

Halsey Beshears, Secretary

Ron DeSantis, Governor

MINUTES

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

Thursday, January 31, 2019

CALL TO ORDER

MEMBERS PRESENT

Rhonda Griffis, Chair
Laurel Candelario
Jared Sutherland
Fran Poppell
Stephania Streit

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

Chair Griffis presented the following initiatives to the Secretary.

- Reduce the required continuing education from 16 hours to 10 hours every two years.
- Grant reciprocity to all individuals holding a current active license in another state.
- Repeal the requirement for HIV/AIDS course certification for initial licensure.

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