTION:** 

Dennis Myers moved, seconded by Christina Martin, to close DLSC Case Number 20 LSR 001, against W.F.W., for Prosecutorial Discretion (P5). Motion carried unanimously.

#### RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION

**MOTION:** 

Dennis Myers moved, seconded by Nathan Vaughn, to reconvene in Open Session. Motion carried unanimously.

The Section reconvened into Open Session at 11:00 a.m.

## VOTE ON ITEMS CONSIDERED OR DELIBERATED UPON IN CLOSED SESSION IF VOTING IS APPROPRIATE

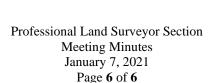
**MOTION:** Christina Martin moved, seconded by Dennis Myers, to affirm all motions made and votes taken in Closed Session. Motion carried unanimously.

(Be advised that any recusals or abstentions reflected in the closed session motions stand for the purposes of the affirmation vote.)

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

**MOTION:** Dennis Myers moved, seconded by Christina Martin, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 11:01 a.m.



### <u>Professional Land Surveyor Licenses Issued Since January 7, 2021</u>

Name	License Number	Exam	Reciprocity	Reinstatement
Molly Towne	3227-8	X		

## State of Wisconsin Department of Safety & Professional Services

#### AGENDA REQUEST FORM

1) Name and title of pers	son submitting the request:	2) Date when requ	est submitted:		
Megan Glaeser, Bureau	Assistant	19 March 2021			
			ered late if submitted after 12:00 p.m. on the deadline		
2) Name of Board Com	mittee, Council, Sections:	date which is 8 busi	ness days before the meeting		
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4) Meeting Date:	5) Attachments:	6) How should the item be t	How should the item be titled on the agenda page?		
1 April 2021	☐ Yes ☐ No	Speaking Engagements, Tra NCEES 2021 Annual Mee	avel, or Public Relation Requests, and Reports eting		
7) Place Item in:	, ,	8) Is an appearance before the Board being 9) Name of Case Advisor(s), if required:			
Open Session		es, please complete			
Closed Session	Appearance Requ	uest for Non-DSPS Staff)			
	☐ Yes				
	□ No				
10) Describe the issue a	and action that should be add	dressed:			
11) Authorization					
Megan Glaeser		19 March 2021			
Signature of person making this request		Date			
Supervisor (if required)			Date		
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Executive Director signature (indicates approval to add post agenda deadline item to agenda) Date					
Directions for including	supporting documents:				
This form should be attached to any documents submitted to the agenda.					
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