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## MICHIGAN BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY NOVEMBER 6, 2023, MEETING

### APPROVED MINUTES

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Cosmetology met on November 6, 2023, at 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper-Level Conference Room 3, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

#### CALL TO ORDER

Cindy Straley, Professional Member, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 10:04 a.m.

#### ROLL CALL

**Members Present:** Cindy Straley, Professional Member, Chairperson  
Phillip Nguyen, Public Member  
Kristan Sayers, Professional Member  
Jaclyn Turner, Professional Member  
Dawnette Wessel, Professional Member  
Victoria Williams, Professional Member

**Members Absent:** Teri Baranski, Professional Member  
Vanessa Cartwright, Public Member

**Staff Present:** Laury Brown, Senior Analyst, Compliance Section  
Kimmy Catlin, Board Support, Boards and Committees Section  
Dena Marks, JD, Departmental Specialist, Boards and Committees Section  
Michele Wagner-Gutkowski, Assistant Attorney General

#### APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION by Sayers, seconded by Williams, to approve the agenda with the removal of item 7A.

A voice vote was held.

MOTION PREVAILED











Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

### **Chair Report**

None

### **Department Update**

Marks stated that the bureau will hold the next Board Member Training on February 21, 2023, via Zoom. All board members are welcome to attend.

### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Liz Hannold expressed her concern about the department and PSI.

Jessica Abfalter asked for clarification regarding a rule change. Abfalter stated it was inappropriate to ask someone if their disability prevented them from working.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held February 5, 2024, at 10:00 a.m. at 611 W. Ottawa Street, Upper-Level Conference Room 3, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

MOTION by Sayers, seconded by Williams, to adjourn the meeting at 12:28 p.m.

A voice vote was held.

MOTION PREVAILED

Minutes approved by the Board on February 5, 2024.

Prepared by:

Kimmy Catlin, Board Support

November 7, 2023

Bureau of Professional Licensing