



MARYLAND BOARD OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SPECIALISTS
4201 Patterson Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21215
MARCH 16, 2022 BOARD MEETING
OPEN SESSION MINUTES

Meeting Held via Google Meet

Board Members Present:

Linda Rudie, Board Chair, Maryland Department of Health Member
Amy Parrish, Private Industry Member
Naomi Howell, Department of the Environment Member
Ann Rose, At Large Member
Matthew Cumers, Local Health Department Member

Absent: **Alan Heck, Vice Chair, At Large Member**
Erin Kelly, Local Government Member
Lewis Brown, Consumer Member

Staff: **Bert Nixon, Executive Director**
Donna Zickefoose, Administrator I
Katherine Cummings, AAG, Board Counsel
Lillian Reese, Legislation and Regulations Coordinator

Visitors: **Kimberly Link, MDH**

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 11:00 A.M. by Linda Rudie, Board Chair.

AGENDA The Agenda for the March 16, 2022 meeting was reviewed. Naomi Howell made a motion to adopt the Agenda as submitted. Amy Parrish provided a 2nd to the Motion. The motion passed. 5 in favor, 0 abstained, 0 opposed

ITEM 1

1 (a). SB 77 Health Occupation Boards – Investigations – Right to Counsel was reviewed by the Board. After review and discussion, the Board suggested amendments to the letter of concern prepared by the Maryland Board Morticians and Funeral Directors. Naomi Howell made a Motion to include the amendments. Amy Parrish provided a 2nd to the Motion. Motion passed. 5 in favor, 0 abstained, 0 opposed.

Adjourn – At 12:05 p.m. a motion was made by Naomi Howell to close the Open Session. Amy Parrish provided a 2nd to the Motion. Motion passed. 5 in favor, 0 abstained, 0 opposed

Linda Rudie,
Board Chair

Bert Nixon,
Executive Director

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