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MICHIGAN BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY JULY 11, 2017 MEETING

APPROVED MINUTES

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Physical Therapy met on July 11, 2017, at the Ottawa Building, Conference Room 4, 611 West Ottawa Street, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

CALL TO ORDER

Brian Gilbert, PT, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 1:32 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Brian Gilbert, PT, Chairperson
Ajay Middha, PT, DPT, Vice-Chairperson
Matthew McFadden, PT, MSPT, OMPT
Sarah McAllister, PT
Linda Minter, Public Member
Jeff Munford, Public Member
Barbara Simmons, PTA
Adam Swain, PT, AT

Members Absent: Renee Przystas, PT
John Poronto, Public Member
Whitney Terry, Public Member

Staff Present: Nakisha Bayes, Board Support, Board and Committees Section
Karen Carpenter, Analyst, Board and Committees Section
Timothy Erickson, Assistant Attorney General

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION by Minter, seconded by Swain, to approve the agenda with the following change: remove item 7A, Exam Exception Request for Iyasha Weaver from the Agenda.

A voice vote followed.

MOTION PREVAILED

Chair Report

Gilbert notified the Board that he is unable to attend the Leadership Issues Forum at the end of the month. Middha will be attending instead. Both Gilbert and Middha will be attending the annual FSBPT meeting in November 2017.

Department Update

Carpenter notified the Board of two staffing changes. Ron Hitzler, the Board's former Analyst from the Boards and Committees Section, is now a Manager in the Investigations and Inspections Division. Rick Roselle will be the new Board Analyst starting on July 17, 2017.

Carpenter explained that the Department is transitioning to the new Accela licensing platform. The platform is going live on July 14, 2017. Nursing is first profession to be converted.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held October 10, 2017 at 1:30 p.m. at the Ottawa Building, 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper Level Conference Center, Conference Room 4, Lansing, Michigan.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by Minter, seconded by Simmons, to adjourn the meeting at 2:53 p.m.

A voice vote followed.

MOTION PREVAILED

Minutes approved by the Board on: October 10, 2017.

Prepared by:
Nakisha Bayes, Board Support
Bureau of Professional Licensing

July 12, 2017