# PUBLIC NOTICE OF A MEETING FOR STATE OF NEVADA BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINERS

DATE OF MEETING: Friday, January 12, 2024 Time: 8:00 a.m.

The meeting of the State of Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners (Board) will be conducted and may be attended through a remote technology system (video- or teleconference). To participate remotely, individuals are invited to enter the meeting from the Zoom website at <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89891030938">https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89891030938</a>. To access the meeting via audio only, dial 1-669-900-6833 and enter the meeting ID: **898 9103 0938.** (The Board office recommends that individuals unfamiliar with ZOOM should visit the website in advance to familiarize themselves with the format by viewing the online tutorials and reading the FAQs. To learn more about Zoom, go to <a href="https://zoom.us.lite.brows.new.lite.suit

The Board will accept public comment via email. Those wishing to make public comment should email their public comments to the Board office at <a href="mailto:nbop@govmail.state.nv.us">nbop@govmail.state.nv.us</a>. Written public comments must be received prior to the start of the meeting and will be forwarded to the Board for their consideration. Public comments will be included in the public record (meeting minutes) but will not necessarily be read aloud during the meeting. In compliance with Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) Chapter 241 (Open Meeting Law), the Board is precluded from taking action on items raised by public comment which are not already on the agenda.

The Board may take items out of order, combine items for consideration, and items may be pulled or removed from the agenda at any time. Public comment will be taken at the beginning and end of the meeting. The public may provide comment on any matter whether or not that matter is a specific topic on the agenda. However, prior to the commencement and conclusion of a contested case or quasi-judicial proceeding that may affect the due process rights of an individual, the Board may refuse to consider public comment on that item. (NRS 233B.126) Public comment that is willfully disruptive is prohibited, and individuals who willfully disrupt the meeting may be removed from the meeting. (NRS 241.030(5)(b)). The Board may convene in closed session to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person (NRS 241.030). Once all items on the agenda are completed, the meeting will adjourn.

# AGENDA

# 1. Call To Order/Roll Call to Determine the Presence of a Quorum.

**2. Public Comment.** Note: Public comment is welcomed by the Board and may be limited to three minutes per person at the discretion of the Board President. Public comment will be allowed at the beginning and end of the meeting, as noted on the agenda. The Board President may allow additional time to be given a speaker as time allows and in their sole discretion. Comments will not be restricted based on viewpoint. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken (NRS 241.020).

# 3. Minutes. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Approval of the Minutes of the Regular and Strategic Planning Meetings of the State of Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners on December 15, 2023.

# 4. Financials

- A. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the Treasurer's Report for Fiscal Year 2024 (July 1, 2023, through June 30, 2024).
- B. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve revisions to the Budget for Fiscal Year 2024 (July 1, 2023, through June 30, 2024).
- C. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve:
  - the creation of a full time Administrative Director role for the Board office and, if approved, revising the Board's Employment, Compensation, and Evaluation Policy, and
  - moving the Board office to Las Vegas, Nevada.

# 5. Legislative Update

A. (For Possible Action) Report, Discussion and Possible Action on Legislative Activities, including the work of Interim Committees, of the Nevada Legislature, the Legislative Counsel Bureau, and any position or action the Board may take on or in response to Bills that have been signed into Law, Legislative Bills, and Bill Draft Requests that the Board is tracking, following, or that may impact the Board and its Operations.

# 6. Board Needs and Operations

- A. Report from the Nevada Psychological Association.
- B. Report From the Executive Director on Board Office Operations.

### 7. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on Pending Consumer Complaints:

A. Complaint #19-0626

(For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to approve allowing the pleadings to be amended pursuant to NAC 641.173(3).

