

Texas State Board of Examiners of Marriage and Family Therapists
Licensing Standards Committee Meeting
Friday, October 14, 2016, 1:00 PM
Southern Methodist University at Plano
5228 Tennyson Parkway, Building 3, Room 103,
Plano, Texas 75024

MINUTES

Board Members Present:

Keith Rosenbaum, Professional Member
Kenneth Bateman, Professional Member
Michael Miller, Public Member
Rick Bruhn, Professional Member

Staff Present:

Cheryl Gomez
Georgia Norman
Dawn Burton

Guests Present:

Sarah Romer	Chuck West
Kelly Sevin	Peter Bradley
Elizabeth Hartwig	Susan Harrison
Terah Gibson	Jodie Elder
Sundie Dieke	Rulesha Hart
Rhonesia Johnson	Brandy Schumann

Agenda Item 1 was to call the meeting to order at 1:01 pm by Dr. Bruhn, chair.

Agenda Item 2 was to approve the minutes of the July 15, 2016 Licensing Standards Committee meeting. A motion was made by Mr. Miller to approve the minutes. The motion was seconded and passed.

Agenda Item 3 was the discussion regarding the applications for licensure or examination for the following individuals:

The request of Sunday Dieke was discussed. A motion was made by Dr. Bateman to accept the hours and refer the supervisor to the ethics committee. The motion was seconded and passed.

The request of Terah Gibson was discussed. A motion was made by Mr. Miller to approve for examination. The motion was seconded and passed.

The request of Rulesha Hart was discussed. A motion was made by Mr. Miller to approve for examination. The motion was seconded and passed.

The request of Elizabeth Hartwig was discussed. A motion was made by Mr. Miller to approve the hours. The motion was seconded and passed.

The request of Synthia Harvey was discussed. A motion was made by Dr. Bruhn to require an additional course. The motion was seconded and passed.

The request of Tawanda Heim-Jones was discussed. A motion was made by Mr. Miller to approve for examination. The motion was seconded and passed.

The request of Jordan Holmes was discussed. A motion was made by Dr. Rosenbaum to deny the request. The motion was seconded and passed.

The request of Rhonessia Johnson was discussed. A motion was made by Mr. Miller to approve hours and refer supervisor to the ethics committee. The motion was seconded and passed.

The request of Joan Lipuscek was discussed. A motion was made by Mr. Miller to deny the request. The motion was seconded and passed.

The request of Kathryn Pittman was discussed. A motion was made by Mr. Miller to deny the request. The motion was seconded and passed.

The request of Sarah Robbins was discussed. A motion was made by Dr. Rosenbaum to deny the request. The motion was seconded and passed.

The request of Sarah Romer was discussed. A motion was made by Dr. Bateman to accept the hours and refer to the ethics committee. The motion was seconded and passed.

The request of Kelly Sevin was discussed. A motion was made by Dr. Bateman to accept the hours. The motion was seconded and passed.

Agenda Item 4 was public comment. There was none.

Agenda Item 5 was announcements and comments not requiring committee action, such as statements regarding conferences and other recent or upcoming events.

Agenda Item 6 was to schedule the next committee meeting date(s). The next meeting date will be January 20-21, 2017.

Agenda Item 7 was to adjourn the meeting. The meeting adjourned at 2:47 pm.