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STATE OF MAINE  
DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL  
AND FINANCIAL REGULATION  
**Board of Social Worker Licensure**  
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Commissioner

**Board of Social Worker Licensure  
Public Board Meeting  
Friday, April 14, 2023**

**AGENDA**

**Location:** Due to the current situation of the 2019 novel coronavirus (COVID-19) and the need to avoid public gatherings, maintain public distance, and for everyone's safety this meeting will be held online pursuant to the Remote Participation Policy adopted by the board on January 13, 2023 and the Board Chair's declaration of emergency or urgent issue which, pursuant to the policy, requires the Board to meet by entirely remote methods on April 14, 2023. There will be no physical location where this meeting is held. The Remote Participation Policy and declaration of emergency or urgent issue are posted at the board's website with the agenda for today's meeting. Information to listen in to this meeting will be posted on the Board's website at <https://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing/professions/state-board-social-worker-licensure/home/board-meeting-information>

**Time:** 9:00 a.m.

**Contact:** Cecile Sirois, Professional Licensing Supervisor  
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**I. CALL TO ORDER**

**II. MINUTES REVIEW AND APPROVAL**

Review and approval of the March 10, 2023 minutes.

**III. COMPLAINT PRESENTATIONS**

1. 2023-SOC-18879
2. 2023-SOC-18939
3. 2023-SOC-18880
4. 2023-SOC-18877

OFFICES LOCATED AT: 76 NORTHERN AVENUE, GARDINER, MAINE

5. 2023-SOC-18878
6. 2023-SOC-18875
7. 2023-SOC-18876
8. 2023-SOC-18854
9. 2022-SOC-18714
10. 2022-SOC-18789

#### **IV. COMPLAINT COMPLIANCE ITEMS (follow-up for complaints that have been resolved)**

1. 2020-SOC-16699 Reports and Compliance
2. 2021-SOC-17975 Reports
3. 2022-SOC-18392 Supervisor Approval

#### **V. APPLICATION REVIEW**

Arthur Shepherd – Initial Application

#### **VI. ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT**

#### **VII. OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT**

“The board will offer an opportunity to members of the public in attendance to comment on any public matter under the jurisdiction of the Board except for any open application or complaint. While the Board cannot take action on any issues presented, the board will listen to comments and may ask staff to place the issue on a subsequent agenda. At the discretion of the Board Chair a time limit on comments may be set.”

#### **VIII. CLEAR TRAINING SECOND MODULE**

#### **IX. ADJOURNMENT**

Pursuant to 1 M.R.S §406, public notice has been met by publication in an area newspaper where the meeting is held and in the Maine Legislative Calendar. All meetings are open to members of the public for observation but not for public participation. If you plan to attend this meeting, please contact the Board's office 24 hours in advance to confirm the meeting will take place as scheduled. If you have any questions concerning this agenda, please contact Cecile Sirois at (207) 624-8626. This agenda may be subject to change prior to the meeting date.

**NOTICE TO BOARD MEMBERS:** If you cannot attend this meeting, please contact Cecile Sirois at (207) 624-8626 at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting.