

**BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR OPTOMETRISTS
MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING
November 13, 2024**

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

Matthew Blondin, OD, Chairperson
Carol Goldberg, Esq.
Lawrence Lefland, OD
Susan P. Barrett

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT:

Joseph Pavano, III, OD
Lawrence M. Sweeney
Regina A. Strand, OD

DPH / AAG STAFF PRESENT:

Ryan Burns, DPH Deputy Legal Director
Aden Baume, DPH Staff Attorney
Betty J. Rozario, Board Liaison

CALL TO ORDER

Chairperson Matthew Blondin called the meeting to order at 9:02 a.m.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Carol Goldberg moved to approve the September 11, 2024 minutes. Susan P. Barrett seconded the motion. The motion was approved unanimously by roll call vote.

CHAIR UPDATES

Susan Barrett moved to amend the 2025 Board Regular Meeting dates changing June 12, 2025 to June 11, 2025. Lawrence Lefland, OD seconded the motion. The motion to amend was approved unanimously by roll call vote.

Carol Goldberg moved to approve the schedule as amended seconded by Susan Barrett. The motion was approved unanimously by roll call vote.

ORIENTATION

A. Board Member Orientation Training and Presentation by Ryan Burns, Deputy Legal Director

ADJOURN

Carol Goldberg moved to adjourn the meeting and Susan Barrett seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 9:25 a.m.

Matthew Blondin, OD
Chairperson