- B. Complaint #22-0930
- C. Complaint #23-0303
- D. Complaint #23-0612
- E. Complaint #23-0801
- F. Complaint #23-0905
- G. Complaint #23-0918
- 8. (For Possible Action) Review and Possible Action on Applications for Licensure as a Psychologist or Registration as a Psychological Assistant, Intern or Trainee. The Board May Convene in Closed Session to Receive Information Regarding Applicants, Which May Involve Considering the Character, Alleged Misconduct, Professional Competence or Physical or Mental Health of the Applicant (NRS 241.030). All Deliberation and Action Will Occur in an Open Session. Note: Applicant names are listed on the agenda to allow the Board to discuss applicants when necessary to move the applicant through the licensure process. The listing of an applicant's name on the agenda indicates only that an application for licensure/registration has been received. It does not mean that the application has been approved or that the applicant must appear at the meeting in order for the applicant's application to move forward through the licensure process. If an applicant needs to attend the meeting for the Board to take action, the applicant will be notified in writing prior to the meeting. Please, direct questions or comments regarding licensure applications to the Board office.

#### **PSYCHOLOGISTS**

Dalea Alawar Mary Lou Ancheta Robert Antonacci **Erick Arguello Ouintin Bailey** John Barona Cortney Beasley Kimberly Bergman Robert Bilder Sarah Brennan RaeLynn Brister Robert Burr Ramona Burroughs Jonathan Campos Leandrea Caver Filippo Cieri Steven Covelluzzi Candy Crawford Peaeen Cronin Osvelia Deeds Nicola De Paul Kendra Devor Adrienne DiFabio Mark Dillon Shannon Dillon Alana Duschane Christopher Estep Megan Farnsworth

Leslie Feil Nichole Flowers Judy Fluor Runels Stephen Francis Gila Frank Vanessa Fuentes Maiken Gale Elena Gavrilova Teresa George Matthew Gibbons Peter Grover Dehnad Hakimi Mary Herzog Chia-Chi Hu Clairissa Hunter Rachel Irish Saira Jhorn Lori Johnson Samantha Johnson Margaret Jones Natalie Jones Ta Tanisha Jones William Kaiser Carolyne Karr Patricia Keeler Daphne Kendricks Kristopher Kern Christine Kim

Donald Kincaid John Kina Ashley Kirby-Ward Sandra Kubicki Monica Larson Timothy Law George Lazo Karen Levine Jessica Liberman Georae Louah Vanessa Ma James Madero Alexandra Matthews Serena Mazzola Jessica McClintock Viola Meiia Samuel Montano Alexandra Montesi Luzviminda Morrow Ana Ochoa Akira Olsen Stephanie Orbon Jonathan Page So Park Kathryn Pesch Daniel Pott-Pepperman **Rachel Powers** Kilynda Ray

Taraneh Rostami Benjamin Rubin Malia Sanchez Mary Schuberg David Shoup Nancy Small Katelyn Steele Tricia Steeves Tony Strickland Holly Summers Jessica Taverniti Donna Truong John Tsanadis Michael Villanueva Ina Von Ber Ann Watters Jessica Weis Karen West Michael Whitman Andre Wielemaker Jennifer Wilcox Michele Wilkens **Christine Winter** Jamie Wong Gordon Zilberman

Keri Ross

#### PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSISTANTS

Jeffrey Aguiar Rachel Ballard Ramy Bassioni Brian Broomand Andrew Buchanan Candis Carswell Rosy Chavez-Najera Taylor Chille Ashley Colson Althea Cook Jessica Crellin Kaleb Cusack Samantha del Castillo Emerson Epstein Evan Fertel Jacqueline Friar Grady Gallagher Michelle Gaston Cori Gold Milagro Gonzalez Kimberly Gray Jennifer Grimes-Vawters Joseph Henrich Akiko Hinds Kelly Humphreys Courtney Hutchinson Kayla Kaiser

#### Richelle Konczak Dorota Krotkiewicz Taylor Levine Alexandra Miguel Desiree Misanko Luzviminda Morrow Blake Oldfield Dylena Pierce Eric Prince Leilani Puentes Jacquelyn Rinaldi Shannon Rojas Farnaz Samavi

