



# The Ohio Veterinary Medical Licensing Board

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



## MEETING MINUTES January 11, 2023

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### 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 January 11, 2023 meeting to order at 08:36 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	present
Ms. Susan Pohler, JD	present
Dr. Scott Pendleton	present

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

Dr. Riker-Brown acknowledged the attendance of Theresa Stir, Executive Director, Caroline Mills, Assistant Attorney General, Joseph McClain, Licensure Coordinator, and guests in attendance.

4. **Meeting Minutes:** Dr. Pendleton moved to approve the November 9, 2022 board minutes as written. Dr. Riker-Brown seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – abstain, Dr. Pendleton – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones -aye, Dr. Riker-Brown– aye.

Dr. Riker-Brown moved to approve the December 14, 2022 board minutes as written. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Ms. Pohler – aye, Dr. Pendleton – abstain, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jones -abstain, Dr. Riker-Brown– aye Dr. O'Connor - aye.

### 5. President's Report: None

6. **Vice President's Report:** Dr. Riker Brown informed board members that she and Dr. Kolb, will be presenting at the OVMA Midwest Veterinary Conference the day after the February board meeting.

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

**8. OVMA Liaison:** Jack Advent director of the OVMA spoke about the upcoming OVMA Midwest Veterinary Conference.

**9. OAVT Liaison:** None

**10. Executive Director Report:**

- A. Directives – Ms. Stir reported that the December meeting Directives have been completed.
- B. Fiscal – Ms. Stir provided quarter 2 FY23 reports to the Board. Ms. Stir also provided information on the loss of revenue due to HB 509 and how it will impact the Board in the long term.
- C. Rules – Due to the timing of the release of the enacted legislation (HB 509 and SB 131), the modifications to the rules will be delayed. The safe haven rule (Rule 4741-1-25 OAC) and Business Impact Analysis are completed and will be filed with the Lt. Governor's Common Sense Initiative office and posted on the board website.

**11. FYI:** None

**12. Requests for Licensure:**

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

LIM.50408	Holly Lynne Borghese
PROV.00048	Grant N Price
RVT.09570	Erin Elizabeth Smith
RVT.09569	Ashlee Brennan
RVT.09582	Shelby Stewart
RVT.09574	Megan Nichole Jones
RVT.09575	Rachel Stone
RVT.09571	Sabrina Renee Schipper
RVT.09583	Mariah Kelsey Hickey
RVT.09589	Amanda Nicole Bryan
RVT.09567	Katie Jo Martin
RVT.09572	Kira Ashley Grayson
RVT.09587	Madison Paige Boatfield
RVT.09586	Patricia Rallo Millman
RVT.09573	Cynthia Kay Laboe
RVT.09581	Kathleen Marie Freeman
RVT.09577	Holly McGuire
RVT.09578	Peter James Wilt
RVT.09580	Nycole Dawn Phillips

RVT.09568	Ashli Nicole Dutridge
RVT.09579	Amanda Smith
RVT.09585	Cresenta Gutierrez
RVT.09576	Melissa a Bailey
RVT.09584	Claire Wilson
RVT.09588	Cassandra Ann Zelenskaskas
Temp.01167	Jennifer Danielle Steinberg
VET.202887	Ellamarie Tess Sweeney
VET.202885	Madonna Morrison
VET.202878	Jamie Clanin
VET.202880	Allie Christina Poole
VET.202886	Miranda Rossi Williams
VET.202882	Hannah Christine Lewis
VET.202877	Mary Camp Egan
VET.202884	Kayleen E McLain
VET.202881	Nicola Steers
VET.202883	Robert Brian Martin
VET.202879	Jag Jeevan R Patlola

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. Riker-Brown – aye.

B. Addendum 2 – DVM with previous disciplinary action in another state. Dr. Riker-Brown moved to approve for licensure. 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. Riker-Brown – aye.

**13. Renewals – Veterinarians:** None

**14. Correspondence Received:** None

**15. Consideration Of:**

A. Medical Records –

1. 20-21-165, Wendy O’Desky-Reichel, DVM – Dr. Pendleton found the records minimally acceptable. Dr. Riker-Brown 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. Riker-Brown – aye.
2. 21-22-168, Jason Patchell, DVM – Dr. Riker-Brown found the records acceptable. 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. Riker-Brown – aye.

3. 21-22-181, Nathanael Hopkins, DVM – Dr. Riker-Brown found the records minimally acceptable. 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. Riker-Brown – aye.

B. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing – None

C. Hearing Scheduling Letters – None

**16. New Complaints:**

A. 22-23-204, Complainant Joshua Camp – Dr. Riker-Brown moved to find no jurisdiction of Chapter 4741 ORC. Ms. Jones 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. Riker-Brown – aye.

B. 22-23-205A, Complainant Brittany Koller – Dr. Pendleton moved to find no jurisdiction of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Riker-Brown 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. Riker-Brown – aye.

C. 22-23-211, Complainant Dr. Zylerberg – Dr. Riker-Brown 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. Riker-Brown – aye.

D. 22-23-215, Complainant Angela Mannion – Dr. Riker-Brown moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Ms. Jones 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. Riker-Brown – aye.

**17. Complaint Responses Received:**

A. 22-23-161, Complainant Amaya Young – Dr. Kolb moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC and to send an advisory letter. Dr. Riker-Brown 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. Riker-Brown – aye.

B. 22-23-165, Complainant Amberle Orth - Dr. Riker-Brown 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. Riker-Brown – aye.

C. 22-23-167, Complainant Alexander Adair – 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. Riker-Brown – aye.

- D. 22-23-182, Complainant Tammy Kohn – Dr. Pendleton moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Riker-Brown 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. Riker-Brown – aye.
- E. 22-23-184, Complainant Alissa Rubin - Dr. Riker-Brown 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. Riker-Brown – aye.
- F. 22-23-185, Complainant Valerie Davis – Dr. Pendleton moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Riker-Brown 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. Riker-Brown – aye.
- G. 22-23-187, Complainant Angelique Brough – Dr. Riker-Brown 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. Riker-Brown – aye.
- H. 22-23-190, Complainant John Featheringham – Dr. Pendleton moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC and to send an advisory letter. Dr. Riker-Brown 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. Riker-Brown – aye.
- I. 22-23-191, Complainant Cody Drake – 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. Riker-Brown – aye.
- J. 22-23-192, Complainant Kaitlin Virant - Dr. Pendleton moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC and to send an advisory letter. Dr. Riker-Brown 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. Riker-Brown – aye.
- K. 22-23-203, Complainant Candice Hamm– Dr. Pendleton moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Riker-Brown 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. Riker-Brown – aye.
- L. 22-23-206, Complainant Nadine Robertson – Dr. Pendleton moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Riker-Brown 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. Riker-Brown – aye.

**18. Compliance Inspections:** None

**19. Request for Reconsideration:** None

**20. Tabled Cases:** None

**21. Assistant Attorney General Report:**

At 9:32 a.m., Dr. O'Connor made a motion to enter into executive session in accordance with ORC 121.22(G)(3) to discuss pending legal matters. Ms. Jones 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. Riker-Brown – aye.

Dr. Riker-Brown announces that the meeting is back in public session at 9:45 a.m.

- A. 21-22-170, Carina Vitullo, DVM - Dr. Pendleton moved to ratify the settlement agreement as written. Ms. Pohler 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. Riker-Brown – aye.
- B. 22-22-067, Joseph Gainey, DVM - Dr. Pendleton moved to ratify the settlement agreement as written. Ms. Pohler 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. Riker-Brown – aye.

**22. Investigative Reports:**

- A. 22-23-159, Complainant Anonymous – The Board requested additional investigation.

**23. Continuing Education Approval Requests:**

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

- A. MedVet Akron –
  - a. Sedatives and Tranquilizers = 1 hour
  - b. Anesthetic Monitoring – Live Session = 1 hour
  - c. Urethral Obstructions – Live Session (11/17/22) = 1 hour
  - d. Urethral Obstructions – Live Session (11//22) = 1 hour
- B. MedVet California –
  - a. Shock Pathophysiology – Live Session (11/9/22) = 1 hour
  - b. Shock Pathophysiology – Live Session (11/10/22) = 1 hour
  - c. Anesthesia Pharmacology - Live Session = 1 hour
  - d. Capnography - Live Session = 1 hour
  - e. Arterial Blood Gas Interpretation (11/17/22) = 1 hour
  - f. Arterial Blood Gas Interpretation (11/22/22) = 1 hour

