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## **MICHIGAN BOARD OF SOCIAL WORK DISCIPLINARY SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING**

**MAY 31, 2023**

### **APPROVED MINUTES**

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Social Work Disciplinary Subcommittee met on May 31, 2023, 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper-Level Conference Room 6, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

Petra Alsoofy, Public Member, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 1:56 p.m.

#### **ROLL CALL**

**Members Present:** Petra Alsoofy, Public Member, Chairperson  
Maxine Thome, PhD, LMSW, MPH  
Rochelle Vrsek, LMSW, Alternate

**Members Absent:** Danielle Hoover, LMSW, QIDP  
Janet Joiner, PhD, LMSW  
Victor Weipert, Public Member

**Staff Present:** Laury Brown, Senior Analyst, Compliance Section  
LeAnn Payne, Board Support Technician,  
Boards and Committees Section

#### **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

MOTION by Vrsek, seconded by Thome, to approve the agenda, as presented.

A voice vote followed.

MOTION PREVAILED

#### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

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MOTION by Thome, seconded by Vrsek, to approve the March 21, 2023 minutes, as presented.

A voice vote followed.

MOTION PREVAILED

## **REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS**

### **Consent Orders and Stipulations**

#### **Alexander James Ansell, LMSW**

MOTION by Vrsek, seconded by Thome, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote followed:   Yeas: Thome, Vrsek, Alsoofy  
  Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

#### **Michelle Lee Boyer, LMSW**

MOTION by Vrsek, seconded by Thome, to discuss.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Vrsek, seconded by Thome, to reject the Consent Order and Stipulation with a counteroffer, as follows: increase the fine to \$500.00 from \$250.00, payable within 90 days. Increase probation to a minimum of one year, not to exceed 2 years, to include four quarterly employer reports. Probationary period only reduced while employed as a social worker. Continuing education remains as proposed in the Consent Order remains the same.

A roll call vote followed:   Yeas: Thome, Vrsek, Alsoofy  
  Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

#### **Allaina Terice Fair, LBSW**

MOTION by Vrsek, seconded by Thome, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote followed:   Yeas: Thome, Vrsek, Alsoofy  
  Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

**Kuneka Latoya Gilchrist, LLMSW**

MOTION by Thome, seconded by Vrsek, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed:   Yeas: Thome, Vrsek, Alsoofy  
  Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

**Peyton Elizabeth Killop, LLMSW**

MOTION by Thome, seconded by Vrsek, to discuss.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Vrsek, seconded by Thome, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote followed:   Yeas: Thome, Vrsek, Alsoofy  
  Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

**Josephine R. Lenning LMSW**

MOTION by Vrsek, seconded by Thome, to discuss.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Vrsek, seconded by Thome, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas: Thome, Vrsek, Alsoofy  
Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

**Request for Dismissal**

**Elizabeth George, LLMSW**

MOTION by Thome, seconded by Vrsek, to accept the Request for Dismissal.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas: Thome, Vrsek, Alsoofy  
Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

**Administrative Complaints**

**Jody Lyn Boyd, LMSW**

MOTION by Vrsek, seconded by Thome, to discuss.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Vrsek, seconded by Thome, to place Respondent on probation for a minimum of one day, not to exceed 120 days. The terms of probation are as follows: a minimum of six hours of pre-approved continuing education consisting of four hours in ethics relating to conflict of interest and two hours in domestic violence, which will not count towards renewal requirements. Respondent must pay a \$250.00 fine, to be paid within 30 days. A minimum of one day suspension if not compliant with terms.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas: Thome, Vrsek, Alsoofy  
Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

**Renee Lynne Peterman, LMSW**

MOTION by Thome, seconded by Vrsek, to dissolve the Order of Summary Suspension.

A roll call vote followed:   Yeas: Thome, Vrsek, Alsoofy  
  Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

MOTION by Vrsek, seconded by Thome, to discuss.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Vrsek, seconded by Thome to suspend Respondent's license for six months and one day.

A roll call vote followed:   Yeas: Thome, Vrsek, Alsoofy  
  Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

**Proposal for Decision**

**Brandon Lamar Terrell, LLMSW**

MOTION by Vrsek, seconded by Thome, to discuss.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Vrsek, seconded by Thome, to accept the Proposal for Decision and place Respondent on probation for a minimum of one day, not to exceed six months. Respondent must complete a minimum of nine hours of pre-approved continuing education consisting of three hours in ethics, three hours in billing and fraud, and three hours in documentation, which will not count towards renewal requirements. Respondent is fined \$1,000.00 to be paid within six months. Respondent's license will be suspended for a minimum of one day, if not compliant with terms.

A roll call vote followed:   Yeas: Thome, Vrsek, Alsoofy

Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

**Margery Lee Wakefield, LLMSW**

MOTION by Thome, seconded by Vrsek, to table due to impending loss of quorum, until the next meeting.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

**Public Comment**

None

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held July 25, 2023, immediately following the Michigan Board of Social Work meeting scheduled to begin at 9:30 a.m. at 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper-Level Conference Center Room 4, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

**ADJOURNMENT**

MOTION by Thome seconded by Vrsek, to adjourn the meeting at 3:59 p.m.

A voice vote followed.

MOTION PREVAILED

Minutes approved by the Board on: July 25, 2023.

Prepared by:  
LeAnn Payne, Board Support Technician  
Bureau of Professional Licensing

June 1, 2023