



The Ohio Veterinary Medical Licensing Board

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



MEETING MINUTES September 14, 2016

1. Call to Order:

Dr. Riker-Brown, Vice President of the Ohio Veterinary Medical Licensing Board called the September 14, 2016 meeting to order at 8:35 a.m. in Room 1914, located at 77 South High Street, 19th Floor, Columbus, Ohio.

2. Roll Call:

Dr. Timothy Kolb, DVM	present
Mr. Richard Heston	present
Dr. Roger Redman, DVM	absent
Dr. Nancy O' Connor, DVM	present
Ms. Dianne Jones, RVT	absent
Dr. Kimberly Riker-Brown, DVM	present
Dr. Cynthia Kidd, DVM	arrived 9:28 a.m.

3. Acknowledge Staff, AAG & Guests:

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

4. **August Minutes:** Dr. Riker-Brown moved to approve the August 10, 2016 board minutes. Dr. O'Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O'Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown - 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 – The August 2016 board meeting directives have been completed, except for issuing the Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing. There were several veterinarians involved in the care of the animal in that particular case and an investigation was required.
- B. Budget Update –The Budget request for FY18 & 19 has been submitted.
- C. CE Rule – An initial draft of Rule 4741-1-11 OAC was provided along with copies of other State Veterinary Medical Board rules related to continuing education. Discussion of the Rule was tabled until the October board meeting to allow OVMA to have input.
- D. 2017 Board Meeting Dates – The Board set the board meeting dates for the second Wednesday of every month except for February (no meeting) and September when the meeting will be held September 6, 2017 due to the AAVSB conference.
- E. Evaluation – The annual evaluation form and goals were distributed to the board members. Board members are to submit their form and comments to the Vice President or President prior to the October board meeting.
- F. Board Appointments – Two board members’ terms expire in December, 2016. Dr. Riker-Brown is eligible for reappointment. Dr. Redman is not. The Board members would like to send a letter of support to the Governor for the re-appointment of Dr. Riker-Brown. The Board directed Ms. Stir to inform the Governor’s office of the need for an appointment at the end of the year.
- G. OPHP – Ms. Stir provided a summary of her meeting with Kelly Long, Executive Director and Dr. Golberg, Medical Director of the Ohio Physician’s Health Plan.
- H. Veterinary Business Facility License – The need for an Ohio veterinary license was discussed when deciding the requirement for a Veterinary Business Facility License in accordance with 4741.28 ORC and 4741.01 ORC.

10. FYI: The Board acknowledged the following:

- A. NBVME National Board Report

11. Requests for Licensure:

- A. Veterinarians (addendum 1) – Dr. Riker-Brown moved to approve the following requests for veterinarian licenses:

Robin	Jordan
Lauren	Fischer
Teresa	Schumacher
Jessica	Gould

Darsha	Arnold
Ryan	O'Neil
Emily	Wood
Leah	Miller
Mark	Ferris
Angela	Greenwell
Allison	Hagley
Kimberly	Selting TEMP PERMIT
Kelsey	Ozuk
Vaughn	Taylor-Lehman
Lisa	Neuwirth
Melissa	DeLauter
Nicole	Eller
Kevin	Rowles
Kim	Hillers TEMP PERMIT
Noah	Grimes
Vincenzo	Franco
Shana	Gilbert-Gregory
Jenny	Schutte
Courtney	Brumbaugh

Dr. O'Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O'Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown - aye.

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

Dana	Fry
Rachel	Mills
Joseph	Sorensen
Brittany	Corder
Melissa	Breeden
Elizabeth	McPherson
Kimberly	Oleary
Dallas	Vestal
Jessica	Pistner
Sarah	Dawson
Michelle	Gingras
Kayci	Deakyne
Joel	Blair
Preston	Johnson
Julie	Kleopfer
Zachary	Paris
Dana	Stucke
Kylie	Rogers
Tirina	Miller

Payton	Tussing
Emily	Aleshire
Kayleigh	Skelnik
Megan	Lagatta
Mallory	Frazier
Jill	Combs
Lori-Ane	Slaggy
Melissa	West
Lori	Gross
McKenzie	Phipps
Erin	Van Ormer
Nicola	Boehm
Jennifer	Gero
Laura	Savchenko
Lakshmi	Mahalingam
Christina	Hess
Richelle	Yekel
Erica	McAdoo
Courtney	King
Mari	Purdum
Erika	Mitchell
Whitney	Rogers
Danielle	Williams
Leah	Yurichak
Mindy	Tehan
Brittany	Bukalski
Amanda	Kelly
Erin	Molitor
Samantha	Rice
Jamie-Rose	Vlasic
Megan	Hartwig
Ashley	Burlingham
Kaitlin	Lory
Jordan	Mocella
Bridgette	Szkalak
Katherine	Walsh
Christina	Benedict
Emily	Weidner
Alicia	Kimpel
Audriana	Loyd
Rachel	Chatfield
Courtney	Jennings
Maria	Burger
Christina	Kadas
Heidi	Snell
Michelle	Kleber
Jordan	Pfuehler

Robin	Cooper
Kelsey	Staton
Brittany	Meixner
Lauren	Krohn
Nicole	Tenan
Elise	Burdette
Genevieve	Connors
Stacy	Pierce
Kelly	Shuttleworth
Audrey	Kiefer
Taylor	Soice

Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown - aye.

