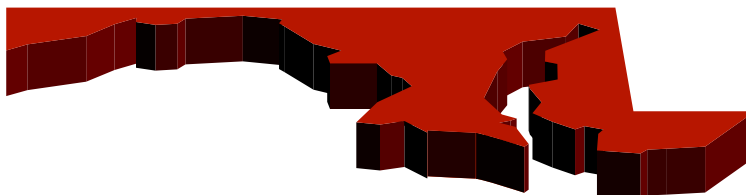


State of Maryland
Board of Environmental Health Specialists



Open Session Agenda
December 6, 2017 BOARD MEETING
10:00 AM
Howard County Bureau of Utilities
8270 Old Montgomery Road
Columbia, MD 21045

Call to order – Bert Nixon, Board Chair

ADJUSTMENTS AND ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA?

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

OLD BUSINESS:

ITEM 1

1(a). Open Session Minutes for approval from the October 4, 2017 Board Meeting.

(Attachment)

NEW BUSINESS:

ITEM 2 Board Chair Report:

Bert Nixon

2(a). New Board Member:

Bruce Bowman – Consumer Representation

2(b). Karen Brandt, Consumer Board Member, has resigned.

ITEM 3 Executive Director Report:

James Merrow

3(a). 11 Licensees have completed their required training for continuing education credits for the license expiration of June 30, 2019.

3(b). The Consumer Member has been posted on the Board's webpage.

3(c). Webpage Update: Still under construction.

3(e). Continuing Education Committee.

3(f). Kristen Neville the Board's Legislative Coordinator has resigned.

4(f). Ari Elbaum, Board Counsel, will be reassigned beginning with the January the Board Meeting.

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ITEM 4 **Credentialing:**

4(a). There are 23 eligible candidates for the December 12, 2017 NEHA Exam. 20 Candidates paid to sit for the exam. The exam ordering cut-off date was November 8, 2017. The 20 candidates are listed below:

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| 1. Erik Andrulis | 11. Robert Freeman |
| 2. Sileshi Baye | 12. Shelby Hohman |
| 3. Lauren Biddinger | 13. Layla Jimerson |
| 4. Emmanuel Bolajoko | 14. Mouhaman Kola |
| 5. Julie Buchanan | 15. Nathan Kurtanich |
| 6. Joseph Cabahug | 16. Ivy Perez |
| 7. Kenethia Charity | 17. Joy Tejada |
| 8. Lauren Daniels | 18. Sobha Thomas |
| 9. Megan Dejeter | 19. India Toye |
| 10. Fern DeSilva | 20. Neneh Wurie |

4(b). Amy Edwards – Applicant requesting to receive a Certificate of Eligibility based on experience in the profession. Attached are the requested documents for the Board’s review.

1. West Virginia’s Sanitarian Job Description
2. Exam taken in the past
3. Blank forms for inspections that she has performed. **(Attached)**

ITEM 5 **Legislative/Regulations Committee: **Yvonne Deloatch, Bert Nixon,
Linda Rudie, and Ari Elbaum****

5(a). The Regulations are in the Governor’s Office.

5(b). Jim was asked and prepared a briefing memo for the Governor on the proposed, General Fund, Statute Change.

ITEM 6 **Work Force Group: **Bert Nixon, Linda Rudie, Naomi
Howell and Yvonne Deloatch****

Group met on Friday November 17, 2017. Update.

ITEM 7 **Continuing Education Committee: **Linda Rudie and Yvonne Deloatch****

ITEM 8 **Status of Work Processed:**

Initial Licenses Issued (1)

1. Jacqueline Hampton (Statute 21-306)

License Reactivation (1)

1. Lawrence Webber

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In –Training Certificates Issued (12)

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|----------------------|------------------------|
| 1. Sharmel Rhyne | 7. David Bradford |
| 2. Danielle Staggers | 8. Brad Sweet |
| 3. Kristi Marsh | 9. Kyle Kowalczyk |
| 4. Andrea Bean | 10. William Jacobs |
| 5. Gregory DeBoe | 11. Mengestayhu Akalet |
| 6. Hristo Hristov | 12. Evan Aston |

Extended In-Training Certificates Issued (0)

Certificates of Eligibility Issued (23)

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|---------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Lana Johnson | 11. Jane Saunders | 21. Joseph Goldscher |
| 2. Kyle Kowalczyk | 12. David Bradford | 22. Nicholas Masters |
| 3. John Walker | 13. Kerron Morgan | 23. Jenelle Bratcher |
| 4. Timothy Burke | 14. Paola Njandja | |
| 5. Lucas Mills | 15. Brittany Carpender | |
| 6. Samantha Peternal | 16. Travon Owens | |
| 7. Tao Fang | 17. Justin Groff | |
| 8. Justin Lange | 18. Jason McCain | |
| 9. Anthonia Nwafor-Egenti | 19. Devin Baker | |
| 10. Brad Sweet | 20. Johathan Gross | |

Extended Certificates of Eligibility (2)

1. Mengestayhu Akelat
2. William Alzado

Seasonal/Summer/Youth Camp In-Training Certificates Issued (0)

Letters of Denial Issued for the Certificate of Eligibility (1)

1. Chad Baidson – Lab requirement was not included in course work.

Adjourn