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### **STATE BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS Minutes of June 19, 2014 Public Session**

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#### **CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting of the State Board of Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors was called to order by Board President, James Cleary, at 9:00 a.m. at 124 Halsey Street, 3rd Floor, Union Conference Room, Newark, New Jersey. All parties were duly notified of the time, date and place, with all pertinent material being provided.

#### **SUNSHINE LAW ANNOUNCEMENT**

Board President Cleary 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**

Present:        James Cleary, PE/PLS, President        Richard Smith, Jr., PLS, Member  
                     Barry Jones, PLS, Vice President        James Valenti, Member  
                     Lawrence Koo, Public Member        Edward Vernick, PE, Member

Absent:        James Purcell, PE, Member

Others: Michelle Albertson, Deputy Attorney General, Karl W. Reidel, Executive Director, Joseph Grabowy, Senior Mgt. Assistant, staff members, Martha Richardson, Yolanda Winston, and Peggy Hinkley, and two members of the public, Charles Blumeling, PE, PLS, GSLSA and Carl Peters, PE, PLS, NJSPLS, NJSME.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

None

#### **APPEARANCES**

**Elizabeth Greenblatt, Regulatory Analyst** appeared before the Board to discuss A-3047 which authorizes design professionals to self-certify construction plans.

**ACTION:** After discussion, on a motion by BM Jones, second by BM Valenti, the Board took an unfavorable position on A-3047 and unanimously voted not to support this bill.

## **REVIEW OF THE MINUTES**

**May 15, 2014**

**ACTION:** After reviewing the minutes of May 15, 2014, the Board, on a motion by VP Jones, second by BM Valenti, voted to approve the minutes as amended. BM Vernick abstained.

## **REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**

### **General Report**

None

## **INCOMING CORRESPONDENCE**

None

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

### a. Standing Committees:

#### **I. Legislation:**

The current Legislation Chart was noted for the record and the following bills were discussed:

**S-2120** - Clarifies requirements for the display of land surveyor markers on certain types of maps and makes necessary technical corrections. Bill also amends the law that references “the map filing law” in order to clarify that “the map filing law” has been repealed and the substance of the law is contained in N.J.S.A. 45:26B-1 through N.J.S.A. 45:26B-8.

**ACTION:** After discussion, on a motion by BM Jones, second by BM Valenti, the Board took a favorable position on S-2120 and unanimously voted to support this bill.

#### **ii. Regulations Committee:**

None

#### **iii. Education Committee**

No report

#### **iv. Joint Committee of Architects & Engineer**

This Joint Committee is scheduled to meet in September. Committee members will be BP Cleary and BM Purcell. Serving as alternate is BM Valenti.

v. NCEES

No Report

**REVIEW OF APPLICATIONS**

**Licensure:**

**ACTION:** The Board, on a motion by VP Jones, second by BM Vernick, voted unanimously to approve the following applications as indicated:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Application #,</u>	<u>Comity/Exam</u>	<u>Decision</u>
Bednarz, Joseph	1776445	Comity	Grant License
Bohning, Craig	1817711	Comity	Grant License
Borrelli, Joseph	1792663	Comity	Grant License
Brand, Alissa	1776456	Exam.	Take PE
Caponnigro, Anthony	1819758	Comity	Grant License
Chang, Jui-Chen	1518135	Comity	Grant License
Conway, Charles	1764018	Comity	Grant License
Dershowitz, Adam	1792417	Comity	Grant License
Elbedwihy, Saad-Eldin	1766717	Comity	Grant License
Flynn, Peter	1664106	Comity	Grant License
Fry, Monte	1809369	Comity	Grant License
Gendreau, Stephen	1804737	Comity	Grant License
Ghosh, Ashish	1806355	Comity	Grant License
Habib, Remon	1817168	Comity	Grant License
Holmstrom, Christian	1815448	Comity	Grant License
Jahan, Nusrat	1821846	Exam.	Take PE
Kariuki, Humphrey	1809110	Comity	Grant License
Khyzer, Malik	1786722	Comity	Grant License
Leary, Thomas	1824997	Comity	Grant License
Li, Zuowei	1817535	Exam.	Take PE
Liu, Fang	1799485	Comity	Grant License
Lopez, Carlos	1818532	Exam.	Take PE
Lyons, Justin	1804310	Comity	Grant License
Machado, Ashley	1818526	Exam.	Take PE
Mamana, John	1816736	Comity	Grant License
Martins, Oludamilola	1816753	Exam.	Take PE
Membrino, Carter	1802335	Comity	Grant License
Min, Linda	1816761	Exam	Take PE
Mirza, Majid	1806382	Comity	Grant License
Montague, Colette	1809924	Comity	Grant License
Moreno, Gerardo	1787531	Comity	Grant License
Morrison, Jr., Richard	1783798	Comity	Grant License
O'Brien, Timothy	1746707	Exam.	Take PE

