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State Board of Professional Engineers And Land Surveyors Minutes of July 15, 2021 Public Session Minutes

CALL TO ORDER

Notice of the scheduled the July 15, 2021 meeting of the New Jersey State Board of Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors was not held at 124 Halsey Street, Newark, New Jersey, but remotely. Pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act, N.J.S.A. 10:4-9.3, adequate notice was made by mailing and posting in accordance with N.J.S.A 10:4-18. The meeting was called to order by President James Valenti at 9:01 am and conducted virtually.

SUNSHINE LAW ANNOUNCEMENT

President Valenti read the statement required by Chapter 231, Laws of 1975 known as the Open Public Meetings Act, and announced that notice of this meeting was prepared in the office of the Board and mailed to the Secretary of State, the Newark Star-Ledger, Trenton Times, the Camden Courier Post, Bergen Record, and the Atlantic City Press.

ROLL CALL

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| Present: | Manar Alsharaa, PE | James Purcell, PE |
| | Michael Kelly, PE | James Valenti, PE |
| | Gary Paparozzi, PLS | Edward Vernick, PE |

Absent: Richard Smith, Jr., PLS

Others present: Michelle Albertson, Deputy Attorney General; Ileana Botelho, Acting Executive Director; Joseph Grabowy, Senior Mgt. Assistant; staff members Yolanda Winston and Peggy Hinkley

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BP Valenti announced that there is no Board meeting in August. The next scheduled meeting is September

APPEARANCES

None scheduled

REVIEW OF MINUTES

June 17, 2021 for review

ACTION: After reviewing the minutes of June 17, 2021, the Board, on a motion by BM Vernick, seconded by BM Purcell, unanimously voted to approve the minutes as presented.

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

A General Report

Acting Executive Director Botelho reported the following:

- Board delegates for the NCEES Meeting to be held in New Orleans, Louisiana, have been approved to attend the conference in-person. BP Valenti and BM Kelly will be attending the conference.
- The last administration of the Land Surveyor State Test was given June 29th to two individuals who passed the test.
- Upcoming October exam, a technical issue arose with the NCEES SOW on the website. The SOW will be reposted for bidding on the website next week.

B Standing motion review/approval

ACTION: The Board reviewed its standing motion and voted to continue without change.

C Incoming Correspondence

1 NCEES Resolution of Cooperation to Facilitate Interstate Licensure

ACTION: After some discussion, the Board, on a motion by BM Vernick, seconded by BM Kelly, unanimously voted to send a letter advising that the Board agrees with the goals outlined; however, the Board is constrained by their statutes from signing the Resolution.

2 July 14, 2021

Beth Mundy, ABET

RE: Opportunity to assign an Observer to the Accreditation Review

ACTION: After some discussion, any Board member interested in participating should contact Acting Executive Director Botelho.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

A Standing Committees:

I Legislation Committee i Legislation Chart

ACTION: BM Vernick made the Board aware of Bill A1393, which requires certain standards for professional and occupational boards considering applicants with criminal history records. Duly noted.

II Application & Examination Committee

ACTION: Duly noted.

III NCEES Committee

ACTION: BM Purcell informed the Board that there is information on the NCEES website that may be beneficial to the delegates attending the upcoming NCEES Meeting in New Orleans, Louisiana.

IV Land Surveyor Continuing Education Committee

ACTION: Duly noted.

V Joint Committee

ACTION: Duly noted.

VI 100th PELS Anniversary Committee

ACTION: Duly noted.

REVIEW OF APPLICATIONS AND CPC COURSES

A Routine Licensure

ACTION: On a motion by BM Vernick, seconded by BM Kelly, the Board unanimously voted to approve the following applications as indicated:

| <u>Name</u> | <u>App'l #</u> | <u>Comity/Exam.</u> | <u>Decision</u> |
|--------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|
| Allen, Wayne | 2031664 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Anderson, John | 2353075 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Berry, Matthew | 2406750 | Comity | Grant PE License |

