



# The Ohio Veterinary Medical Licensing Board

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



## MEETING MINUTES April 9, 2014

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### 1. Call to Order:

After the Public Hearing on Proposed Rules, Dr. Cynthia Kidd, President of the Ohio Veterinary Medical Licensing Board called the April 9, 2014 meeting to order at 8:53 a.m. in Room 1914, located at 77 South High Street, 19th Floor, Columbus, Ohio.

### 2. Roll Call:

Mr. John Brandt	present
Dr. Rebecca Salinger, DVM	present
Dr. Roger Redman, DVM	present
Ms. Renee Jessen, RVT	present
Dr. Timothy Kolb, DVM	present

### 3. Acknowledge Staff, AAG & Guests:

Dr. Kidd acknowledged the attendance of Barry McKew, Assistant Attorney General, Theresa Stir, Executive Director, Joseph McClain, Licensure Coordinator taking board minutes and other guests in attendance.

**4. March Minutes:** Ms. Jessen moved to approve the March 12, 2014 board minutes as submitted. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.

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

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

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

**8. OVMA Liaison:** None

### 9. Executive Director Report:

- A. Directives – Ms. Stir reported that the March 2014 board meeting directives have been completed.
- B. Fiscal Reports – Ms. Stir provided the Quarter 3 fiscal reports for FY14. Ms. Stir reported that the Auditor has completed their initial review of the Board and a final report will be provided to the Board members via email after the audit is completed at fiscal year-end.
- C. Rules – Ms. Stir informed the Board that if there were no changes to the proposed rules as a result of the public rules hearing, the next step is a hearing before JCARR. If JCARR approves, the rules will come back to the board members to authorize final filing of the rules. If all goes accordingly, the rules could be effective July 15, 2014. The next set of rules for 2015 five year review will be on the Agenda after July so as not to confuse the different set of rules. The Board members did not make any revisions to the proposed rules after the Public Rules Hearing.
- D. E-Licensing – The Board had approximately 52% of veterinarians renew online this year. It is anticipated that with the new e-licensing system, that ALL veterinary renewals will have to occur online including all initial application transactions. It is unknown when the OVMLB will be transitioned into the new system as there are continual delays.
- E. MBE/Edge – The Board is currently on track to meet the 15% requirement for MBE by the end of April. The FY15 MBE/EDGE plan has been submitted with the projected set-aside percentage of 36.01%.
- F. OSU Presentation – Ms. Stir reported that she presented to 3<sup>rd</sup> year veterinary students at the OSUVMC and found the experience valuable.

**10. FYI:** The Board acknowledges the following:

- A. NBVME National Board Report

**11. Requests for Licensure:**

- A. Veterinarians (addendum 1) – Ms. Jessen moved to approve the following requests for veterinarian licenses:

Allison Shepherd, DVM; Laxminarayana Devireddy, DVM; Margaret Lech, DVM; Molly Jackson, DVM; Carina Vitullo, DVM; Walter Bowen, DVM; Jennifer Nollman, DVM; Rachel Bowlus-Carson, DVM; Laura Kozminski-Vanderhart, DVM; Carly Czuba, DVM; Daniel Vanderhart, DVM.

Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.

- B. Registered Veterinary Technicians (addendum 2) – Ms. Jessen moved to approve the following requests for registered veterinary technician licenses:

Rachel Napier, RVT; Amanda Corbin, RVT; Brooke Zimmer, RVT; Kathleen O'Hara-Pirrmann, RVT; James Herlan, RVT; Christene Bailey, RVT; Emily Szeremeta, RVT; Connie Clawson, RVT; Rebecca McDonald, RVT; Jessica Abt, RVT; Elaina Beverwyk, RVT; Brittany Cutlip, RVT; Kathleen Owen, RVT; Kamilah Rounds, RVT; Joseph Caporaletti, RVT; Hannah Kosco, RVT; Megan McCorkle, RVT.

Mr. Brandt seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.

## **12. Renewals – Veterinarians:**

- A. DVM seeking renewal with disciplinary action in another state. Dr. Kolb moved to approve the renewal. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.

## **13. Correspondence Received:**

- A. Transfer of Medical Record inquiry by Dr. Sherrie Ridenour. After discussion, the Board members determined that due to variables, there are circumstances where medical records might be needed for boarding and grooming and, therefore, should be provided.