- C. Cincinnati Veterinary Technicians Association –
  - a. Rehab for the ICU Patient/How Do You Know When a Patient Needs Rehab = 2 hours
  - b. When will Fluffy Stop Scratching? The Veterinary Technicians Guide to Answering Allergy Questions = 2 hours
  - c. Heartworm Disease: A Brief Overview and Recent Advancements = 2 hours
  - d. The Double-Edged Sword of Workplace Communication/It Starts with You Building Resilience through Self-Care = 2 hours **Non-Medical**
- D. Ohio Dairy Veterinarians – Farm Financial Consulting and Transition Planning (Jan 5-7, 2023) = **Hour for Hour**
- E. Midwestern Veterinary Dentistry and Consulting –
  - a. Surgical Extractions (Lecture) = 2 hours
  - b. Immersive Weekend – This is a combo of Lectures and Labs that cover all aspects of Dentistry for DVM's and Technicians from Anesthesia to Cleaning/Rads/Interpretation/Treatment = **Hour for Hour**
  - c. Dental Radiology (Lab) = **Hour for Hour**
  - d. Simple and Surgical Extractions (Lab) = **Hour for Hour**
  - e. Dental Equipment: The Good, the Bad, The Ugly = 1.5 hours
  - f. Dental and Oral Pathology = 2 hours
  - g. Dental Radiology: Positioning & Interpretation (Lecture) = 2 hours
  - h. Veterinary Dentistry: Basic = 2 hours
  - i. Veterinary Dentistry: Intermediate = 2 hours
  - j. Veterinary Dentistry: Advanced = 2 hours
  - k. Feline Dentistry (Lecture) = 2 hours
  - l. Anesthesia for the Dental Patient (Lecture) = 2 hours
  - m. Oral Hygiene Procedure: How to Clean, Probe & Chart = 1.5 hours
  - n. Oral Anatomy and Nerve Blocks = 1 hour
  - o. Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner with a Dentist = 1 hour
  - p. Dentistry for Technicians = 2 hours
  - q. Canine and Feline Interactive Dentistry = 2 hours
  - r. Feline Dentistry (Lab) = **Hour for Hour**
  - s. Nerve Blocks and Oral Anatomy (Lab) = 2 hours
  - t. Anesthesia Monitoring, Math and Protocols (Lab) = **Hour for Hour**
  - u. Oral Hygiene Procedure: Start to Finish (Lab) = **Hour for Hour**
- F. Veterinary Dentistry and Oral Surgery of Ohio
  - a. Oral Tumors = 1 hour
  - b. Dental Radiograph Interpretation = 1 hour
  - c. Pediatric Dentistry = 1 hour
  - d. Feline Dentistry = 1 hour
- G. IDEXX – Feline Retroviruses = 1 hour
- H. Charles River Laboratories –
  - a. Environmental Health & Safety Laboratory Specific Annual Training –
    - i. Lab specific topics: 7 individual sessions = **Hour for Hour**
    - ii. Core EH&S topics: 9 individual sessions = **Hour for Hour**

- b. Targeted Selections: The Art of Science of Behavioral Interviewing (10/25/22) = **Hour for Hour**
- c. Targeted Selections: The Art of Science of Behavioral Interviewing (11/9/22) = **Hour for Hour**
- d. Tackling Bias and Creating Inclusion = **Hour for Hour**
- e. 2022 Annual Animal Welfare Training: Speaking About Animal Research = 1 hour
- f. DSA Midwest Virtual Leadership Development Program 2022 = 2 hours per module (hour for hour attended) **Non-Medical**
- g. Radiation Safety for In Vivo Laboratories 2022 = 30 min

Dr. Riker-Brown 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. Riker-Brown – aye.

**24. Euthanasia/Chemical Capture Courses:** None

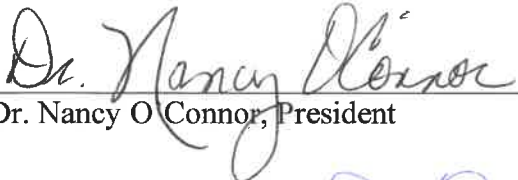
**25. Old Business:** None

**26. New Business:** None

**27. Adjournment:** The Board adjourned at 9:50 a.m.


**28. Next Board Meeting:**

Dr. O'Connor acknowledged that the next Board meeting is scheduled for February 15, 2023, beginning at 8:30 a.m.

  
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 Dr. Nancy O'Connor, President

2/15/23  
 Date

Attested to by:

  
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 Theresa Stir, Esq.  
 Executive Director