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| Berty, Imre | 2359784 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Bishop, Cliff | 2462311 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Blasi, Thomas | 2427456 | Comity | Take NJ State Specific |
| Brinser, Jeffrey | 2406914 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Brucke, Paul | 2460782 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Candler, Robert | 2387634 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Capparella, Joshua | 2359700 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Carda, Ryan | 2465855 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Carroll, Andrew | 2461405 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Church, Jimmy | 2469792 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Clark, Geoffrey | 2440234 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Colfard, Barry | 2447966 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Conser, Meredith | 2462649 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Cooksey, Jonathan | 2468902 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Cordova, Victor | 2460600 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| DeMercurio, Peter | 2454359 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Dickenson, Michae | 2464173 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Dinsmore, David | 2464016 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Dixon, Cameron | 2471114 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Dobbins, Richard | 2453331 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Donovan, Bryan | 2346613 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Doubt, Marcus | 2469225 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Draper, Myron | 2466417 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Dreher, Jason | 2437214 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Duffy, Patrick | 2463236 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Dunn, Stephane | 2361512 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Egber, justin | 2469051 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Emani, P. Reddy | 2460091 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Ernstberger, J. | 2427118 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Ferner, Jason | 2458976 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Gagliano, Stephen | 2437891 | Comity | Take NJ State Specific |
| Gardner, Mark | 2392095 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Ghaly, Michael | 2462431 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Gore, Swapnil | 2457089 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Haji-Soltani, Alireza | 2447777 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Hartzel, Brian | 2362349 | Exam. | Grant waiver of FE |
| Hawker, Douglas | 2372467 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Horne, Christopher | 2465410 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Ilipilla, Pavan | 2454366 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Iselin, Charles | 2460754 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Jones, Brett | 2385637 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Keiffer, Daniel | 2450898 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Kemp, Robert | 2378958 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Khanzada, Ahmad | 2453375 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Kociolek, Witold | 2441768 | Exam. | Grant EIT Certificate |
| Koss, George | 2456201 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Kostadinov, Dimitar | 2418682 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Kovacs, Robert | 2465470 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Kunte, Nagesh Rao | 2466497 | Exam. | Grant PE License |
| Kwon, Jaewook | 2465498 | Comity | Grant PE License |

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| Lapointe, Evan | 2465864 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Leffert, Donald | 2428518 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Lei, Ligang | 2456082 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Lewis, Trevor | 2469767 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Lowery, Kirk | 2468878 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Lucien, Richard | 2461798 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Luker, Oliver | 2448966 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| MacCall, Michael | 2460458 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Mallgrave, Ryan | 2461414 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Marra, Patrick | 2460606 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| McCrary, Brandon | 2461403 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Merlino, Joseph | 2468673 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Midura, Theodore | 2465834 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Moan, Daniel | 2461081 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Mohannadhadi, N. | 2467716 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Murphy, Daniel | 2462671 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Murphy, Paul | 2449810 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Nagorny, Ruslan | 2416813 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Najera, Edgar | 2463781 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Nasit, Arvind | 2456536 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Nazon, Christian | 2427188 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Nicoloro, Michael | 2463807 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Noble, Alexander | 2387586 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Nolan, Stephen | 2463779 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Nunu, Marius | 2401450 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Oddo, Jake | 2467502 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Oh, Soo Hooi | 2463986 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Ohonwa, Husky | 2458740 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Orlando, Robert | 2454207 | Exam. | Grant PE License |
| Otero, Andres | 2386039 | Exam. | Grant PE License |
| Pacher, Charles | 2453234 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Page, Jason | 2386629 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Parkinson, Kyle | 2466614 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Partlow, Cody | 2464066 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Patel, Bvijesh | 2415713 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Paumier, Nicholas | 2426636 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Ponce de Leon, V. | 2210381 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Potts, Zane | 2453209 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Powers, Robert | 2467479 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Ramos, Carlo | 2461774 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Rehwoldt, Eric | 2464630 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Renteria, Edgar | 2435349 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Richardson, Judith | 2463785 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Riggs, Jeffrey | 2463790 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Robinson, Timothy | 2463822 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Rogers, Amanda | 2448545 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Rogers, Brian | 2450902 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Rossignol, Mark | 2466237 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Roush, Benjamin | 2461789 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Scarborough, Tyler | 2434530 | Comity | Grant PE License |

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| Schafer, Darwin | 2462159 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Schultheiss, William | 1452183 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Schwarz, Michael | 2386878 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Sepanek, Joseph | 2457427 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Shepley, Michael | 2443359 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Simila, Geena | 2383772 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Smason, Joel | 2467297 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Smiriglio, Dante | 2439567 | Exam. | Grant PE License |
| Smith, Benjamin | 2467250 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Smith, Christopher | 2436092 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Smith, Steven | 2469195 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Sorci, Jason | 1778655 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Streleckis, Justin | 2384957 | Exam. | Grant PE License |
| Suchevich, Thomas | 2413482 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Usher, Jennifer | 2459015 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Valente, Andrew | 2461822 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Van Tassel, Jill | 2450913 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Vazquez-Herrera, C. | 2421831 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Velasco, Joseph | 2461840 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Velez, Johann | 2450907 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Venegas, Edison | 2437618 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Ventura, Matthew | 2192988 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Villa, Michael | 2461834 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Voerg, Nicholas | 2461794 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Voight, Adam | 2449721 | Exam | Take NJ State Specific |
| Voss, Frank | 2466252 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Welch, Jaime | 2458332 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Wilkins, Amy | 1892948 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Yoshioka, Arashi | 2465004 | Comity | Grant PE License |
| Young, Matthew | 2446972 | Comity | Grant PE License |

