

MINUTES

BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL SURVEYORS AND MAPPERS PROBATION COMMITTEE MEETING

Department of Business and Professional Regulation
Board Conference Room
1940 North Monroe Street
Tallahassee, Florida

January 11, 2006 @ 8:00 a.m.

The meeting was called to order by Pam Nobles, Chair, at 8:15 a.m.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT

Pam Nobles, Chair
Beverly Sutphin
Louis Lebron

COMMITTEE MEMBERS ABSENT

None

OTHERS PRESENT:

Brian Stabley, Board Counsel
John Knap, Executive Director
Christa Patterson
Eric Hurst
Mr. Rowell
Dennis Blankenship
Harley Gilmore
Art Mastronacola
Nicholas Franklin
Orlando Grandal
Thomas Jenkins
Roger Hagler
Alvin Gloer
John O'Neill
Jeff Cooner
Robert Burns
John Burns
Clint Finstad
Marilyn Finstad
James Almond
Ted Madson
Terry Anderson
Elena Dima
Richard Powell
Mary Hanna Clodfelter

REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF THE OCTOBER 2005 PROBATION COMMITTEE MINUTES

The committee reviewed the October 2005 probation committee meeting minutes and after discussion the following motion was made.

MOTION: Ms. Sutphin made a motion to approve the October 2005 probation committee meeting minutes with corrections

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

1ST SET OF SURVEYS

Robert Burns
LS 4603

Mr. Burns was present at the meeting and was not represented by counsel.

Ms. Nobles reported that she reviewed exhibit numbers three and four and that both surveys had violations of minimum technical standards.

Mr. Lebron stated that he reviewed exhibit numbers five and six and both surveys were not acceptable.

Mr. Sutphin stated that she reviewed exhibits numbers one and two and found both surveys had violations and were not acceptable.

After discussion the following motion was made.

MOTION: Ms. Sutphin made a motion to reject the 1st set of surveys and require Mr. Burns to submit a second set.

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

The committee asked Mr. Patterson to provide Mr. Burns with copies of the MTS check sheets used by the reviewers.

Mr. Cooner reminded Mr. Burns that if he does not pass the 2nd probation survey review his license could possibly be suspended. Mr. Burns asked if he could retire his license. Mr. Stabley advised Mr. Burns that he could submit an application for retired status. Mr. Stabley stated that the board has the final decision on the retired status applications.

2ND SET OF SURVEYS

Thomas Jenkins
LS 2019

Mr. Jenkins was present at the meeting and was not represented by counsel.

Ms. Nobles stated that she reviewed exhibit numbers three and four and found both surveys not in compliance.

Mr. Lebron stated that he reviewed exhibit numbers five and six and found both surveys not in compliance to minimum technical standards.

Ms. Sutphin stated that she reviewed exhibit numbers one and two and found both surveys not in compliance to minimum technical standards.

The committee discussed making a motion to suspend Mr. Jenkins' license.

Mr. Stabley reviewed Rule 61G17-9.007 (4) (a) F..A.C. with the committee and advised the committee that there is an avenue for a person on probation that fails to comply with the terms of the final order.

After discussion the following motion was made.

MOTION: Ms. Sutphin made a motion to approve Mr. Jenkins' surveys and remove him from probation.

SECOND: Mr. Lebron seconded the motion and the motion passed.

Ms. Nobles opposed the motion.

Mr. Stabley advised Mr. Jenkins that the full board would have to approve the committee's actions. Mr. Stabley asked Mr. Jenkins to stay for the board's general business meeting. Mr. Jenkins agreed.

PROBATION SUMMARY REPORT

The probation committee reviewed the probation summary report and made the following motions.

MOTION: Ms. Sutphin made a motion to send Frank Daniel a notice of non-compliance.

SECOND: Ms. Nobles seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

MOTION: Mr. Sutphin made a motion to send William Hazlett a letter advising him he has 10 days to send in proof of insurance.

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

MOTION: Ms. Sutphin made a motion to remove Robert Holland from the probation tracking form.

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

MOTION: Ms. Sutphin made a motion to send James Fowler a letter requesting that he send in back- up materials to his probation surveys.

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

MOTION: Ms. Sutphin made a motion to send an investigator to pick up Bruce Klein's professional seal.

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

MOTION: Ms. Sutphin made a motion to send an investigator to pick up Charles Palomba's professional seal.

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

MOTION: Ms. Sutphin made a motion to send an investigator to pick up Julio Sergio Pita's professional seal.

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

Ms. Patterson advised the board that she received a written request from T.A. Simmons to surrender his surveyors and mappers license. Mr. Stabley advised the committee that he would work with Mr. Hurst on an agreement with Mr. Simmons. Mr. Stabley advised Mr. Hurst that he would provide him with a letter used in the attorney generals office.

OLD/NEW BUSINESS

Ms. Nobles stated that the committee did not have any old or new business to discuss.

There being no other business the meeting adjourned at 9:30 a.m.