

AGENDA

CONNECTICUT BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICINE
Department of Public Health
Regular Meeting
Wednesday, August 30, 2023, at 8:30 AM

Note: Meeting to be conducted solely through the use of electronic equipment.

CALL TO ORDER

I. **MINUTES**

Approve the attached draft minutes from April 26, 2023.

II. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

III. **CONSENT ORDER**

- Lawrence Brooks, DVM, Petition No. 2022-575, Staff Attorney Linda Fazzina

IV. **DPH UPDATES**

Update on status of pending investigations as of August 25, 2023.

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Regular Meeting of April 26, 2023 at 8:30 AM
Department of Public Health
Via Microsoft TEAMS

MEETING MINUTES

The following minutes are draft minutes which are subject to revision and which have not yet been adopted by the Board.

The Connecticut Board of Veterinary Medicine held a meeting on April 26, 2023.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Mary Anne O'Neill, Esq., Chairperson
G. Kenneth Bernhard, Esq.
Theresa Cianciolo, DVM
Timothy Plunkett, DVM

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Lauren Mascola, DVM

ALSO PRESENT: Olinda Morales, Esq., Hearing Officer
Kevin Hansted, Esq, Hearing Officer
Dianne Bertucio, Interim Board Liaison
Stephen Carragher, DPH
Julie Antonellis, Vet. Technician from
the Bd. Of Veterinary Technician Association
David Slater

Call to Order:

The meeting was called to order at 8:30 am.

Approval of Minutes:

Attorney Bernhard made a motion to approve the minutes of the January 25, 2023 meeting. The motion was seconded by Attorney O'Neil. Motion approved unanimously with Dr. Plunkett and Dr. Cianciolo abstaining.

Open Forum:

There was no public comment.

DPH Updates:

Stephen Carragher, of the Practitioner Licensing Section at DPH informed the Board that currently there are 42 pending matters against veterinarians (30 investigations, 10 complaints, and 2 pending with the PHHO). The Chair requested that the Board Liaison contact Chris Andresen to obtain information about the pending cases, and the length of time it takes to process them to conclusion and provide such information to the Board at its next meeting.

Adjournment:

Motion to Adjourn made by Attorney O'Neil, seconded by Dr. Plunkett. Motion approved unanimously.

Adjourned at: 8:50 am

Maryanne O'Neil, Chairperson