- C. Business Facility Permit (addendum 3) – Dr. Riker-Brown moved to approve the following request for Business Facility Permit.

Total Veterinary Care
Jefferson County Humane Society

Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown - aye.

- D. Specialist Certificate (addendum 4) – Dr. Riker-Brown moved to approve the following request for Specialist Certificate.

Michael Kraun	American College of Veterinary Surgeons
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Mr. Heston seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown - aye.

- E. RVT seeking licensure (addendum 5) – Board moved to table for additional information.

12. Renewals –Veterinary: None

13. Correspondence Received: None

14. Consideration Of:

A. Medical Records

1. 14-15-091, Robert Kahan, DVM – Dr. Kolb moved to find the records minimally acceptable. Mr. Heston seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown - aye.

- B. The Board acknowledged the following Hearing Letters
 - 1. 16-16-002, Kenneth Nekic, DVM

15. New Complaints:

- A. 16-17-066, complainant Dawn Broomfield – Dr. Kolb left the room to abstain from all conversation at 9:29a.m. Dr. Riker-Brown moved to send an advisory letter. Mr. Heston seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – abstain, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown – aye, Dr. Kidd – aye.
- B. 16-17-071, complainant Susan Lattier – Dr. Riker-Brown moved to find no jurisdiction in the matter. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown – aye.
- C. 16-17-072, complainant Christopher Sheerer, DO - Dr. Riker-Brown moved to find no jurisdiction in the matter. Dr. O’Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown – aye.
- D. 16-17-074, complainant Mark Weilbacher - Dr. Riker-Brown moved to find no jurisdiction in the matter. Dr. O’Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown – aye.

16. Complaint Responses Received:

- A. 16-17-058, complainant Mary Gregory – Dr. O’Connor moved to find no violation of ORC 4741. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown - aye.
- B. 16-17-059, complainant Tiffanie Ledford – Dr. Riker-Brown moved to send an advisory letter. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown - aye.
- C. 16-17-060, complainant Traci Kogut – Dr. Riker-Brown moved to send the case to investigation. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown - aye.
- D. 16-17-061, complainant Elysa Evans - Dr. O’Connor moved to find no violation of ORC 4741. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown - aye.
- E. 16-17-062, complainant Marion Campbell – The Board moved to table the case for additional information.

- F. 16-17-063, complainant Lisa Piller - Dr. Kolb moved to find no violation of ORC 4741. Dr. Riker-Brown seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown – aye.
- G. 16-17-064 A&B, complainant Marian Wojtowicz- Dr. Riker-Brown moved to find no violation of ORC 4741. Dr. O’Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown – aye.
- H. 16-17-065, complainant Janet Wolf - Dr. O’Connor moved to find no violation of ORC 4741. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown – aye.
- I. 16-17-069, complainant Shelley Ferencz - Dr. O’Connor moved to find no violation of ORC 4741. Dr. Riker-Brown seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown – aye.
- J. 16-17-070, complainant Marybeth Bruening - Dr. O’Connor moved to find no violation of ORC 4741. Dr. Riker-Brown seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown - aye

17. Compliance Inspections:

- A. 2016-226 Follow up - Dr. Riker-Brown moved to find the response to the results of the compliance inspection acceptable. Dr. O’Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown – aye.
- B. 2016-227 Follow up - Dr. Riker-Brown moved to find the response to the results of the compliance inspection acceptable. Dr. O’Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown – aye.
- C. 2016-252 Follow up - Dr. Riker-Brown moved to find the response to the results of the compliance inspection acceptable. Dr. O’Connor seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown – aye.
- D. 2016-251 - Dr. Kolb left the room to abstain from all conversation at 9:30a.m. Dr. O’Connor moved to send a 30 day correction letter. Mr. Heston seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – abstain, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown – aye, Dr. Kidd - aye.

18. Request for Reconsideration:

- A. 16-16-041, complainant Sherri Williams – Dr. Riker-Brown moved to have the original decision stand as is. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown – aye.

19. Tabled Cases: None

20. Assistant Attorney General Report :

At 9:35 a.m., Dr. O’Connor made a motion to enter into executive session in accordance with ORC 121.22(G) to discuss pending legal matters involving current and pending court cases and investigations. Dr. Riker-Brown seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown – aye.

Dr. Kidd announces that the meeting is back in public session at 10:45 am.

21. Investigative Reports:

- A. 16-16-055, complainant Andrea Nafziger - Dr. Kolb moved to issue a notice of opportunity for hearing for violations of ORC 4741 to two veterinarians. Dr. Riker-Brown seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown – aye.

