

**MINNESOTA BOARD OF PEACE OFFICERS
STANDARDS AND TRAINING**

**BOARD MEETING
Post Board Office
Electronic Meeting via Microsoft Teams
September 30, 2021**

Members Present

Kelly McCarthy, Chair
Jay DeCoux
Andrew Evans
Jennifer Foster
Tanya Gladney
Luke Hennen
Justin Page
Nigel Perrote
Sara Rice
Liz Richards
Shelly Schaefer
Pilar Stier
Rebecca Swanson
Justin Terrell
Troy Wolberson
Jim Yang

Staff Present

Erik Misselt
Angie Rohow
Rebecca Gaspard
Andrew Burth
Michael Monsrud
Peggy Strand

Others Present

Invitation to listen to the live meeting was listed on the website.
Garrett Dietman

Counsel Present

David Cullen, A.G. Office
David Voigt, A.G. Office

Call to Order: Chair McCarthy called the meeting to order on 9/30/2021 at 10:00am.

Approval of the Agenda: Chair McCarthy looked for a motion to approve the agenda.

- **MOTION:** The agenda was approved via role call with a unanimous vote.

Approval of the July 22, 2021 Board Meeting Minutes: Chair McCarthy looked for a motion to approve the minutes.

- **MOTION:** Unanimous vote to approve the minutes. Ms. Swanson seconded the motion. The motion was then approved unanimously via roll call.

Review and approve proposed data collection parameters for allegations of misconduct database: Executive Director Misselt introduced work that has been ongoing for the database development and implementation of what data should be collected. He then requested Ms. Rohow to provide a demonstration of the new database. Ms. Rohow conducted an overview of the fields and provided the reasons why and how the analytics will be pulled through reporting once data is collected. Discussion and Q&A followed.

MOTION: Chair McCarthy made a motion to approve or ~~deny~~ the proposed data collection parameters. Mr. Terrell seconded the motion. All Board members voted unanimously for approval.

POST staff review and Continuing Education (CE) course approval to be limited to mandatory training topics only DISCUSSION: Executive Director Misselt provided an overview as to why the POST Board is requesting that CE approval be limited to mandatory curriculum only. He suggested the remaining non-required curriculum be approved by a 3rd party such as IADLEST so that there can be more focus on the mandatory curriculum. Discussion ensued.

Based upon the discussion, Chair McCarthy asked the executive director to bring this to the Training Committee to review.

Elimination of the Accredited Sponsor Program DISCUSSION: Executive Director Misselt said this item was discussed under item #6 and will be addressed with the Training Committee.

POST staff to pursue development of a standardized curriculum for skills portion of Professional Peace Officer Education (PPOE) DISCUSSION: This would be considered a different approach from what is already in place. Executive Director Misselt explained the need for consistent standards in PPOE education across the state. The training currently can be different depending upon which school the student attended. Director Misselt told the Board that he would discuss this issue extensively with stakeholders, including the PPOE Coordinators. The Board agreed further exploration should take place

Consider variance request for Garrett Dietman ACTION: Ms. Gaspard explained the difference between a mandatory variance and a discretionary variance. She discussed Mr. Dietman's credentials in this context for the Board. There was agreement within the Board that this request is a mandatory variance.

- **MOTION:** Chair McCarthy made a motion to recognize Garrett Dietman as an officer eligible for reciprocity. Chief Rice seconded the motion. The motion was approved on a unanimous vote.

Licensure Matters (closed to the public) Attachment(s) sent separately.

Meeting was adjourned to closed session at 1204pm.