## **14. Consideration Of:**

### **A. Medical Records**

1. File#12-12-025, Richard Vago, DVM – Ms. Jessen moved to find the medical records unacceptable. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.
2. File#13-13-013, Eric Eisenberg, DVM - Dr. Redman moved to find the medical records acceptable. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.
3. File#13-13-030, Barry Richardson, DVM - Dr. Kolb moved to find the medical records acceptable. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.
4. File#13-13-030, A.F. Allen, DVM - Dr. Kolb moved to find the medical records acceptable. Dr. Salinger seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.
5. File#13-13-041, William Clark, DVM - Dr. Kolb moved to find the medical records acceptable. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll

call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.

6. File#13-13-070, Earl Neltner, DVM - Dr. Redman moved to find the medical records acceptable. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.

B. The Board acknowledged the following Hearing Scheduling Letter

1. 13-14-107, Tara Beery, DVM
2. 13-14-138, Jerry Burroughs, DVM

C. The Board acknowledged the following Notices of Opportunity for a Hearing

1. 13-14-138, Abdelrahman Albakousy, DVM
2. 13-14-138, Jerry Burroughs, DVM
3. 13-14-143, Kenneth Brush, DVM
4. 14-14-002, Norman Tulodziecki, DVM

**[Break 9:23am – 9:36am]**

#### **15. New Complaints:**

- A. 14-14-027, complainant Paul Vorisek – Mr. Brandt moved to find no jurisdiction in the matter. Dr. Salinger seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.
- B. 14-14-032, complainant Augie Katona - Ms. Jessen moved to table the case. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.
- C. 14-14-033, complainant Anonymous - Dr. Kolb moved to send an advisory letter. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.
- D. 14-14-034, complainant Anonymous – Ms. Jessen moved to send the case to investigation. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.

#### **16. Complaint Responses Received:**

- A. 14-14-015, complainant Janet Kearney – Dr. Salinger moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.

- B. 14-14-016, complainant Desiree Angeli – Dr. Salinger moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.
- C. 14-14-023, complainant Michelle Maddon – Ms. Jessen moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC with a letter to the complainant regarding RVTs. Dr. Salinger seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.
- D. 14-14-024, complainant Richard Latchaw – Dr. Redman moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.
- E. 14-14-025, complainant Mr. Benedict - Ms. Jessen moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Salinger seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.
- F. 14-14-026, complainant Dennis Flaws – Dr. Redman moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Salinger seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.
- G. 14-14-029, complainant Anonymous – Dr. Kolb moved to issue a Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing for violation of 4741 ORC. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.
- H. 14-14-030, complainant Tina Drumm – Dr. Salinger moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.
- I. 14-14-031, complainant Jackie Hudgens – Ms. Jessen moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Salinger seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.

**17. Compliance Inspections: None**

**18. Request for Reconsideration:**

14-14-008, Charles Huges – Dr. Redman moved that there was no evidence to warrant overturning their previous decision. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the

following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye

**19. Tabled Cases:** None

**20. Assistant Attorney General Report :**

At 10:12 a.m., Dr. Redman made a motion to enter executive session in accordance with ORC 121.22(G) to discuss pending legal matters involving current and pending court cases. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.

Dr. Kidd announces that the meeting is back in public session at 10:26 a.m.

- A. 13-14-121, Lisa Mokos, DVM – Dr. Salinger moved to accept the settlement agreement. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.
- B. 13-14-138, Jerry Burroughs, DVM – Dr. Salinger moved to accept the settlement agreement. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kolb - aye.

**21. Investigative Reports:** None

**22. Continuing Education Approval Requests – Veterinarians**

Ms. Jessen moved to accept the following continuing education as written:

- A. Clinical Pathologic Conference-Tick Bourne Disease, 03/12/2014 = 1 hour
- B. MedVet Medical and Cancer Centers for Pets-
  - 1. Tumor Rounds, every Thursday in 2014 = 1 hour
  - 2. Grand Rounds-How to Get More out of MedVet PACS, 01/08/2014=1 hour
  - 3. Grand Rounds-Mandibular & Maxillofacial Fractures, 01/22/2014 = 0.5 hour
  - 4. Grand Rounds-Feline Rehabilitation at MedVet, 01/22/2014 = 0.5 hour
  - 5. Cardiology Seminar, 02/02/2014 = 4 hours
  - 6. Grand Rounds-Leptospirosis: An Overview, 02/12/2014 = 1 hour
- C. Land O'Lakes/Mercer Landmark-Calf and Heifer Health and Nutrition, 03/20/2014=3 Hours
- D. Land O'Lakes/Town & Country Coop-Calf and Heifer Health and Nutrition,

03/19/2014 = 3 hours

E. VCA Great Lakes Veterinary Specialists-Morning Rounds with the Specialists,  
03/19/2014 = 1 hour

F. Butler and Warren Counties Veterinary Medical Association-Arrhythmias,  
03/11/2014 = 1 hour

Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen- aye, Dr. Kolb – aye.

