

STATE OF NEVADA WELL DRILLER'S ADVISORY BOARD MEETING MINUTES

4-2015 STATEWIDE WELL DRILLERS' EXAMINATION

NOVEMBER 3, 2015

**RICHARD H. BRYAN STATE BUILDING
NEVADA DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES
901 SOUTH STEWART STREET, SECOND FLOOR
TAHOE HEARING ROOM
CARSON CITY, NEVADA 89701**

Approved Minutes

Board Members present: Dan Kohlman, Andy Andresen and Stephen Loughry.

Nevada Division of Water Resources members present: Tim Wilson, P.E., Shannon McDaniel, E.I.T., Tracy Geter

Call to Order: 8:07 am

Approval of Board Meeting Minutes:

Approval of the August 4-5, 2015 Board meeting minutes was removed from this meeting as there was an error in the agenda as to which meeting minutes will be approved. This action has been held and will be re-agendized for the next Board meeting.

Board Business:

Tim Wilson welcomed Stephen Loughry to the Board as an alternate and welcomed Andy Andresen to the Board as a full time member. Tim also informed the Board that the new regulations book will be codified soon. He added that the Nevada Division of Water Resources will be giving a Well Drilling Regulations class at the NWRA Annual Conference February 29, 2016. He explained that the class will be three parts: regulations, forms and a new test prep section.

Public Comment: 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.

8:39 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.

Action **Applicant Tommy Kinsey** 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.
Recommendation: The Board unanimously recommends to the State Engineer approval of Mr. Kinsey's Nevada Water Well Driller License.

9:32 a.m. – 10:17 a.m.
Action Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct oral interviews. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.
Applicant Joshua Combs interviewed before the Board.
Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to open the meeting to give the

Action Board's recommendation. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.
Recommendation: The Board unanimously recommends to the State Engineer approval of Mr. Combs' Nevada Water Well Driller License, pending submittal of his fourth reference.

10:26 a.m. – 11:07 a.m. Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct
Action oral interviews. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.

Applicant Mathew Staffel 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. Staffel's Nevada Water Well Driller License.

12:13 p.m. – 12:42 p.m. Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct
Action oral interviews. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.

Applicant Donald Davidson 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. Davidson's Nevada Water Well Driller License, limited to: AUGER ONLY, DEWATERING, pending submittal of his fourth reference.

12:45 p.m. – 12:57 p.m. Board member Stephen Loughry recused himself for the duration of the
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oral interview and the presentation of the Board's recommendation to the State Engineer of applicant John Sherrill due to a conflict of interest.

1:25 p.m. – 2:15 p.m. Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct
Action oral interviews. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.

Applicant John Sherrill 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. Sherrill's Nevada Water Well Driller License, pending submittal of his fourth reference.

2:20 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct
Action oral interviews. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.

Applicant James Benninger 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.

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Recommendation: The Board unanimously recommends to the State Engineer approval of Mr. Benninger's Nevada Water Well Driller License, pending submittal of his third and fourth references.

Public Comment: There were no public comments at the end of the meeting.

Adjourn: There being no further business for the Statewide Well Driller's Advisory Board, meeting 4-2015 was adjourned to Las Vegas at 3:20 p.m.

Recordings of this meeting are part of the Statewide Well Driller's Advisory Board files in the State Engineer's Office.

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(Final minutes will be available on the Board's website <http://water.nv.gov/programs/wd/board.cfm>
after ratification by the Board at the next scheduled Board meeting)

Board Members present: Dan Kohlman, Andy Andresen and Manuel Quinones II.

**Nevada Division of Water Resources members present: Tim Wilson, P.E., Shannon
McDaniel, E.I.T., Tracy Geter**

Call to Order: 8:25 am

**Approval of Board
Meeting Minutes:**

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Board Business: There was no business of the board.

Public Comment: 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.

All applicants are required to appear 30 minutes prior to interview time.

8:33 a.m. – 9:25 a.m.
Action Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct oral interviews. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.

Action **Applicant Aarnold Lamon** 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.
Recommendation: The Board unanimously recommends to the State Engineer approval of Mr. Lamons Nevada Water Well Driller License, pending submittal of his fourth reference.

9:30 a.m. – 10:20 a.m.
Action Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct oral interviews. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.
Applicant Keith Meyers interviewed before the Board.
Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to open the meeting to give the

Action Board's recommendation. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.
Recommendation: The Board unanimously recommends to the State Engineer approval of Mr. Meyers' Nevada Water Well Driller License.

10:27 a.m. – 11:20 a.m. Dan Kohlman motioned to the Board to close the meeting to conduct oral interviews. Andy Andresen seconded. Motion carries.

Action **Applicant Dennis Chapman** 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. Chapman's Nevada Water Well Driller License, pending submittal of his second, third and fourth references.

Public Comment: There were no public comments at this time.

Adjourn: There being no further business for the Statewide Well Driller's Advisory Board, meeting 4-2015 was adjourned at 11:25 a.m.

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