

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Board of Professional Surveyors and Mappers

Meeting Type: General Business/Committee Meeting
Meeting Date: September 2, 2004
Meeting Loc: Conference Call

Board Members: Pamela Nobles, Louis Lebron, Sidney Greer, Francis Poppell, Omar Armenteros, Lou Bush

Members Absent: Jeffrey Cooner, Beverly Sutphin, Dennis Blankenship

Department Staff: Brian Higgins, (Prosecuting Attorney)
John Knap, (Executive Director)
Christa Patterson, (Gov. Analyst)

Other Attendees: Brian Stabley, (Board Counsel)
Ed Tellechea, OAG

Major Issues/Actions

- The Board considered 11 applications for examination (5 approved), 9 for endorsement (7 approved).
No certificate of authorization applications submitted.
- The Continuing Education Committee considered 4 CE courses submitted by 4 providers. 4 courses approved.
- The application of Santa Rosa County Surveyor Mr. Whitney, who applied to reinstate his null and void license per HB 1457 was reconsidered. In July the Board felt that the applicant did not meet provision (d) of the requirements contained in the act, in that he had not proven he did not practice surveying and mapping while his license was in a null and void status. Mr. Whitney submitted a written affidavit outlining the chain of events leading up to his license becoming null and void. The Board voted to approve the license subject to the payment of a \$1,000 fine.
- Discussion by Continuing Education Committee regarding the legality of approved providers utilizing the RedVector Internet portal to administer courses.

Legislation/Rule Promulgation

- A complete rules report to be presented by Board Counsel at the October meeting.
- No new legislation being considered at this time.

Next Meeting: October 14 -15, 2004 Ft. Myers

John T. Knap
Executive Director September 10, 2004