

ELECTRICIANS' EXAMINING BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Meeting Date: April 28, 2023
Meeting Location: 221 State Street, Augusta

Time Meeting Scheduled to Begin: 9:00 a.m.

I. CALL TO ORDER – 9:01 a.m.

Members present:

Peter Wilson – Acting Chair
Jonathan McKane
Charles Daigle
George Howe

Members absent:

Brian McDougal

Staff Present:

Matthew Kaply, Board Manager
Matthew Fournier, Board Staff
Tyler Robinson, Board Staff
Kern Butler, Senior State Electrical Inspector

AAGs Present:

Samantha Morgan, Assistant Attorney General
John Belisle, Assistant Attorney General

II. AGENDA MODIFICATIONS AND APPROVAL

A motion was made to accept the agenda as written.

Motion: Jonathan McKane
Second: Charles Daigle
Voted 4 in favor, motion carried.

III. MINUTES REVIEW AND APPROVAL

A motion was made to approve the March 17, 2023 minutes as written.

Motion: Jonathan McKane
Second: Charles Daigle
Voted 4 in favor, motion carried.

IV. COMPLAINT PRESENTATION

a. 2022-ELE-18799

A motion was made to dismiss the complaint due to a lack of evidence of any code violation or violation of the Board's laws and rules.

Motion: George Howe

Second: Jonathan McKane

Voted 4 in favor, motion carried.

V. NON-COMPLIANCE PRESENTATION

a. Ryan McGuire

The Board went into executive session to receive legal advice requiring renewing the master license under the condition of the previous decision and order.

VI. LICENSING APPLICATIONS

a. Timothy Mosher – Helper License Application

A motion was made to direct staff to issue the license on the basis that the applicant has shown sufficient rehabilitation to warrant the public's trust for an electrician helper license.

Motion: Jonathan McKane

Second: George Howe

Voted 4 in favor, motion carried.

VII. LICENSE RENEWAL APPLICATION

a. Aaron Rosenlund – Master Renewal Application

A motion was made to direct staff to renew the master license and issue a letter of guidance under the delegation of authority.

Motion: Charles Daigle

Second: Jonathan McKane

Voted 4 in favor, motion carried.

VIII. LICENSE EXAM APPLICATIONS

a. Dylan Fox – Journeyman Exam Application

A motion was made that the applicant has a comparable combination of education and work experience to take the journeyman exam, upon completing a 45-hours NEC course.

Motion: Jonathan McKane

Second: George Howe

Voted 4 in favor, motion carried.

b. Darrell Whitney – Master Exam Application

A motion was made that the applicant has a comparable combination of education, military, and civilian work experience to take the master exam, upon completing a 45-hours NEC course.

Motion: Jonathan McKane

Second: Charles Daigle

Voted 4 in favor, motion carried.

c. Dennis Andre – Limited Low Energy Exam Application

A motion was made that the applicant has the comparable out of state work experience to take the limited low energy exam, upon completing a 45-hours NEC course.

Motion: Jonathan McKane

Second: Charles Daigle

Voted 4 in favor, motion carried.

IX. LD 1713: AN ACT TO UPDATE ELECTRICAL EDUCATION AND OTHER LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS FOR ELECTRICIANS

Matt Kaply updated the Board of a current Bill being discussed in the State Legislature.

X. BOARD'S STATE INSPECTOR'S REPORT

State Senior Inspector Kern Butler gave the Inspector's report.

XI. BOARD MANAGER'S REPORT

Matt Kaply gave the Manager's report.

XII. OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

None offered.

XI. ADJOURN

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting at 11:36 a.m.

Motion: Jonathan McKane

Second: Charles Daigle

Voted 4 in favor, motion carried.