



The Ohio Veterinary Medical Licensing Board

77 South High Street, 16th Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215-6108



MEETING MINUTES August 09, 2023

1. Call to Order:

After opening the meeting with the reading of the Board mission statement, Dr. O'Connor, President and member of the Ohio Veterinary Medical Licensing Board called the August 09, 2023 meeting to order at 08:30 a.m.

2. Roll Call:

Dr. Timothy Kolb, DVM	present
Ms. Dianne Jones, RVT	present
Dr. Nancy O' Connor, DVM	present
Dr. Kimberly Riker-Brown, DVM	absent
Ms. Susan Pohler, JD	present
Dr. Scott Pendleton	present

3. Acknowledge Staff, AAG & Guests:

Dr. O'Connor acknowledged the attendance of Theresa Stir, Executive Director, Brian Honen, Assistant Attorney General, Joseph McClain, Licensure Coordinator, and guests in attendance.

4. **Meeting Minutes:** The July minutes were tabled due to lack of quorum.

5. **President's Report:** None

6. **Vice President's Report:** None

7. **Secretary's Report:** None

8. **OVMA Liaison:** Mr. Advent, Executive Director of the Ohio Veterinary Medical Association, reported that the OVMA requested a "clean-up" amendment to HB 238 regarding the limited license change that was the result of recent legislation. The OVMA also provided input on changes to the CE rule 4741-1-11 OAC.

9. **OAVT Liaison:** None

10. Executive Director Report:

A. Directives – Ms. Stir reported that the July meeting Directives have been completed.

- B. Annual Report – A copy of the mandatory Board annual report was provided the Board members. The annual report was provided to the Governor and Secretary of State and posted on the board website.
- C. Student Loan Report- A copy of the mandatory report for the Charitable student loan was presented to the Board. The report has been submitted to the Speaker of the House, the Senate President and the Governor.
- D. Rules- Dr. Pendleton moved to approve the modification to Rule 4741-1-11 OAC that amends the amount of virtual continuing education hours required for renewal. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendelton – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye. The remainder of the rules were accepted by acknowledgment and will be submitted to the Lt. Governor’s Common Sense Initiative.
- E. MOU – The Memorandum of Understanding between the Board and the Ohio Department of Agriculture for investigative and inspection services was approved and signed.
- F. Retirement – Ms. Stir provided Dr. O’Connor a letter confirming her retirement at the end of the year.

11. **FYI:** None

12. Requests for Licensure:

Dr. Kolb moved to approve the following requests for licensure.

FAC.00380	Matthew Lincoln Davis
FAC.00389	Matthew Lincoln Davis
FAC.00383	Matthew Lincoln Davis
FAC.00379	Matthew Lincoln Davis
FAC.00381	Matthew Lincoln Davis
FAC.00376	Paige David
FAC.00378	WVP of Ohio LLC
FAC.00387	Matthew Lincoln Davis
FAC.00388	Matthew Lincoln Davis
FAC.00386	Matthew Lincoln Davis
FAC.00390	Matthew Lincoln Davis
FAC.00385	Matthew Lincoln Davis
FAC.00391	Matthew Lincoln Davis
FAC.00392	Matthew Lincoln Davis
FAC.00377	Paige David
FAC.00375	WVP of Ohio LLC
FAC.00382	Matthew Lincoln Davis
FAC.00384	Matthew Lincoln Davis
LIM.50447	Yea Ji Jeong
LIM.50448	Myriah Albrecht
PROV.00059	Taylor Swope
PROV.00058	Jessica Lynnea Nelson-Masiker

PROV.00057	Mareyuna Qing Lukasak
PROV.00056	Emily Nicole Blakey
PROV.00060	Julia N Franquesa-Guivernau
PROV.00053	Mackenzie Holmes
RVT.09673	Jennifer Michelle Morse
RVT.09679	Bristynn Graman
RVT.09677	Megan Lynn McGrath
RVT.09671	Raegan Nicole Conrad
RVT.09672	Laura Ciardiello
RVT.09675	Mya Soren Trammell
RVT.09674	Ariel Christina Horn
RVT.09682	Taylor Lanae Adams
RVT.09680	Sophie Grace Evans
RVT.09681	Elizabeth Retcher
RVT.09676	Victoria Audrianna Cromwell
RVT.09678	Sara Tentler
VET.203095	Emily Ann Eppler
VET.203109	Audrey Restle
VET.203096	Julia Joan Martini
VET.203107	Katharine Billmaier
VET.203103	Tracy Anne Parker
VET.203100	Jessie Leigh Parsons
VET.203094	Sydney O'Neill
VET.203111	Julia Lauren Lister
VET.203106	Brittany Anne Parsons
VET.203093	Megan Marie Stuart
VET.203108	Emily Ellen Huebner
VET.203097.MIL	Mary Allison George
VET.203105	Holly Linn McCown
VET.203101	Sarah Tabin
VET.203110	Samantha Joy Minard
VET.203099	Kalie Renee Marshall Gilbert
VET.203098	Olivia Price
VET.203102	Jessica Williams
VET.203104	Yair Polster

Dr. O'Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O'Connor– aye.

13. Renewals – Veterinarians: None

14. Correspondence Received:

- A. Amy Marbaugh – The Board acknowledged the correspondence received.
- B. Robert & Josephine Joseph - The Board acknowledged the correspondence received.

