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**MICHIGAN BOARD OF SOCIAL WORK  
SEPTEMBER 29, 2015 MEETING**

***APPROVED MINUTES***

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Social Work met on September 29, 2015, at the Ottawa Building, Conference Room 4, 611 West Ottawa Street, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Anwar Najor-Durack, MSW, LMSW, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:33 a.m.

**ROLL CALL**

***Members Present:*** Anwar Najor-Durack, MSW, LMSW, Chairperson  
Brian Philson, LMSW, Vice-Chairperson  
Michele Brock, LMSW  
Kenneth Mazur, LMSW  
Pamela Manela, LMSW (Arrived at 9:45 a.m.)  
Tracy Muscat, Public Member  
Marc Milburn, Public Member  
Constance Squires, Public Member

***Members Absent:*** Michael Fiorillo, LMSW

***Staff Present:*** Amy Schneider, Secretary, Board and Committees Section  
Elaine Barr, Policy Analyst, Board and Committees Section  
Virginia Abdo, Compliance Manager  
Pam Millben, Analyst, Enforcement Division  
Erika Marzorati, Assistant Attorney General

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

***MOTION*** by Milburn, seconded by Brock, to approve the agenda with the following addition: Under Old Business "CE Committee and CE Collaborative Report."

**MOTION PREVAILED**

## **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

*MOTION* by Philson, seconded by Muscat, to approve the July 21, 2015 meeting minutes as presented.

MOTION PREVAILED

## **REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS**

### **Deborah Ann Coleman, LMSW – Application for Reinstatement**

*MOTION* by Mazur, seconded by Brock, to accept the Application for Reinstatement and grant reinstatement. Petitioner's license shall be limited for a minimum period of one (1) year and general supervision in the matter of Deborah Ann Coleman, LMSW.

Additionally, Petitioner is placed on probation to run concurrent with her period of limitation with the following terms and conditions:

1. Respondent shall be required to complete a minimum of five (5) live credits of continuing education in the area of Ethics.
2. Quarterly Supervisor Reports.
3. Comply with the Public Health Code.

Petitioner's license shall be automatically reclassified at the end of the limitation period.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas: Brock, Mazur, Manela, Muscat,  
Milburn, Philson, Squires, Najor-Durack

MOTION PREVAILED

### **Rebecca Hanna Silva, LMSW – Application for Reinstatement**

*MOTION* by Brock, seconded by Milburn, to accept the Application for Reinstatement and grant reinstatement. Petitioner's license shall be placed on probation for a period of one (1) year in the matter of Rebecca Hanna Silva, LMSW.

Additionally, Petitioner must comply with the Public Health Code.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas: Brock, Mazur, Manela, Muscat,  
Milburn, Philson, Squires, Najor-Durack

**MOTION PREVAILED**

**Cheryl Joy Bradetich, LBSW – Proposal for Decision**

*MOTION* by Philson, seconded by Manela, to accept the Proposal for Decision and deny reinstatement in the matter of Cheryl Joy Bradetich, LBSW.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas: Brock, Mazur, Manela, Muscat,  
Milburn, Philson, Squires, Najor-Durack

**MOTION PREVAILED**

**Raul Mungia Gonzales, LMSW – Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law**

*MOTION* by Manela, seconded by Mazur, to accept the Board of Social Work Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and deny reinstatement in the matter of Raul Mungia Gonzales, LMSW.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas: Brock, Mazur, Manela, Muscat,  
Milburn, Philson, Najor-Durack  
Abstain: Squires

**MOTION PREVAILED**

**OLD BUSINESS**

**CE Committee and CE Collaborative Report**

Brock stated the CE Committee did not have any business, but will be meeting with the Collaborative and update at the next meeting.

Robin Simpson, NASW-Collaborative, provided a report detailing the CE Collaborative's January – August 2015 provider report.

Simpson reported the number of CE applications is greater than the numbers reported last year with an increase of five new counties primarily in the upper region of the state. She also reported the Collaborative is adding additional support staff.

Manela asked Simpson about the Collaborative's oversight of CE content that needs to be aligned with the CE Social Work Rules.

Barr will provide Simpson with the Social Work CE Rule wording.

## NEW BUSINESS

### Department Update

Barr updated that the proposed Social Work administrative rules have been submitted to the Office of Regulatory Reinvention (ORR) for review.

### PUBLIC COMMENT

Maxine Thome, suggested a need to look at CE interpretation with rules regarding career enhanced knowledge that is not counted towards CE.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held November 24, 2015 at 9:30 a.m. at the Ottawa Building, 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper Level Conference Center, Conference Room 4, Lansing, Michigan.

Philson reported Najor-Durack was recently named as a recipient of the Sunny Andrews Award from ASWB and will be honored in November at the Fall ASWB Annual Meeting which will be held in Ft. Lauderdale.


This prestigious award is given to someone who has displayed exemplary service for their work and service on a regulatory board.


Najor-Durack thanked Philson and the Board members for their acknowledgement.

### ADJOURNMENT

*MOTION* by Philson, seconded by Brock, to adjourn the meeting at 10:25 a.m.

MOTION PREVAILED

  
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Anwar Najor-Durack, MSW, LMSW, Chairperson

  
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Date Minutes Signed

Prepared by:  
Amy Schneider, Board Secretary

September 29, 2015