

North Dakota STATE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY

The North Dakota State Board of Cosmetology held a special meeting on Tuesday February 18, 2025, at 9:00 am via zoom.

Present:

D'Arlyn Bauer, Board President
Maureen Wanner, Board Secretary/Treasurer
Cindy Ripplinger, Board Member
Emily Wilcox, Board Vice President

Also present:

Holly Blomquist, Executive Director
Steve Hanson, Attorney- Virtually

Emily called the meeting to order at 1:00 pm.

Agenda

1. Testing Sites. Testing Time Exam selection.

The Board is looking for more testing sites for candidates to take the exams remotely. Prov states there are 30 possible testing sites in ND. 2 sites in the state now, Grand Forks and Devils Lake. Prov will provide the list of those contacted already to Holly. Discussion only.

Prov will soon be fixing the time zone displaying in ET instead of CT.

Prov is willing to label the selections as the board sees fit.

2. Legislation.

Changes were proposed for amendments to HB 1126

Maureen made a motion to approve the proposed amendments to HB1126. Cindy seconded that motion. All voting: Cindy (y), Maureen (y), Emily (y), D'Arlyn (y). Motion carried.

Testimony presented by Holly on HB1126.

Maureen made a motion to approve the testimony presented by Holly. Emily seconded that motion. All voting: Cindy (y), Maureen (y), Emily (y), D'Arlyn (y). Motion carried.

SB 2395.

Holly provided testimony to be presented with a neutral stance.

Maureen made a motion to approve the testimony presented by Holly on SB 2395. Emily seconded that motion. All voting: Cindy (y), Maureen (y), Emily (y), D'Arlyn (y). Motion carried.

3. Adjournment.

Emily made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Cindy seconded that motion. Motion carried.

Meeting was adjourned at 2:09 pm.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Maureen Wanner