# Home Inspection Licensing Board Meeting Minutes

# March 18, 2025

# **BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT**

Lawrence R. Willette Chairman, Home Inspector

Marc A. Champagne Home Inspector
Timothy Needham Home Inspector
Bruce D. Schaefer Home Inspector

# **BOARD MEMBERS NOT PRESENT**

**BOARD VACANCIES** (1) Professional Member

(3) Public Members

## **DCP STAFF PRESENT**

Rachelle Hyburg, Board Coordinator

Janita Hamel, Supervising Special Investigator

John Mesner, Occupational Trades Manager, Investigations Division

## **PUBLIC PRESENT**

Melissa Cannata James Harriott

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## **CALL TO ORDER**

Chairman Willette called the meeting to order at 9:00 am.

## **REVIEW OF PREVIOUS MINUTES**

- December 17, 2024, Meeting Minutes
  - Board Member Schaefer made a motion to approve the minutes.
     Board Member Needham seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

#### COMMENTS OR CONCERNS OF ANY PERSON PRESENT

None

## **DCP INVESTIGATION DIVISION COMPLAINT STATUS REPORT**

- 11.01.24-12.31.24
  - O NEW: 0
  - O CLOSED: 5
- 01.01.25-02.28.25
  - O NEW: 0
  - O CLOSED: 1

## **DCP LEGAL DIVISION**

None

## **OLD BUSINESS**

- Correspondence tabled from the December meeting
  - James Harriott Housing Code Inspector inspections counting towards
     Home Inspector licensing requirements.
  - The Board discussed the work performed by Mr. Harriott as a Housing Code Inspector and how it relates to the home inspection requirements for Home Inspector licensing.
  - Board Member Schaefer moved to table this for further review. Board Member Needham seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

- Alternative Credit Request Justin Albano, HOI.0000646. Requesting 16 credits for How to Inspect the Exterior course through InterNACHI
  - Board Member Needham moved to deny alternative credit. Board Member Champagne seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

## **CORRESPONDENCE**

None

# **COMMENTS OR CONCERNS OF ANY PERSON PRESENT**

- Chairman Willette discussed a pending CE application
  - The course discusses court procedures but does not review current legislation, laws or regulations.
  - The rest of the board would like to review the application before commenting.
  - o This application will be reviewed at the next Home Inspector Board meeting.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Board Member Schaefer made a motion to adjourn. Board Member Champagne seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 10:00 am.

Respectfully Submitted,

Rachelle Hyburg Board Coordinator

**2025 SCHEDULED MEETINGS** 

June 17 September 16 December 16