

**Halsey Beshears**, Secretary

**Ron DeSantis**, Governor

## **MINUTES**

**Florida Board of Auctioneers  
Valencia College – East Campus  
701 North Econlockhatchee Trail  
Building 6 – Gymnasium  
Orlando, Florida 32825**

**Thursday, January 31, 2019**

### **CALL TO ORDER**

#### **MEMBERS PRESENT**

Reed Hartman, Vice Chair  
H. Fred Dietrich III  
Pamela Kiser-Burch  
Matthew Varble

#### **MEMBERS EXCUSED**

Donald L. Shearer, Chair

Welcome speeches were given by Sandy Shugart, President of Valencia College, Ron DeSantis, Governor, Jeanette Núñez, Lieutenant Governor, and Halsey Beshears, Secretary of the Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation.

The purpose of the meeting was to discuss, debate, and identify existing regulations that could be targeted for reduction or elimination. The Board was asked to make a presentation outlining burdensome regulations that were identified at this meeting.

Vice-Chair Hartman presented the following initiatives to the Secretary:

- Reduce the passing score on the auctioneer examination from 75% to 70%.
- Decrease the apprenticeship period from one (1) year to six (6) months.
- Evaluate cost reduction options within the license fee structure.

**The meeting was adjourned at approximately 2:30 p.m.**