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MICHIGAN BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

APRIL 5, 2022 MEETING

UNAPPROVED MINUTES

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Physical Therapy met on April 5, 2022, at 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper-Level Conference Room 4, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

CALL TO ORDER

Craig T. Miller, PT, Vice Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 1:33 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Craig T. Miller, PT, Vice Chairperson
Rajiv P. Amin, MPT
Nora Cascardo, PT, DPT, OMPT
Priti M. George, DSC, PT, OCS, COMT
Morgan Kennedy, PTA
Erica Sherman, PT
La'Nik M. St. Julien, Public Member

Members Absent: Jeffrey D. Clark, PT
Allison Ives, Public Member

Staff Present: Weston MacIntosh, JD, Departmental Specialist,
Boards and Committees Section
Jennifer Shaltry, Senior Analyst, Compliance Section
Katie Waskiewicz, Assistant Attorney General
Stephanie Wysack, Board Support Technician,
Boards and Committees Section

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION by Cascardo, seconded by Kennedy, to approve the agenda as presented.

A voice vote followed.

MOTION PREVAILED

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOTION by Sherman, seconded by St. Julien, to approve the October 5, 2021, minutes as presented.

A voice vote followed.

MOTION PREVAILED

Miller initiated introductions of Board members and Department staff.

Affiliated Monitors Presentation – Jim Anliot

James R. Anliot, Director of Healthcare Compliance Services, Affiliated Monitors, Inc. (AMI) gave an overview of the services that AMI supports for regulatory matters.

REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS

None

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Elections

MacIntosh ran the election for Chairperson.

MOTION by Kennedy, seconded by Sherman, to elect Miller as the Chairperson.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Amin, Cascardo, George, Kennedy, Sherman,
 St. Julien, Miller,
 Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

MacIntosh ran the election for Vice Chairperson.

MOTION by Cascardo, seconded by St. Julien, to elect Sherman as the Vice Chairperson.

Miller stated that the Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy (FSBPT) is a great resource to board members for training. He stated that the next new board member training will be held virtually in August 2022.

Miller stated that he will be attending the Leadership Issues Forum (LIF) July 23 – 24, 2022, and that Sherman is the alternate. He stated that he and Clark will be attending the 2022 Annual meeting October 27 – 29, 2022.

Department Update

MacIntosh stated that Amy Gumbrecht has been named the new Director of the Bureau of Professional Licensing.

MacIntosh stated that the Bureau will hold the next Board Member Training on August 15, 2022, via Zoom. All Board members are welcome to attend.

Wysack reminded the Board members to check their state email address regularly. She stated that Egress zones would change with committee assignments that were made at today's meeting.

Wysack explained the change to the parking process for future meetings.

Wysack asked the Board members to refer any PTAs or public individuals, who may be interested in serving on the board, to apply at www.michigan.gov/whitmer at the Appointments tab.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Jake Jakubiak Kovacek, from the American Physical Therapy Association – Michigan Chapter (APTA Michigan) stated that HB 4880, which added the mandatory reporting requirement, became Public Act 47 of 2022.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held July 19, 2022, at 1:30 p.m. at 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper-Level Conference Center Room 3, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by Sherman, seconded by Kennedy, to adjourn the meeting at 2:43 p.m.

A voice vote followed.

MOTION PREVAILED

Minutes approved by the Board on: _____.

Prepared by:
Stephanie Wysack, Board Support Technician
Bureau of Professional Licensing

April 6, 2022