



STATE OF NEVADA  
**BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR SOCIAL WORKERS**  
4600 Kietzke Lane, Suite C121, Reno, Nevada 89502  
775-688-2555

**PUBLIC NOTICE OF BOARD VIDEOCONFERENCE MEETING**

**Friday, May 25, 2012 at 9:00 a.m.**

**Mojave Adult, Child and Family Services  
745 W. Moana Lane, Suite 100  
Reno, Nevada 89509**

**Some members of the Board may be attending the meeting and other persons may observe the meeting and provide testimony, through a simultaneous videoconference conducted at the following location:**

**Mojave Adult, Child and Family Services  
4000 E. Charleston Blvd., Suite B-230  
Las Vegas, Nevada 89104**

Please Note: The Board of Examiners for Social Workers may address agenda items out of sequence, combine the agenda items, pull or remove the agenda items, in order to aid the efficiency or effectiveness of the meeting or to accommodate persons appearing before the Board. The Board may continue agenda items to the next meeting as needed. (NRS 241.020)

Public comment is welcomed by the Board and will be heard at the beginning of the Board meeting following the Call to Order and Roll and at the end of the agenda prior to the adjournment of the Board meeting. Public comment will be limited to five minutes per person. The Board meeting Chair may allow additional time to be given a speaker as time allows and at his/her sole discretion. Once all items on the agenda are completed the meeting will adjourn.

Prior to the commencement and conclusion of a contested case or a quasi judicial proceeding that may affect the due process rights of an individual, the Board may refuse to consider public comment. *See NRS 233B.126.*

\* Denotes items on which Board may take possible action. Action by the Board on an item may be to approve, deny, amend, or pull or remove the item.

**AGENDA**

1. Call to Order and Roll.
2. Public Comment.

*Note: No vote may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken. (NRS 241.020)*

3. \*Review, Discussion and for Possible Action, Approval of Agenda.

## **CONSENT AGENDA**

The Consent Agenda contains matters of routine acceptance. The Board Members may approve the consent agenda items as written or, at their discretion, may address individual items for discussion or change.

4. \*Review, Discussion and for Possible Action, Approval of Consent Agenda.
  - A. Licensure/Internship Applications
    1. \*Ratification of Approved License Applications (Attachment 1).
    2. \*Ratification of Denied License Applications (Attachment 1).
    3. \*Ratification of Approved Internship Applications (Attachment 1).
    4. \*Ratification of Denied Internship Applications (Attachment 1).
  - B. Continuing Education
    1. \*Ratification of Approved Continuing Education Programs.
    2. \*Ratification of Denied Continuing Education Programs.

## **REGULAR AGENDA**

5. Legislative and Regulatory Issues
  - A. \*Review, Discussion and for Possible Action, proposed statutory (NRS 641B) changes for the 77<sup>th</sup>, 2013 Nevada Legislative Session, including but not limited to:
    1. \*Changes in the Board's initial and renewal application fee schedule;
    2. \*The addition of fees to the Board's fee schedule for Board approval of continuing education courses;
    3. \*Identification of Board members to assist the Board Executive Director with drafting the bill draft and submission of the bill draft to the State Department of Administration by the June 1, 2012 deadline on the State approved Bill Draft Request Module (BDR);
    4. \*The addition of any additional statutory changes identified during discussion of this agenda item; and
    5. \*Bringing the final BDR as submitted to the State Department of Administration to the next regularly scheduled Board meeting for review, discussion and ratification.
  - B. \*Review, Discussion and for Possible Action, proposed regulation (NAC 641B) changes, including but not limited to:
    1. \*Changes in the Board's regulatory language to reflect approval by the State Legislature of any BDR'S submitted by the Board for the 77<sup>th</sup>, 2013 Nevada Legislative Session;
    2. \*Changes in the Board's regulatory language to reflect the number of times an applicant, who has either failed the licensing examination, pursuant to NAC 641B.105, or neglected to schedule and take their licensing examination before the closure of their application, pursuant to NAC 641B.120, and imposing a cap on the number of times an applicant can either retake a failed licensing examination or schedule to take an initial licensing examination under an open application.