Daniela Sandelin Coreen Schwartz Starr Sharon Simington Katherine Stypulkowski Holly Summers Heather Thompson Christine Vaughan Marijo Villano Kelsey Zaugg

PSYCHOLOGICAL INTERNS

Lorraine Apodaca Shannon Colon Mario De Souza Paola Garcia Betancourt Sussan Fung Michelle Gaston Michelle Harden Tiffany Hunter Jessica Jensen

Jeanine Johnson Lauren Johnson Shalini Kabeer Kayla Kaiser Erica Marino Coreen Schwartz Ruby Sharma Jasmin Smith

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Barbara Sommer	Candice Thomas	Charlotte Watley	
Megan Tedrow	Richard Warmke	Rachel Wiggins	
PSYCHOLOGICAL TRAI Marissa Alvarez Vanni Arcaina Glenn Blessington Dominque Cheung Adaeze Chike-Okoli Kieffer Christianson Anna Cole Aimee D'Errico Erin Dunn Jacqueline Eddy	NEES Kinsey Ellis Michael Fensken Leila Gail Paola Garcia Betancourt Grace Goodwin Kaelyn Griffin Brandon Hunley Madison Hurley Bianca Islas Todd Jennings	Jessica Jensen Cynthia Johnston Lee Haeeun Julia Maranville Nicole Martinez Michael McNamara Sara Moore Karisa Deandra Odrunia Ananda Peixoto-Couto Jason Sadora	Shannon Sagert Christine Salva Mary Smirnova Madison Thomasson Teresa Walker Bailey Way Jessica Woodyatt

- A. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on the ATEAM's recommendation to approve Paola Garcia Betancourt's application to register as a Psychological Intern, retroactive to December 4, 2023.
- B. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on the ATEAM's recommendation to approve Dr. Jennifer Grimes-Vawters' application to register as a Psychological Assistant.
- C. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on Dr. Jodi Lovejoy's request to retake the EPPP a fourth time.

# 9. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on the Board's Disciplinary and Complaints Policy and Regulations.

A. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on proposed revisions to the Board's Complaints and Disciplinary Policy.

#### 10. (For Possible Action) Schedule of Future Board Meetings, Hearings, and Workshops. The Board May Discuss and Decide Future Meeting Dates, Hearing Dates, and Workshop Dates.

- The next regular meeting of the Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners is currently scheduled for Friday, February 9, 2024, beginning at 8:00 a.m.

# **11.** Requests for Future Board Meeting Agenda Items (No Discussion Among the Members will Take Place on this Item)

**12. Public Comment** - Public comment is welcomed by the Board and may be limited to three minutes per person at the discretion of the Board President. Public

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# 13. (For Possible Action) Adjournment

The Board may recess for lunch for approximately one hour, at a time to be determined.

The Board is pleased to make reasonable accommodations for members of the public who are disabled and wish to participate in the meeting. If such arrangements are necessary, please contact the board office at (775) 688-1268 no later than 4 p.m. on Thursday, January 11, 2024.

For supporting materials, visit the Board's website at <u>http://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/</u>or contact the Board office by telephone (775-688-1268), e-mail (<u>nbop@govmail.state.nv.us</u>), or in writing at Board of Psychological Examiners, 4600 Kietzke Lane, Suite B-116, Reno, Nevada 89502.

In accordance with NRS 241.020, this public meeting notice was properly posted at or before 8 a.m. on Tuesday, January 9, 2024, at the following locations:

- Board office located at 4600 Kietzke Lane, Bldg. B-116, Reno;
- Nevada Public Notice website: <u>https://notice.nv.gov/</u>; and
- Board's website at <a href="https://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/2024/2024\_BOARD\_MEETINGS/">https://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/2024/2024\_BOARD\_MEETINGS/</a>.

In addition, this public meeting notice has been sent to all persons on the Board's meeting notice list, pursuant to NRS 241.020(3)(c).