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**STATE OF NEVADA WELL DRILLERS' ADVISORY BOARD MEETING MINUTES**  
**2-2018 STATEWIDE WELL DRILLER'S EXAMINATION**

**May 8, 2018**

DRAFT (subject to revision)

(Final minutes will be available on the Board's website

<http://water.nv.gov/WellDrillersAdvisoryBoard.aspx> after ratification by the Board at the next scheduled Board meeting)

Board Members

Present: Dan Kohlman, Steve Hammrick and Andy Andresen.

Nevada Division of  
Water Resources

Members Present: Michael Scott, Tracy Geter, Erielle Cushing and Tim Wilson P.E.

Call to Order: 8:03 am

Approval of Board  
Meeting Minutes:

Board meeting minutes 1-2018 from the meeting dated February 21, 2018 were reviewed by the Board. Dan Kohlman motioned the Board to conduct a vote to approve said minutes. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries. The Board unanimously approved the minutes.

**Action**

Board Business:

Tim Wilson informed the Advisory Board of some small violations that have occurred. He also informed the Advisory Board members of staffing changes at NDWR. Tim Wilson informed the Advisory Board that we are currently working on a new draft of the Nevada Well Drilling Regulations. Tim Wilson also informed the Advisory Board that the Nevada Division of Minerals is now responsible for lithium exploration.

**Oral Test of applicants for Well Driller's License by Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board, NRS 534.140 and 534.150.**

8:20 a.m. – 9:27 a.m.

**Action**

Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct oral interviews. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.  
**Applicant Ricardo Llamas** interviewed before the Board.  
Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to open the meeting to give the

**Action**  
Recommendation: Board's recommendation. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries. The Board unanimously recommends to the State Engineer retest of Mr. Llamas' Nevada Water Well Driller license.

9:34 a.m. – 10:40 a.m.  
**Action**  
Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct oral interviews. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.  
**Applicant Ubaldo Martinez** interviewed before the Board.  
Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to open the meeting to give the Board's recommendation. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.  
**Action**  
Recommendation: The Board unanimously recommends to the State Engineer retest of Mr. Martinez's Nevada Water Well Driller license.

10:43 a.m. – 11:32 a.m.  
**Action**  
Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct oral interviews. Steve Hamrick seconded. Motion carries.  
**Applicant Travis Metz** interviewed before the Board.  
Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to open the meeting to give the Board's recommendation. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.  
**Action**  
Recommendation: The Board unanimously recommends to the State Engineer approval of Mr. Metz's Nevada Water Well Driller license.

11:39 a.m. – 12:28 p.m.  
**Action**  
Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct oral interviews. Steve Hamrick seconded. Motion carries.  
**Applicant Michael Jex** interviewed before the Board.  
Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to open the meeting to give the Board's recommendation. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.  
**Action**  
Recommendation: The Board unanimously recommends to the State Engineer approval of Mr. Jex's Nevada Water Well Driller license.

1:34 p.m. – 2:29 p.m.  
**Action**  
Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct oral interviews. Steve Hamrick seconded. Motion carries.  
**Applicant Glen McCally** interviewed before the Board.  
Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to open the meeting to give the Board's recommendation. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.  
**Action**  
Recommendation: The Board unanimously recommends to the State Engineer retest of Mr. McCally's Nevada Water Well Driller license.

2:32 p.m. – 3:14 p.m.  
**Action**  
Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct oral interviews. Steve Hamrick seconded. Motion carries.  
**Applicant Chris Reede** interviewed before the Board.  
Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to open the meeting to give the Board's recommendation. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.  
**Action**  
Recommendation: The Board unanimously recommends to the State Engineer approval of Mr. Reede's Nevada Water Well Driller license.

3:26 p.m. – 4:16 p.m.  
**Action**  
Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct oral interviews. Steve Hamrick seconded. Motion carries.  
**Applicant Shane Cooper** interviewed before the Board.  
Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to open the meeting to give the Board's recommendation. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.  
**Action**  
Recommendation: The Board unanimously recommends to the State Engineer approval of Mr. Cooper's Nevada Water Well Driller license.

Adjourn:                                There being no further business for the Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board meeting 2-2018, held in Carson City, Nevada was adjourned at 4:17 p.m.

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Recordings of this meeting are part of the Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board files in the State Engineer's Office and are available upon written request.