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MICHIGAN BOARD OF COUNSELING DECEMBER 3, 2010 MEETING

APPROVED MINUTES

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976, PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Counseling met in regular session on December 3, 2010, at the Ottawa Building, 611 W. Ottawa, Conference Room 4, Upper Level Conference Center, Lansing, Michigan.

CALL TO ORDER

Marion Turowski, L.P.C., Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 10:08 a.m.

Allen introduced new Board secretary Starla Walter who will be assisting the Board at future meetings.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Marion Turowski, L.P.C., Chairperson
Stuart Itzkowitz, L.P.C., Vice Chairperson
Martha Burkett, L.P.C.
Steve Hampton, L.M.S.W.
Rev. Meredith Hunt, Public Member
Laura LeClear, Public Member
Delila Owens, Ph.D., L.P.C.
Harriet Singleton, L.P.C.
Thomas Wuori, Public Member

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Laurie VanBeelen, Board Secretary, Health Regulatory Division
Amy Allen, Policy Administration Manager, Health Regulatory Division
Lidia McGee, Analyst, Health Regulatory Division
Susan Balkema, Assistant Attorney General
Jennifer Fitzgerald, Assistant Attorney General
Starla Walter, Board Secretary, Health Regulatory Division

Others Present: Tom Page
Eric Blumberg – MI Mental Health Counselors Association
Curlada Eure-Harris – LCC/MCZ/LACA

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOTION by Wuori, seconded by Itzkowitz, to approve the minutes of the September 10, 2010 meeting as presented.

MOTION PREVAILED

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION by Singleton, seconded by Wuori, to approve the agenda as presented.

MOTION PREVAILED

COMMITTEE REPORTS

None

OLD BUSINESS

Administrative Rules Update

Allen reported that the rules are in the final revision stages. She stated that the regulatory impact statement and policy analysis documents are being prepared by the Department and it is anticipated that a public hearing will occur in spring of 2011.

NEW BUSINESS

Department Update

Allen stated that with the new administration, a change in the way Board appointments are made may take place, although the Bureau has not had communication with the Governor's office regarding any potential changes to Board composition. Allen indicated that all Board members are asked to continue to serve after their terms expire until replaced.

REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS

Susan Ann Cadwell, L.P.C. – Petition for Reinstatement

MOTION by Itzkowitz, seconded by Singleton, to grant the Petition for Reinstatement in the matter of Susan Ann Cadwell, L.P.C.

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Owens, seconded by Wuori, to table the matter of Susan Ann Cadwell, L.P.C., to allow the Board the opportunity to receive and review the hearing transcripts.

MOTION PREVAILED

PUBLIC COMMENT

Turowski invited members of the public to introduce themselves.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held March 4, 2011 at 10:00 a.m. at the Ottawa Building, 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper Level Conference Center, Conference Room 4, Lansing, Michigan.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by LeClear, seconded by Itzkowitz, to adjourn the meeting at 10:24 a.m.



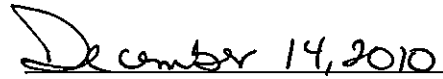
Marion Turowski, L.P.C., Chairperson



Laurie VanBeelen, Board Secretary



Date Minutes Approved



Date Minutes Prepared