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# MICHIGAN TASK FORCE ON PHYSICIAN'S ASSISTANTS MEETING

## JULY 21, 2020

## **APPROVED MINUTES**

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Task Force on Physician's Assistants met in regular session on July 21, 2020. The meeting was held via Zoom, pursuant to Executive Order 2020-154.

## CALL TO ORDER

Lara Davis, PA-C, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

### ROLL CALL

Members Present:	Lara Davis, PA-C, Chairperson
	CaShawnda Range, PA-C, Vice Chairperson
	Adam Carlson, Public Member
	Michael Coraci, PA-C
	Jill Hasen, PA-C
	Christina Hopps, PA-C
	Susan Laham, PA-C (arrived 9:08 a.m.)
	Michael Nauss, Public Member
	Danielle Richards, PA-C
	Ali Safiedine, DPM
	Melissa Usiak, Public Member

Members Absent: Bryan Little, MD

Staff Present:Laury Brown, Senior Analyst, Compliance Section<br/>Weston MacIntosh, Senior Policy Analyst, Boards and Committees Section<br/>Stephanie Wysack, Board Support, Boards and Committees Section

## APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION by Hopps, seconded by Carlson, to approve the agenda as presented.

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A roll call vote was taken. Xeas: Carlson, Coraci, Hasen, Hopps, Nauss, Richards, Safiedine, Usiak, Range, Davis Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

MOTION by Nauss, seconded by Range, to approve the minutes of the January 21, 2020 meeting as written.

A roll call vote was taken. Richards, Safiedine, Usiak, Range, Davis Nays: None

#### MOTION PREVAILED

### NATIONAL COMMISSION ON CERTIFICATION OF PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS PRESENTATION – Greg P. Thomas, PA-C Emeritus, MPH

Greg P. Thomas, PA-C Emeritus, MPH, with the NCCPA, gave a presentation titled "PA-C Practice Patterns and Certification: A presentation for the Michigan Task Force on PAs Board from the National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants."

#### **REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS**

None

### OLD BUSINESS

None

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### **Resolution Presentation**

Davis presented a Resolutions for Heather Klopp, PA-C, honoring the time she served on the Michigan Task Force on Physician's Assistants.

#### Chair Report

None

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### DEPARTMENT UPDATE

MacIntosh stated that the Bureau will hold the next Board Member Training on July 30, 2020 via Zoom. All Task Force members are welcome to attend.

#### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

None

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held October 20, 2020 at 9:00 a.m. at 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper Level Conference Center Room 4, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

#### ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by Coraci, seconded by Carlson, to adjourn the meeting at 9:38 a.m. A voice vote followed.

MOTION PREVAILED

Minutes approved by the Task Force on December 7, 2021.

Prepared by: Stephanie Wysack, Board Support Bureau of Professional Licensing

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