

STATE OF MAINE
BOARD OF FUNERAL SERVICE

July 11, 2023, Board Meeting

Members Present: Julie Ann Johnson, Jeffrey Dobson, Anna Blodgett, Peter Arsenault

Others Present: Holly Poirier, Board Manager, Elizabeth Stivers, AAG; Tammy Reed, Board Clerk; Candice Wright, Consumer Assistance and Hearing Coordinator

Members via Zoom: Robert Barnes

Members Absent:

CALL TO ORDER

Holly Poirier, Board Manager, called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

MINUTES REVIEW AND APPROVAL

Robert Barnes made a motion to approve the amended May 9, 2023 minutes. Peter Arsenault seconded the motion.

Vote: 4 in favor, 1 absent

CHAPTER 12: TRANSPORTATION OF HUMAN REMAINS

Robert Barnes made a motion to approve final adoption of major substantive rule, pursuant to Resolves 2023, ch. 12 (LD374). Peter Arsenault seconded the motion.

Vote: 5 in favor

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Board Chair

Robert Barnes made a motion to elect Peter Arsenault as Board Chair. Julie Ann Johnson seconded the motion.

Vote: 5 in favor

Complaint Officer

Peter Arsenault made a motion to elect Robert Barnes as Complaint Officer. Anna Blodgett seconded the motion.

Vote: 5 in favor

APPLICATION REVIEW

Thomas Joseph Keating – AT11512

Peter Arsenault made a motion to issue the license. Julie Ann Johnson seconded the motion.

Vote: 4 in favor, 1 recused

ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

None

PUBLIC OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT

No Public Comment received

ADJOURN

Robert Barnes made a motion to adjourn at 10:32 a.m. Jeffrey Dobson seconded the motion.

Vote: 5 in favor