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MINUTES
BOARD OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE

General Business Meeting
University of Florida, Gainesville, FL
Friday January 22, 2016
At 10:00 a.m.

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Call to Order

11 Mr. Delate, Chair, called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

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Members Present

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15 Mr. Joseph Delate, Chair
16 Mr. Paul Kissinger, Vice-chair
17 Mr. Michael Kroll
18 Mr. Richard Conant
19 Mr. Phillip Smith
20 Mr. Brian Donovan

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Members Absent

23 Mr. David Powell - Excused

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Others Present

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27 Ms. Ruthanne Christie, Executive Director
28 Ms. Stacey Buccieri, Government Analyst II
29 Ms. Rachel Clark, Assistant Attorney General
30 Mr. Alex Bosque
31 Ms. Mylette Perry

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Review of Applications

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Approval of July 30, 2015 Meeting Minutes

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38 MOTION: Mr. Kroll moved to approve the minutes as written.

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40 SECOND: Mr. Donovan seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

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Approval of November 10, 2015 Conference Call Meeting Minutes

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44 MOTION: Mr. Smith moved to approve the minutes as written.

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46 SECOND: Mr. Conant seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

47 **Ratification List - Continuing Education**

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49 MOTION: Mr. Kissinger moved to approve the continuing education list.

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51 SECOND: Mr. Smith seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

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53 **Reports**

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55 **Rules Report**

56 Ms. Clark presented the Board with the Rules report for December 2015, she

57 explained the repeal of rule 61G10-14.002 was complete and effective as of

58 12/2/2015.

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60 **Financial Report**

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63 **New Business**

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65 **Glenn Acomb, University of Florida, Department of Landscape Architecture**

66 Mr. Glenn Acomb from the University of Florida, Department of Landscape

67 Architecture gave the Board an overview of the Landscape Architecture

68 curriculum and degrees offered by the University. The members took a tour of

69 the studios and spoke to students about the various projects they had worked on

70 throughout the semester. Mr. Acomb responded to questions from the members

71 about the program at UF as well as challenges the program faces increasing

72 enrollment and recruiting students to the program.

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74 **Examination Update**

75 Mr. Alex Bosque and Ms. Mylette Perry with the Bureau of Education and Testing

76 updated the Board on the exam review process for the Florida Section of the

77 Landscape Architecture Exam. Mr. Bosque explained the subject matter experts

78 and Board Members were assisting with the review of both the content and the

79 references to help update and streamline them.

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81 **Discussion of Continuing Education Units**

82 **Request for Continuing Education Credit – Corey Kissell Wong**

83 MOTION: Mr. Conant moved to deny the request for continuing education

84 credits but grant a 1-year renewal extension on the license due to hardship and

85 waive the delinquent fee.

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87 SECOND: Mr. Kissinger seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

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89 **Request for Continuing Education Credit – Robert Marini**

90 MOTION: Mr. Kissinger moved to deny the request for continuing education

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SECOND: Mr. Kroll seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

Rule 61G110-12.001(2), F.A.C.

MOTION: Mr. Conant moved to open the rule for development.

SECOND: Mr. Kroll seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

Old Business

Update re: Proposed rule language by the Florida Board of Professional Engineers defining “Traffic Engineering” 61G15-18.011, F.A.C.

Ms. Clark provided the Board with an update on the rule, explaining that the Board of Engineers was not likely to go forward with the current proposal at this time but planned to have further discussions on the issue.

Anti-Trust Presentation – Rachel Clark, Assistant Attorney General

Ms. Clark gave the Board a presentation, which updated the Board Members on recent decisions related to the North Carolina Dentistry case and subsequent opinions issued by the Federal Trade Commission.

Public Comment

Mr. Bolduc asked if the Board still produced wall certificates. Ms. Christie explained the wall certificates had been discontinued.

Next Meeting

The Board agreed to have its next in person meeting in conjunction with the FLASLA conference in August 2016.

Adjourn

MOTION: Mr. Kissinger moved to adjourn the meeting.

SECOND: Mr. Smith seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.