ACTION: On a motion by BM Kelly, seconded by BM Vernick, the Board unanimously voted to request additional information for the following applications as indicated:

| <u>Name</u> | <u>App'l #</u> | <u>Comity/Exam.</u> |
|------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| Cramer, Tricia | 2425219 | Comity |
| Meisterich, John | 2455555 | Comity |

B Continuing Professional Competency Courses

ACTION: On a motion by BM Paparozzi, seconded by BM Vernick, the Board unanimously voted to approve all courses as noted EXCEPT the courses pertaining to the Design of Onsite (Septice) Wastewater Treatment Systems.

C Full Board Review

None

D Reinstatement

No applications submitted for review

E Certificates of Authorizations

ACTION: The Board, on a motion by BM Vernick, seconded by BM Alsharaa, unanimously voted to approve the following companies for Certificates of Authorization except for Hirani Engineering Land Surveying P.C., which is approved pending staff confirmation of the responsible charge licensee.

KUSTERA, BERNARD & FOX ENGINEERING, D.P.C. INC.

7 Pegasus Place
Hackettstown, NJ 07840
Application #2478504

GLOBAL DOMINION ACCESS USA CORP

55 South Long Street
Williamsville, NY 14221
Application #2478543

ZARO ENGINEERING PC

188 Clinton Ave.
Clifton, NJ 07011
Application #2478552

THE CONSULTING ENGINEERS GROUP, INC.

16302 Pleasantville Road Suite 100
San Antonio, TX 78233
Application #2478561

KLUBER, INC.

10 S Shuway Avenue
Batavia, IL 60510
Application #2477062

EXCEED ENGINEERING LLC.

17580 FM 47 S
Wills Point, TX 75169
Application #2478578

WILLIAM J FRANK ENGINEERING PC

12 Old Route 6
Brewster, NY 10509-1050
Application #2478584

THE SCHEMMER ASSOCIATES, INC.

1044 N 115th St. - Suite 300
Omaha, NE 68154
Application #2472028

BARLETT & WEST, INC.

1200 SW Executive Drive
Topeka, KS 66615
Application #2478569

VANGUARD ENERGY PARTNERS, LLC.

2 Commerce St.
Branchburg, NJ 08876
Application #2478523

L.A. GATES COMPANY

2302 South Fayette Street
Beckley, WV 25801
Application #2479513

SMITH EMERY LABORATORIES, INC.

2 Clerico Lane
Hillsborough Township, NJ 08844
Application #2478638

JDS CONSULTING, PLLC.

8600 D Jersey Ct.
Raleigh NC 27617
Application #2478513

FREEDOM FOREVER NEW JERSEY, LLC.

43445 Business Park Drive - Suite 110
Temecula, CA 92590
Application #2479528

DESIMONE CONSULTING ENGINEERING, D.P.C. CORP.

140 Broadway - 25th Fl.
New York, NY 10005
Application #2479526

HIRANI ENGINEERING LAND SURVEYING P.C.

120 West John Street
Hicksville, NY 11801
Application #2420638

HILL, FOLEY, ROSS & ASSOCIATES, LLC.

3680 Pleasant Hill Road Suite 200
Duluth, GA 30096
Application#2483390

WINDWARD ENGINEERS & CONSULTANTS, LLC.

1201 Marquette Ave. Suite 200 Minneapolis, MN 55403
Application#2483813

INFORMATIONAL / DISCUSSION ITEMS

Nothing was discussed

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Inasmuch as no comments have been submitted and hearing no comments from members of the public present, BP Valenti proceeded to the next item on the agenda.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On a motion by BM Purcell, seconded by BM Paprozzi, the Board unanimously voted to adjourn the public session and proceed to the executive session.

NEXT MEETINGS

No August meeting
September 16, 2021

ADJOURNMENT

On a motion by BM Purcell, seconded by BM Paprozzi, the Board unanimously voted to adjourn the meeting at 2:00 p.m.

APPROVED BY:

James Valenti, PE
Board President

Ileana Botelho
Acting Executive Director