

New Jersey State Board of Professional Planners

Public Session Minutes

July 11, 2002

A meeting of the New Jersey Board of Professional Planners was convened in accordance with the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act. Pursuant to those provisions, proper notification was made to the Secretary of State's Office, the Camden Courier-Post, the Trenton Times, the Asbury Park Press, the Record and the Star-Ledger. Daniel McSweeney, President to the Board, called the meeting to order at 10:00 A.M. and the following roll call was taken:

Joseph H. Burgis, P.P. Present

Joanne Harkins, P.P. Present

Daniel McSweeney, P.P. Present

Richard Ragan, P.P. Present

Also, present at the meeting were Jay J. Church, Executive Director, Yolanda Rivera, Assistant to the Executive Director, and Marianne Greewald, Deputy Attorney General. Seymour Pollack, Public Member, Richard Binetsky, Government Member, and John Kellogg, Professional Member, advised the Board that they would not be able to attend this meeting.

I Minutes of the meeting of May 15, 2002

The Board reviewed the minutes of the meeting of May 15, 2002 and on a motion made by Daniel McSweeney and seconded by Joseph Burgis the Board voted to accept the minutes with corrections. The vote of the Board was unanimous.

II Review of the Test Results of the May 11, 2002 Professional Planners Examination

The Board reviewed the test results for the Examination given May 11, 2002 and upon review make the following recommendations to Professional Credential Services, Inc. of Nashville, TN.

Professional Credential Services, Inc. supplied the Board with a post administration report of itemizing certain questions that should be reviewed by the Board. PCS recommended to the Board that they review the following questions: Questions number 19, 32, 57, 64, 66, 70, 72, 82, 86, 27, 90, and 100.

Pursuant to that review the Board did the following, on review of question numbers 32, the Board voted to eliminate the question, since the question is confusing and they recommend the question not be reused again.

Question number 19, the Board reviewed and voted to keep.

Question number 57, the Board reviewed and voted to keep.

Question number 64 reviewed and the Board voted to keep.

Question number 66 the board voted to keep

Question number 70 the board voted to keep.

Question number 72 the board voted to keep 82 to keep.

Question number 86 the Board reviewed and voted to keep with a change to the question. The Question should now read "continuous or non-continuous acreage."

Question number 27 the board voted to keep the question however the question should read "the state comprehensive management act" not "the state comprehensive management plan".

Question 90 the Board voted to eliminate the question from scoring. The board voted not to include this in the scoring because the question is not in the act and nobody knows how the formula is to be developed. It's a subjective judgement by the Counsel on Affordable Housing (COAH). The Board recommends that this question not be used again.

Question number 100 was reviewed and the Board voted to keep.

III Requests for Upgrades

a. Charles W. Starks

The Board reviewed and approved Mr. Starks' application for upgrade.

On a motion made by Richard Ragan and seconded by Joanne Harkins the Board voted to adjourn the meeting at 10:50 a.m. The vote of the Board was unanimous.

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