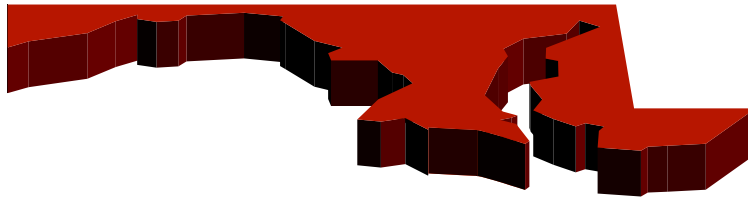


State of Maryland Board of Social Work Examiners



**Open Session Minutes
June 9 , 2023, 10:30 AM
Teleconference Board Meeting**

Board Members: Via -Telephone Call-In

Sondra Petty	Professional Member, Chair
Adrienne Ekas	Professional Member, Vice Chair
Jamie Wilson	Professional Member, Secretary/Treasure
Allyson Stanton	Professional Member
Maria Cole	Professional Member
Sondra G. Petty	Professional Member
Susan P. Coppage	Professional Member
April A. Cockrell	Professional Member (absent)
Martin P. Schnuit	Professional Member
Kevin Meenan	Professional Member
Leslie Iampieri	Professional Member
Danielle Artis	Professional Member, Consumer (absent)

Board Staff:	Daphne L. McClellan	Executive Director
	Kristen Fon Lim	OAG, Board Counsel
	Lillian Reese	Legislation and Regulations Specialist
	Gloria Jean Hammel	Director, Certification and Licensing Unit

Guest:	Kimberly Link	MDH Liaison to Board and Commissions
	Holly Flanagan	School Social Worker, Howard County Public Schools
	Robin Schrader	Mental Health Coordinator, Saint Mary's Public Schools
	Patricia C. Roberts-Rose	Coordinator, Baltimore City Public Schools
	Gail Martin	Maryland School Social Worker
	Stephanie Hord-Wallace	Supervisor Social Worker, Montgomery County Schools
	Judy Gallant	Clinical Social Worker
	Gail Guttman	Clinical Social Worker, Sex Therapist

CALL TO ORDER:

The Open Session was called to order at 10:35 am by Board Chair Sondra Petty.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

May 12, 2023, Board Minutes – Approved Unanimously

ADJUSTMENT AND ADDITIONS TO AGENDA - None

BOARD CHAIR

Sondra Petty

- Sondra Petty opened the meeting with a few words about her time serving as Board Chair for the past year.. The new Board Chair will be Susan Coppage.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REPORT

Daphne L. McClellan

- Dr. Daphne McClellan started the meeting with 2023 Renewals, renewal applications will open on July 15, 2023. Everyone renewing their license this year must have a Criminal History Background check with Maryland State Police and the FBI. The Board of Social Work Examiners is implementing the RAP Back System which gives continuous updates on a licensee’s criminal history. Anyone who becomes unlicensed for any reason will be removed from the RAP Back System, if relicensed the individual would need to have a new background check done. If an applicant or licensee has had a recent background check for any reason this report cannot be used by the Board of Social Work Examiners for renewals.
- Dr. Daphne McClellan announces that April Cockrell and Martin Schnuit will no longer serve as board members due to the end of their tenure.

STATUTE AND REGULATIONS COMMITTEE

Maria Cole

- Presented under the Executive Report on the Bills impacting the Boards.

CONTINUING EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Adrienne Ekas

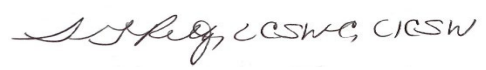
ADJOURNMENT OF THE OPEN SESSION

The Open Session adjourned at 11:39 am.



Jamie Wilson
Board Secretary/Treasurer

7/19/23
Date



Sondra Petty
Board Chair

7/19/23
Date