

LIMITED LICENSE LEGAL TECHNICIAN (LLLT) BOARD

Meeting Minutes for February 7, 2022

Remote meeting only (held via Zoom)

1:00 p.m.

LLLT Board Members in Attendance:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Nancy Ivarinen, Chair | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Jennifer Ortega |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Margaret Bridewell | <input type="checkbox"/> Athan Papailiou |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sarah Bové | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Jennifer Bull, Vice Chair |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Christy Carpenter | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Judith Potter |
| <input type="checkbox"/> John Darling | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Thomi Manker |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Crystal Lambert | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amy Riedel |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Carolyn McKinnon (Ex Officio) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Nicole Searing |
| | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Deanna George |

Liaisons in Attendance

- Jon Burke, WSBA Staff Liaison
- Lauren Boyd, BOG Liaison

Other WSBA Staff in Attendance:

- Renata de Carvalho Garcia, Chief Regulatory Counsel
- Terra Nevitt, Executive Director

Others in Attendance During Some or All of the Meeting:

Steve Crossland, Nancy Hawkins, Jaymi Trimble, Karina Gomez-Silva, Leslie Diaz Perez, Chellie Anderson, Celeste Miller, Andren Moyer

PUBLIC SESSION

Call to Order / Preliminary Matters

The meeting was called to order at 1:05 p.m. by Chair Nancy Ivarinen.

Approval of Meeting Minutes

The Board approved the proposed minutes for the January 20, 2022 meeting.

Outreach and Press Update

Nancy Ivarinen discussed NY Times Article "They Need Legal Advice on Debts. Should it Have to Come From Lawyers," which discusses the need for consumer representation by non-lawyers relating to debt issues.



Update on Status of LLLT Exam

The WSBA liaison provided the status on the grading of the January 25-26, 2022 LLLT Exam.

Update on TAXICAB (Task Force Team Administering Xenial Involvement with Court Appointed Boards)

Steve Crossland, the TAXICAB Committee Chair, provided an update on the alternate proposal to the TAXICAB proposed memorandum regarding the interpretation of GR 12.3. Steve Crossland and other proponents of the alternate proposal are scheduled to meet discuss and the issues on February 8, 2022. The board discussed the implications of the TAXICAB proposals given the recent discussions by the Board of Governors on whether the WSBA will remain an integrated bar.

Family Law Practice Area Committee Update

Jennifer Ortega provided the status of the committee's development of a real property form for use by LLLTs. The committee anticipates that the new form will be submitted for comment and discussion at the March or April 2022 LLLT Board meetings.

1:30- 2:30 p.m. CLE on Guardianship Procedures

Nicole Searing presented a one-hour CLE on the new guardianship procedures.

Other Miscellaneous Matters.

Nancy Ivarinen discussed the issue of whether to seek an amendment to APR 28 to reduce the number of board members on the LLLT Board, given the Supreme Court's order sunseting the LLLT Program. The Nominations Committee will be reviewing these issues. The board will also consider amending APR 28 to add nonparental guardianships to replace the provisions authorizing LLLTs to provide services relating to nonparental custody because the statute authorizing nonparental custody has been repealed and replaced by guardianship statutes. The staff liaison will discuss budget and audit issues with Steve Crossland. The board will discuss whether the April 11, 2022 LLLT Meeting will be an in-person meeting at the March 14, 2022 LLLT meeting.

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 2:48 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Jon Burke, WSBA Staff Liaison to LLLT Board

