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**STATE OF NEVADA WELL DRILLERS' ADVISORY BOARD MEETING MINUTES
1-2019 STATEWIDE WELL DRILLER'S EXAMINATION**

February 12, 2019

(Minutes will be available on the Board's website)

Board Members

Present: Dan Kohlman, Andy Andresen and Steve Hamrick.

Nevada Division of
Water Resources

Members Present: Jake Echeverria, Tracy Geter, Shannon McDaniel, Tanya Osborne and Mike Scott

Call to Order: 8:06 am

Approval of Board
Meeting Minutes:

Action

Board meeting minutes 4-2018 from the meeting dated November 14, 2018 were reviewed by the Board. Dan Kohlman motioned the Board to conduct a vote to approve said minutes as read. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries. The Board unanimously approved the minutes.

Board Business:

Shannon McDaniel updated the Advisory Board on the Nevada Division of Water Resources' regulation progress and the progress that has been made on converting some of the well drilling processes to an online format.

Public Comment:

Pursuant to NRS § 241, this time is devoted to comments by the public, if any, and discussion of those comments. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item on the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on a successive agenda and identified as an item for possible action. All public comments will be limited to 5 minutes for each person. There were no public comments at this time.

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

8:34 a.m. – 9:46 a.m. Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct oral interviews. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.
Action
Applicant Michael Linder 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. Linder's Nevada Water Well Driller license.

9:53 a.m. – 10:41 a.m. Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct oral interviews. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.
Action
Applicant Mitchell Whitaker 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. Whitaker's Nevada Water Well Driller license.

10:49 a.m. – 11:21 a.m. Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct oral interviews. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.
Action
Applicant Abraham Schaefer 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. Schaefer's Nevada Water Well Driller license.

11:32 a.m. – 12:11 p.m. Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct oral interviews. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.
Action
Applicant William Houston 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. Houston's Nevada Water Well Driller license.

12:15 p.m. – 12:15 p.m. Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct oral interviews. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.
Action
Applicant Marlen Cross was scheduled to interview before the Board; however, Mr. Cross did not show. The Board
Action
Recommendation: The Board unanimously recommends to the State Engineer that Mr. Cross retest for his Nevada Water Well Driller license.

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Adjourn: There being no further business for the Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board meeting 1-2019, held in Carson City, Nevada was adjourned at 12:16 p.m.

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