O'Neil, Michael	1715262	Comity	Grant License
Peer, Gregory	1776369	Comity	Grant License
Piepoli, Michael	1808746	Comity	Grant License
Pirro, Philip	1810845	Exam.	Take PE
Ross, Hume	1796199	Comity	Grant License
Salchow, Christina	1823790	Comity	Grant License
Scheks, Christopher	1792338	Comity	Grant License
Sedor, Allison	1810587	Comity	Grant License
Smith, Michael	1816133	Comity	Grant License
Spangler, Justin	1810466	Comity	Grant License
Spencer, Matthew	1816224	Comity	Grant License
Sullivan, Kevin	1706206	Comity	Grant License
Syed, Baligh	1820310	Comity	Grant License
Szrom, Jason	1641140	Comity	Grant License
Taylor, Joseph	1714133	Comity	Grant License
Tomlinson, Scott	1812931	Comity	Grant License
Towers, Nolan	1761300	Exam	Take PE
Trevin, Pedro	1812938	Comity	Grant License
Turner, Thomas	1762213	Comity	Grant License
Utter, IV, Charles	1740077	Comity	Grant License
Van Lenten, Bryan	1810640	Comity	Grant License
Wellert, Robert	1817541	Comity	Grant License
Weston, Daniel	1778603	Comity	Grant License
Willis, Raymond	1806176	Comity	Grant License
Willis, William	1806594	Comity	Grant License
Wilson, Angelica	1816061	Comity	Grant License
Woehrle, Michael	1810570	Comity	Grant License
Young, Elizabeth	1822403	Exam.	Take PE

**ACTION:** The Board, on a motion by VP Jones, and second by BM Vernick, voted unanimously to request additional information for the following applications:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Application #,</u>	<u>Comity/Exam</u>
Ajemian, Michael	1787246	Comity
Chen, Peter	1797036	Comity
Eisensmith, Robyn	1762868	Comity
Frey, Mark	1806669	Comity
Greenstein, Daniel	1761410	Exam.
Hasan, Afsar	1790294	Comity
Herr, Kerry	1813067	Comity
Kim, Jong	1805106	Comity
Lapatka, Allison	1822930	Exam.
Lynch, Marjorie	1805156	Comity
Mehta, Amit	1816739	Exam.
Prather, Walter	1790895	Comity
Risley, Kenneth	1733190	Comity
Siragusa, Daniel	1820831	Comity

Thompson, Jacob	1420202	Comity
Walcott, Stephen	1316506	Exam.
Whisner, Kyle	1810604	Comity
Yates, Thomas	1822255	Comity

**Continuing Education:**

**ACTION:** The Board, on a motion by BM Smith, second by VP Jones, voted unanimously to approve the following Land Surveyor CPC Course applications as amended.

**WILL INSERT LATER**

**Full Board Review:**

None

**Reinstatements:**

**James Smith Murphy, PLS**

**ACTION:** The Board discussed Mr. Murphy’s reinstatement application and on a motion by VP Jones, second by BM Smith, voted unanimously to approve Mr. Murphy’s request for reinstatement subject to an administrative review of his Continuing Proficiency Credits.

**Gerald Thomas Anekwe, PE**

**ACTION:** The Board discussed Mr. Anekwe’s reinstatement application and on a motion by BM Vernick, second by BM Valenti, voted unanimously to approve Mr. Anekwe’s request for reinstatement subject to an administrative review of his CPC credits.

