Indiana Board of Licensure for Professional Geologists

Thursday, July 27, 2023

Board Members Present	Others Present	Visitors Present
Todd Thompson, Chair	DeAnn Reinhart, Licensing Coordinator	Tisa Bowden, IGWS Asst. Dir. for Business
Chad Crabtree	Philip Gordon, Board Counsel	Regan Parrodin, Deputy Attorney General
Rachel Walker		Katy Kramer, Intern Attorney General's Office
Ronald Hosek		Kevin Strunk, PGI Board
John Noel		

Open Session

Todd Thompson called the meeting to order at 10:03 a.m.

The minutes of the January 19, 2023, meeting were voted on and approved.

The minutes of the May 2, 2023, meeting were voted on and approved.

The Board reviewed, discussed, and voted on the following applications for licensure as a Professional Geologist in the State of Indiana:

Christopher Gordon	Ron Hosek moved for approval. John Noel seconded. Unanimously approved.
William Heins	Chad Crabtree moved for approval. Todd Thompson seconded. Unanimously approved.
Peter Hopper	Rachel Walker moved for approval. Chad Crabtree seconded. Unanimously approved.
Adrian Lozier	Todd Thompson moved for approval. Ron Hosek seconded. Unanimously approved.
Kevin Miller	John Noel moved for approval. Rachel Walker seconded. Unanimously approved.
Matthew Terrell	Chad Crabtree moved for approval. Ron Hosek seconded. Unanimously approved.
Luke Vermeulen	Todd Thompson moved for approval. Rachel Walker seconded. Unanimously approved.
Brian Yelen	John Noel moved for approval. Rachel Walker seconded. Unanimously approved.

Todd Thompson gave an update on the pending Continuing Education requirements. A letter was sent to Indiana Office of Management and Budget with a Notice of Intent. OMB responded with the need to complete the new Regulatory Analysis Template. This template requires a fiscal analysis as part of the OMB rule exemption and SBA rule approval. Fee increases will be needed to support the new CE efforts at the IGWS. Working on the budget for all fee increases. The CE sub-committee will need to work on Compliance wording and any penalties for non-compliance or falsifying of information submitted for CE.

The Board voted to table any further CE information submitted to OMB or Governor Holcomb for now. A special session of the Board will be held in the coming weeks.

The Board agreed to schedule the next regular semi-annual meeting on January 25, 2024, at the Indiana Government Center, South in Indianapolis.

Todd Thompson adjourned the meeting at 11:55 a.m.