22. Continuing Education Approval Requests – Veterinarians

Dr. Riker-Brown moved to accept the following continuing education with changes:

A. Zoetis-

1. New Advancements in Veterinary Medicine, 07/20/2016 = 1 hour

B. Gabe Middleton, DVM/Orrville Veterinary Clinic-Laminitis Physiology, Diagnosis and Treatment, 09/03/2016 = **Hour for Hour**

C. Veterinary Internal Medicine-Clinical Pathologic Conference, 07/13/2016 = 1 hour

D. Nanric/Dr Redden-Equine Podiatry Course, 10/05-07/2016 = hour for hour

E. Cinti Veterinary Medical Association-All Ulcers Are Not Created Equal, 09/27/2016 = 2 hours

F. USDA APHIS Veterinary Services-Basic Radiologic Incident Awareness Training, 08/16-18/2016 = **Hour for Hour**

Dr. Kidd seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown – aye, Dr. Kidd – aye.

23. Continuing Education Approval Requests – Registered Veterinary Technicians: None

24. Continuing Education Approval Requests – Vets & RVT's:

Dr. Riker-Brown moved to accept the following continuing education with changes:

A. Zoetis-

1. A Bird's Eye Perspective of Bacterial Skin Disease, 8/2016 = 2 hours
2. We Can Do Better: New Approaches to Feline Pain, 03/08/2016 = 1 hour
3. Canine Infections Respiratory Disease-Beyond Kennel Cough, 03/09/2016 = 1 hour
4. Lyme Disease: Prevalence and Prevention, 03/23/2016 = 1 hour
5. Fleas and Tick Borne Diseases-Coming to a Dog Near You, 06/15/2016 = 2 hours
6. Low Down on Leptospirosis: an Emerging Disease, 06/16/2016 = 2 hours
7. Dermatology in Today's Practice, various dates in 2016 = 2 hours
8. 2016 Zoetis Dairy Wellness Summit, 08/04-05/2016 = **Hour for Hour**
9. Canine and Feline Sedation and Anesthesia, 08/17 & 18/2016 = 1.5 hours
10. Compassion Fatigue and Team Building Strategies, 09/08/2016 = 2 hours **Non-Scientific**
11. Tick Prevention Strategies: New Option Simparica, 08/13/2016 = 1.5 hours **Non-Scientific**

B. Zoetis/Midwest-Compassion Fatigue, 08/18 & 19/2016 = 2 hours **Non-Scientific**

C. Zoetis/Cleveland Academy of Veterinary Medicine-Healthy People, Healthy Practices, 09/07/2016 = **Hour for Hour Non-Scientific**

D. Cleveland Academy of Veterinary Medicine-

1. Endocrinology, 10/05/2016 = **Hour for Hour**
2. Feline Medicine, 11/09/2016 = **Hour for Hour**

E. Care Center-Acute Azotemia in Less Invasive Surgery and Ureteral Obstruction in Feline Patient, 08/16/2016 = 2 hours

F. Geib Funeral Homes-Pet Loss and Bereavement Care, 10/03/2016 = 1 hour **Non-Scientific**

G. Kenneth A Scott Charitable Trust/Ellie's Rainy Day Fund-The Human-Animal Bond, 10/05/2016 = **Hour for Hour Non-Scientific**

H. Metropolitan Veterinary Hospital-

1. Nursing Care More Than Just a TPR, 07/2016 = 1 hour
2. Tube Talk, 07/2016 = 1 hour

3. Is My Patient Painful, 07/2016 =1 hour
 4. Triage and Emergent Care for Dogs and Cats, 07/25/2016 = 1 hour
 5. Commonly Used Drugs, 07/2016 = 1 hour
 6. Your Dog Ate What?, 07/29/2016 = 1 hour
 7. Seizures, 08/02/2016 = 1 hour
 8. Fractures and Bandages, 08/08/2016 = 1 hour
 9. Exotics Discussion = 1 hour
 10. Pain Management = 1 hour
- I. The Animal Behavior Center-The Animal Behavior Center Training and Health Seminar, -10/07- 10/2016 = hour for hour
- J. Boehringer-Ingelheim Vetmedica-Canine Leptospirosis, 10/12/2016 = 1 hour

Dr. Kidd seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb – aye, Mr. Heston – aye, Dr. O’Connor – aye, Dr. Riker-Brown – aye, Dr. Kidd – aye.

25. Euthanasia Course: None

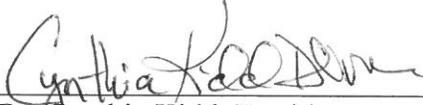
26. Old Business: None

27. New Business: None

28. Adjournment: The Board adjourned at 10:50 a.m.

29. Next Board Meeting:

Dr. Kidd acknowledged that the next Board meeting is scheduled for October 12, 2016, 8:30 a.m. in room 1914, located at 77 South High Street, 19th Floor, Columbus, Ohio.



 Dr. Cynthia Kidd, President

10/12/2016
 Date

Attested to by: 

 Theresa Stir, Esq.
 Executive Director