15. Consideration Of:

- A. Medical Records –
 - 1. 22-22-006, Rodney Tienarend, DVM – Dr. O’Connor found the records acceptable. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.
 - 2. 22-22-079, Steve Huff, DVM – Dr. Pendleton found the records acceptable. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.
- B. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing – The Board Acknowledges the following:
 - 1. 23-23-024, Amity Wise, DVM
 - 2. 23-23-024, Amanda Lydic, DVM
 - 3. 23-23-035, Sarah Winget, RVT
 - 4. 23-23-076, Lori Hunt, DVM
- C. Hearing Scheduling Letters – The Board Acknowledges the following:
 - 1. 23-23-053, Zeke Zekoff, DVM

16. New Complaints:

- A. 23-24-104, Complainant Jessica Lunsford – Dr. O’Connor moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Pendleton seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.
- B. 23-24-105, Complainant Nichole Bachar – Dr. Pendleton moved to find no jurisdiction of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. O’Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.
- C. 23-24-114, Complainant Cathy Bellmore – Dr. Pendleton moved to find no jurisdiction of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. O’Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.
- D. 23-24-119, Complainant Sharon Lacourse, RVT – Dr. Pendleton moved to send the case to investigation. Dr. O’Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.

- E. 23-24-127, Complainant Anonymous – Dr. O’Connor moved to send the case to investigation. Dr. Pendleton seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.
- F. 23-24-129, Complainant ODA – Dr. Pendleton moved to find no jurisdiction of Chapter 4741 ORC and to send an advisory letter. Dr. O’Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.

17. Complaint Responses Received:

- A. 23-23-075, Complainant Jermaine Jackson – Dr. Pendleton moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. O’Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.
- B. 23-23-078, Complainant Shondra Gipson/FDA – Dr. Pendleton moved to find no jurisdiction of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. O’Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.
- C. 23-23-079, Complainant Kadonna Moegan – Dr. O’Connor moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC and to send an advisory letter. Dr. Pendleton seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.
- D. 23-23-080, Complainant Seth Christensen - Dr. Pendleton moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC and to send an advisory letter. Dr. O’Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.
- E. 23-23-083, Complainant Theresa Vanderburg-Watts - Dr. Pendleton moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. O’Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.
- F. 23-23-085, Complainant Julie Smith - Dr. O’Connor moved to send an advisory letter. Dr. Pendleton seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.
- G. 23-23-086, Complainant Karen Romine - Dr. O’Connor moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Pendleton seconded the motion. The motion passed by the

following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.

- H. 23-23-087, Complainant JoAnn Schreiber - Dr. O’Connor moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC for the initial veterinary facility and to send an advisory letter to the second veterinary facility. Dr. Pendleton seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.
- I. 23-23-090, Complainant Montana Powell - Dr. O’Connor moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Pendleton seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.
- J. 23-23-091, Complainant Carl & Joanne Byron – The case was tabled due to lack of quorum.
- K. 23-23-092, Complainant Steve Librandi - Dr. Pendleton moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. O’Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.
- L. 23-24-108, Complainant Terry Sprague - Dr. O’Connor moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC and to send an advisory letter. Dr. Pendleton seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.

18. Compliance Inspections: None

19. Request for Reconsideration: None

20. Tabled Cases: None

[Break 9:47 – 10:00a.m.]

21. Assistant Attorney General Report:

At 10:06 a.m., Dr. Pendleton made a motion to enter into executive session in accordance with ORC 121.22(G)(3) to discuss pending legal matters. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.

Dr. O’Connor announces that the meeting is back in public session at 10:30 a.m.

- A. 22-23-111, Rajesh Sangwan, DVM – Dr. Kolb moved to ratify the settlement agreement as written. Dr. Pendleton seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll

call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.

22. Investigative Reports: None

23. Continuing Education Approval Requests:

Ms. Jones moved to approve the following CE with changes.

- A. Cleveland Academy of Veterinary Medicine – Endocrinology – Diabetes & Adrenal Glad Disease = Hour for Hour
- B. Zoetis PetCare – Tick Identification Wet lab and Presentation = 1.5 hours
- C. The Ohio Regional Tick Symposium 2023 = Hour for Hour
- D. Miami Valley Veterinary Medical Association – Thoracic Radiology = 2 hours
- E. Care Center – Surviving Sepsis = 1 hour
- F. Ethicon Endo Surgery – Anesthesia for thoracic surgery with focus on single lung intubation = 1 hour
- G. MedVet – DRUM line & IO Catheter Clinical skills Lab = 1 hour
- H. Cincinnati Children’s Hospital – Veterinary Services All Staff Meeting = 1 hour

Dr. O’Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton - aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones – aye, Dr. O’Connor– aye.

24. Euthanasia/Chemical Capture Courses: None

25. Old Business: None

26. New Business: None

27. Adjournment: The Board adjourned at 10:30 a.m.

28. Next Board Meeting:

Dr. O’Connor acknowledged that the next Board meeting is scheduled for September 13, 2023, beginning at 8:30 a.m.

Dr. O'Connor, President

Date

Attested to by:

Theresa Stir, Esq.
Executive Director