### **23. Continuing Education Approval Requests – Registered Veterinary Technicians:**

Ms. Jessen moved to accept the following continuing education as written:

A. Merial Ltd-Fleas and Ticks: A Year Round Threat, 03/11,12,13/2014 = 1 hour

B. MedVet Medical and Cancer Centers for Pets-

1. Central Ohio Veterinary Technician Lecture Series-
  - a. Cardiology: ECG Interpretations and Arrhythmias, 01/15/2014=1 hour
  - b. Surgery: Common Orthopedic Surgeries and Post Op Care, 03/19/2014 = 1 hour
  - c. Oncology: Osteosarcoma, 05/21/2014 = 1 hour
2. Veterinary Technician Training-Urinalysis and Blood Smear Evaluation,  
01/28/2014 = 1 hour
3. Nursing Initiative-Diabetes and IV Fluid Therapy, 02/13/2014 = 1 hour
4. Southern Ohio Veterinary Technician Lecture Series-
  - a. Cardiology: ECG Interpretation and Arrhythmias, 02/20/2014 = 1.5 hours
  - b. A Review of Epilepsy and Anticonvulsant Therapy, 04/16/2014=1 hour
  - c. Technical Tips for the Ocular Examination, 06/18/2014 = 2 hours

Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen- aye, Dr. Kolb – aye.

### **25. Continuing Education Approval Requests – Vets & RVT's:**

Ms. Jessen moved to accept the following continuing education with changes:

A. CVC Washington DC Convention, 05/8-12/2014 = hour for hour

B. Wright State University Boonshoft School of Medicine, Public Health Grand Rounds-  
One Health, 03/21/2014 = 4.25 hours

C. Metropolitan Veterinary Hospital-

1. Juvenile Orthopedic Disease, 02/25/2014 = 1 hour
2. Head and Neck Surgery, 03/04/2014 = 1 hour
3. Diabetes Mellitus, 03/11/2014 = 1 hour
4. Dystocia, 03/18/2014 = 1 hour

- 5. Canine Elbow Dysplasia, 03/20/2014 = 1 hour
- D. Zoetis-How will You Differentiate Your Practice in 2014, 03/11/2014 = 1.5 hours **Non-Scientific only**
- E. MedVet Medical & Cancer Centers for Pets-
  - 1. Grand Rounds-Canine Histiocytic Disease, 01/08/2014 = 1 hour
  - 2. Cancer Center Seminar, 01/19/2014 = 4 hours
  - 3. Outreach CE-CPR Basic Life Support Review, 02/18/2014 = 1 hour
  - 4. Outreach CE-Cardiac Rhythm Assessment and Management 1: ECG Review, 03/11/2014 = 1 hour
  - 5. Pain Management Seminar, 03/16/2014 = 3 hours
  - 6. Internal Medicine and Cardiology Seminar, 03/23/2014 = 4 hours
  - 7. Avian and Exotics Seminar-Gastrointestinal Disorders of Pet Rabbits, 04/06/2014=3 hours
- F. VCA Great Lakes Veterinary Specialists-Dinner with the Doctors, 04/02/2014 = 2 Hours
- G. Cuyahoga Community College Veterinary Technology Program-Critical Care for Vet Techs: Fluid Therapy, CPR, and Toxicology, 04/06/2014 = 5 hours
- H. Central Ohio Veterinary Medical Association-Tissue Sampling, Fixing and Where to Biopsy, 03/18/2014 = 3 hours

Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Dr. Redman – aye, Ms. Jessen- aye, Dr. Kolb – aye.

**26. Euthanasia Course:** None

**27. Old Business:** None

**28. New Business** None

**29. Adjournment:** The Board adjourned at 10:30 a.m.

**30. Next Board Meeting:**

Dr. Kidd acknowledged that the next Board meeting is scheduled for May 13, 2014, 8:30 a.m. in room 1918, located at 77 South High Street, 19th Floor, Columbus, Ohio.

  
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 Dr. Cynthia Kidd, President

  
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Attested to by:

  
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Theresa Stir, Esq.  
Executive Director



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## SIGN-IN SHEET

Board Meeting – April 8, 2014

Theresa Stir	Board Staff
John A. Brandt	member
Jack Advent	OVMA
A. Frustaci	OCHAR
W. Paterson	ICARR
John Jgo	Graft & McGrover
John Cunn	Pilber
pe MEE	Board Staff
Bany McNew	AG
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Roger Oldman	Bd Member
Renee Jessen	Bd member
T. KLB	Board Member
Cindy Kidd	Board Member