**Peter Sheffield, PE**

**ACTION:** The Board discussed Mr. Sheffield’s reinstatement application and on a motion by BM Vernick, second by BM Valenti, voted unanimously to approve Mr. Sheffield’s request for reinstatement subject to an administrative review of his CPC credits.

**Phillip Pierce, PE**

**ACTION:** The Board discussed Mr. Pierce’s reinstatement application and on a motion by VP Jones, second by BM Vernick, voted unanimously to approve Mr. Pierce’s request for reinstatement subject to an administrative review of his CPC credits.

**Stephen F. Gillen, PE**

**ACTION:** The Board discussed Mr. Gillen’s reinstatement application and on a motion by BM Valenti, second by BM Vernick, voted unanimously to approve Mr. Gillen’s request for reinstatement.

**Certificates of Authorizations:**

**ACTION:** The Board on a motion by VP Jones, second by BM Vernick, voted to approve the following companies for a Certificate of Authorization:

<b>ROYAL ENGINEERS &amp; CONSULTANTS, LLC</b> 601 Elysian Fields Avenue New Orleans, LA 70117 Application # 1843432	<b>ELROD ENGINEERING, LLC</b>  410 New Salem Road, #106 Murfreesboro, TN 37129 Application # 1841574
<b>THREE SIXTY ENGINEERING, INC.</b> 1600 Jackson Street, Ste. 360 Golden, CO 80401 Application # 1834724	<b>C&amp;J TECHNICAL SOLUTIONS AND SERVICES, INC.</b> 4000 Vally Blvd., Ste. 103 Duxbury, MA 02332 Application # 1843203
<b>GREGORY P. LUTH &amp; ASSOCIATES, INC.</b> 3350 Scott Blvd., Bldg 48 Santa Clara, CA 95054 Application # 1843428	<b>BRINJAC ENGINEERING, INC.</b> 226 Walnut Street Philadelphia, PA 19106 Application # 1841592
<b>GALUS, PYLE, DEHAVEN, INC.</b> 520 S. Main Street., Ste. 2531 Akron, OH 44311 Application # 1832098	<b>PROJECT INTEGRATION, INC.</b> 116 Hidden Hill Road Spartanburg, SC 29301 Application # 1841145
<b>ACTIVE DESIGN GROUP ENGINEERING CO.</b> 744 Broad Street, 19 <sup>th</sup> Fl. Newark, NJ 07102 Application # 1841049	<b>MAKS CONSULTANT CORP.</b> 8 Granite Road East Winsdor, NJ 08520 Application # 1834612
<b>THOMAS F. MORAN, INC.</b> 48 Constitution Drive Bedford, NH 03110 Application # 1838503	<b>HAWA INCORPORATED</b> 980 Old Hendersen Road Columbus, OH 43220 Application # 1838317

<p><b>AMY S. GREENE ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANTS, INC.</b>  <b>4 Walter E. Foran Blvd., Ste. 209</b>  <b>Flemington, NJ 08822</b>  <b>Application # 1838317</b></p>	<p><b>DSP ENGINEERING OF NEW JERSEY, LLC</b>  <b>1601 Veterans Memorial Highway, Ste. 300</b>  <b>Islandia, NY 17749</b>  <b>Application # 1829212</b></p>
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**INFORMATIONAL/DISCUSSION ITEMS:**

Bozzi v. Atlantic City Superior Court of New Jersey-Appellate Division(Attached)

**ACTION:** The Board discussed this Appellate Division decision and noted it for the record.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

Charles Blumeling, PE, PLS, stated he is not in favor of bill A-3047, which authorizes design professionals to self-certify construction plans.

Carl Peters, PE, PLS, NJSPLS, NJSME, gave his comments regarding bill A-3047, which authorized design professionals to self-certify construction plans.

**MOVE TO EXECUTIVE SESSION:**

**ACTION:** The Board, on a motion by VP Jones, second by BM Valenti unanimously voted to enter into Executive Session to review disciplinary matters.

**RETURN TO PUBLIC:**

On a motion contained in the Executive Session minutes, the Board re-entered into Public Session to adjourn.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

**ACTION:** On motion by VP Jones, second by BM Purcell, the Board unanimously voted to adjourn the meeting at 1:00 pm.

**APPROVED BY:**

**James Cleary**  
**President**

**Karl W. Reidel**  
**Executive Director**