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DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL & FINANCIAL REGULATION  
OFFICE OF PROFESSIONAL AND OCCUPATIONAL REGULATION

STATE BOARD OF SOCIAL WORKER LICENSURE

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Director



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Commissioner

**Board of Social Worker Licensure  
Public Board Meeting  
Friday, December 12, 2025**

**AGENDA**

**Location:** Maine Department of Professional and Financial Regulation  
76 Northern Ave., Gardiner, ME 04345

**Room:** Central Conference Room

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

**Virtual Platform via Zoom:**

<https://mainestate.zoom.us/j/87601553900?pwd=GdEbwpDRyMlfV4mZqbHMP2j353pxy4.1>  
Meeting ID: 876 0155 3900  
Passcode: 67587381

The Zoom link for virtual observation is also posted on the board's website at: [State Board of Social Worker Licensure - Board Meeting Information | Office of Professional and Occupational Regulation](#).

**Board Member Participation**

Board members may participate remotely in Board meetings pursuant to Title 1, Section 403-B and the Board Member Remote Participation Policy adopted by the Board on January 13, 2023.

**Public Participation:**

Regardless of whether the Board meets in-person or by remote virtual means via Zoom, the public may observe the board meeting in-person at the location described above or may choose to join virtually (see the link above).

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

Office Location: 76 Northern Avenue, Gardiner, Maine 04345  
Mailing Address: 35 State House Station, Augusta, Maine 04333

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Phone: (207) 624-8626

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## **II. MINUTES REVIEW AND APPROVAL**

1. November 14, 2025 minutes.

## **III. ADJUDICATORY HEARING – 9:00 a.m.**

1. 2025-SOC-20698 Heather Borst

## **IV. COMPLAINT PRESENTATIONS**

1. 2025-SOC-20257 and 2025-SOC-20258
2. 2025-SOC-20528
3. 2025-SOC-20676
4. 2025-SOC-20706

## **V. COMPLAINT ITEMS - OTHER**

1. 2024-SOC-19940 – request for amendment

## **VI. COMPLAINT COMPLIANCE ITEMS**

1. 2022-SOC-18703 Reports
2. 2024-SOC-20014 Reports
3. 2024-SOC-20119 Reports

## **VII. REPORTS**

1. Report 1

## **VIII. APPLICATION REVIEWS**

1. Initial Applications
  - a. Nicole Mesimer
  - b. Troy Welch
  - c. Ryan Jones
  - d. Cindi Hanning
  - e. Jassen Bailey



## **IX. BOARD MANAGER’S REPORT**

## **X. 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.”

## **XI. ADJOURNMENT**

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