3. \* The addition of any additional regulation changes identified during discussion of this agenda item; and
  4. \* Identification of Board members to assist the Board Executive Director with: (a) drafting regulation changes to be submitted to the State Legislative Counsel Bureau and any additional State agencies pursuant to NRS 233B; and (b) establishing a time line/schedule to provide notification of any regulation changes pursuant to NRS 233B, including but not limited to public hearings and workshops.
- C. \*Review, Discussion and for Possible Action pertaining to recently codified regulations (NAC 641B) pertaining to Board regulation changes, R142-08, proposed and approved by the Legislative Counsel and effective February 11, 2009, and steps required to correct the omission of section 1, intended as amendments to NAC 641B.005, "Definitions", including but not limited to the submission of any bill drafts and regulation changes.
6. Association of Social Work Boards (ASWB)
- A. Review and Discussion regarding the ASWB pass/fail rates for graduates of each social work education program in Nevada (i.e. University of Nevada, Reno and University of Nevada, Las Vegas), for the year 2011.
  - B. Review and Discussion regarding the ASWB 2012 Spring Education Meeting, *E-World Ethics: Issues and Implications for Regulatory Boards*, conducted April 26-29, 2012, and the list of presentations with available downloads from the ASWB website, [www.aswb.org](http://www.aswb.org).
  - C. Review and Discussion regarding job posting pertaining to the search for a new ASWB Executive Director who will replace the present ASWB Executive Director due to retirement.
7. Review and Discussion, Senior Deputy Attorney General Report
8. Review and Discussion, Presiding Officer's Comments
9. Board Operations
- A. \*Review, Discussion and for Possible Action, the approval of minutes for the April 27, 2011 Board meeting.
  - B. \*Review, Discussion and for Possible Action, the year-to-date Board cash flow statement covering July 1, 2011 through April 30, 2012, in comparison to the fiscal 2011/2012 budget.
  - C. Review and Discussion pertaining to the Executive Director's Report.
10. Public Comment
- Note: No vote may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken. (NRS 241.020)*
11. \*Adjournment (for possible action).

Anyone desiring additional information regarding the meeting is invited to call the Board office at (775) 688-2555.

We are pleased to make reasonable accommodations for members of the public who are disabled and wish to attend the meeting. If special arrangements for the meeting are necessary, please notify the Board of Examiners for Social Workers, 4600 Kietzke Lane, C121, Reno, Nevada 89502, or call (775) 688-2555, as soon as possible.

The Board may convene in closed session to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person. (NRS 241.030)

This notice has been posted at the office of the Board of Examiners for Social Workers; the Board's Web Site [www.socwork.nv.gov](http://www.socwork.nv.gov); Mojave Adult, Child and Family Services, Reno; and Mojave Adult, Child and Family Services, Las Vegas and the following locations:

Washoe County Social Services, 350 S. Center Street, Reno, Nevada  
Clark County Social Services, 1600 Pinto Lane, Las Vegas, Nevada  
University of Nevada, Las Vegas, School of Social Work, Las Vegas, Nevada  
University of Nevada, Reno, School of Social Work, Anasari Business Building, Reno, Nevada

## LICENSE APPLICATIONS

Attachment 1

### Approvals

DeSio, Virgilio	6200-C	Raichbach, Sal	6204-C
Klock, Dharma	6201-S	Nolan, Michial	6205-C
Combs-Walton, Lauri	6202-C	Chisholm, Colin	6206-C
Mechem, Robert	6203-C	West, KC Jo	6207-S

### Denials:

No application denied this period.

### Denied Renewals:

Timothy Sutton Did not complete requirements to renew.

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### Provisional Approvals

No provisional applications this period.

### Provisional License Denials

No provisional applications denied this period.

## INTERNSHIP APPLICATIONS

### Approvals

<u>Name</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Supervisor</u>	<u>Site</u>
Clark Anderson, Nina	IC-720	Rosalie Montoya, LCSW	H.O.P.E. Counseling Services
Weintraub, Yelena	IC-721	Barbara Dubin, LCSW	Neubauer Mental Health Services
Tolman, Judith	IC-722	Lo 'Rece Mebane, LCSW	Fresh Start Family Services
Burke, Dinni	IC-723	Diane Sakal-Gutierrez, LCSW	H.O.P.E. Counseling Services

No Internship Applications Denied This Period