

**MINUTES OF THE
STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR
ARCHITECTS AND LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS MEETING
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2024
9:00 a.m.**

CALL TO ORDER AND ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM

Todd Scoggins, Board Chair, called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. and declared a quorum in accordance with Ind. Code § 25-4.

Members Present:

Hal Kovert - REMOTE
Lisa Gomperts
Todd Scoggins
Debra Schmucker - REMOTE

ALL VOTES ROLL CALL VOTE

Members Absent:

Paul Shoopman

State Officials Present:

Amy Hall, Board Director
Chris Shea-Russell, Assistant Board Director, Indiana Professional Licensing Agency
Adam Harvey, Board Counsel

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

Motion and second to approve and adopt the amended agenda, with the addition of quarterly board report by Lisa Gomperts/ Debra Schmucker.

Motion passes
LG/DS
4/0/0
Lisa Gomperts AYE
Hal Kovert AYE
Todd Scoggins AYE
Debra Schmucker AYE

ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES OF THE JULY 10, 2024, MEETING

Motion and second to approve the minutes of the July 10, 2024 meeting by Lisa Gomperts/Deb Schmucker

Motion passes
LG/DS

4/0/0

Lisa Gomperts	AYE
Hal Kovert	AYE
Todd Scoggins	AYE
Debra Schmucker	AYE

REPORT FROM THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

Ian Matthew introduced himself and provided the board with a report from the attorney general's office. There are three complaints with the architect/landscape architect board. There are zero open litigation files currently open.

I. PUBLIC HEARING

NONE

II. PERSONAL APPEARANCES

NONE

III. APPLICATION REVIEW

NONE

DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. Electronic Meeting Policy

Motion by Lisa Gomperts and second Hal Kovert to approve the electronic meeting policy.

Motion passes

LG/HK

4/0/0

Lisa Gomperts	AYE
Hal Kovert	AYE
Todd Scoggins	AYE
Debra Schmucker	AYE

2. Pathways to Licensure/Licensing Items

3. Quarterly Report

Lisa Gomperts is working on a quarterly report for the BOARD. She requested insight

4. CLARB ABM Report

Debra Schmucker reported on the CLARB Annual Business Meeting which was held in Buffalo. There was a focus on STEM and non-practicing academics should have a pathway to licensure as well as a non-educational background licensure.

Debra Schmucker and Amy Hall attended the MBM leadership meeting in Fargo on behalf of the Board. Debra Schmucker provided content of that meeting, mainly being a varied pathway to licensure and overlapping practice. Unlike most states, the Board works well with other design disciplines in Indiana.

5. Electronic Meeting Policy

The Board reviewed and approved the proposed Electronic Meeting Policy. Motion made by Deb Schmucker/Lisa Gomperts to approve as written.

Motion passes

DS/LG

4/0/0

Lisa Gomperts AYE

Hal Kovert AYE

Todd Scoggins AYE

Debra Schmucker AYE

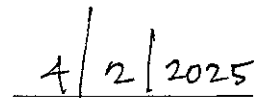
Jason Shelley AIA - Licensing Items

February 15th, newly licensed architects and landscape architects' ceremony. Jason Shelly did share some insight about what's going on. He suggested to provide information to guide people how to file complaints due to high volume of questions he receives. Currently the legislation on the radar is about pathways to licensure. Experience as pathway to licensure is an area that may be considered, though it doesn't have a lot of support. Interior designers would like limited stamp and seal privileges and to have full licensure. There has been discussion that licensure laws in Indiana cannot be more rigorous than those in the contiguous states.

Meeting adjourns at 9:53



Todd Scoggins, Chair



Date

