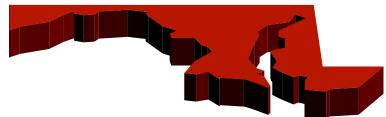
State of Maryland Board of Environmental Health Specialists



Open Session Agenda February 3, 2021 BOARD MEETING, GOOGLE MEETS CALL IN 10:00 AM

Call to order – Linda Rudie, Board Chair

ADJUSTMENTS AND ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Review for approval of Board Meeting Minutes ITEM 1

1(a). Open Session Minutes from the December 2, 2020 Board Meeting for review and approval. (Attachment)

ITEM 2 **Board Chair Report**

ITEM 3 **Executive Director Report**

 $\overline{\mathbf{3}(\mathbf{a})}$. Currently the Board has 114 licensees who have met or exceeded their continuing education credits for their license renewal.

3(b). Stats from the Licensing Database:

- 1. Active Seasonal Certificates 34
- 2. Active Licensed Environmental Health Specialists 570
- 3. Active In-Training Certificates 98
- 4. Active Certificate of Eligibility Certificates 227
- **3(c).** 2021 Licensing Cycle

ITEM 4 Credentialing

Attached are letters from 4 in-training certificate holders and their supervisors requesting a reduction of the in-training period. (Attachments)

ITEM 5 Legislative/Regulations Committee: Linda Rudie, Matthew Cumers and Jasen Lau

Report.

ITEM 6 Work Force Work Group: Linda Rudie and Naomi Howell 6(a). Update/Report

James Merrow

Linda Rudie

ITEM 7 Continuing Education Committee: Amy Parrish, Ann Rose And Alan Heck And State

7(a). Below are the approved training requests since the last meeting to be ratified at this meeting:

- 1. Global Water & Food Safety Summit (17.25)
- 2. Environmental Causes of Foodborne Outbreaks and CDC's National Assessment Reporting System (NEARS) (1.5)
- 3. Certified Pool/Spa Operator Refresher Course (6)
- 4. Health Disparities and Determinants of Health (2)
- 5. No Marathon Gets Easier Later COVID 19's Impact on Local Public Health (1)
- 6. Water The Impact of Water Aesthetics and Safety Perceptions on Water Consumption by Appalachian Kentuckians (.5)
- 7. TEHA Meeting 10-23-10 (3.5)
- 8. Institutions and Licensed Establishments EPHOC (3)
- 9. 347th CASA Quarterly Meeting (2)
- 10. EHTER Awareness Level Radiation and Environmental Health Response (3)
- 11. EHTER Awareness Level Shelters (2)
- 12. Environmental Reviews for COVID-19 Projects (1.5)
- 13. Arizona School IPM Inside and Out Implementation of School Integrated Pest Management Programs in Arizona Schools (1)
- 14. Building Systems Readiness in a Post COVID 19 Environment (1)
- 15. Don't Go with the Flow: Measurable Improvement in Drinking Water Programs (1.5)
- 16. One Health and EH: Perfect Partners in Securing Global Health (1)
- 17. Exploring Integrated Mosquito Management Strategies and EPA's Role in Protecting Communities (1)
- 18. Measles Outbreaks and the Impact on Public Health (1)
- 19. The Effects of Austerity on Local Government Environmental Health Provision in England (.5)
- 20. COVID-19 Training Series: Pandemic Response Fundamentals (1)
- 21. A Look Ahead at 2021 More of the Same for EHS or a Whole New Ballgame? (1)
- 22. What Real Estate Professionals Need to Know about Private Wells (1.5)
- 23. In-Depth Training: Sanitary Surveys-Filtration and Disinfection (4)
- 24. Monitoring & Distribution I: Disinfectants & Disinfection Byproducts (2)
- 25. Monitoring & Distribution II: Pathogens and Disinfection (2)
- 26. Source & Treatment III: Extremely Small Systems (2)
- 27. Source & Treatment IV: Contaminant Removal (2)
- 28. Source & Treatment V: Managing Contaminants (2)
- 29. Monitoring & Distribution VI: Distribution System Best Practices (2)
- 30. Harmful Algal Blooms (HABs) and Algal Toxins (1)
- 31. Water Reuse for Agricultural Purposes (1)
- 32. America's Water Infrastructure Act (AWIA) Risk and Resilience Checklist and Lessons Learned (1)

- 33. Drinking Water Microbes 101 (1)
- 34. Tools for Foodborne Illness Investigations (1.5)
- 35. Food Safety 101 Leveraging Technology (1)
- 36. Understanding Noise and the OSHA Hearing Conservation Standard (1)
- 37. RRT Computer to Computer (C2C) (Various depending on time of completion for total time 9.5)
- 38. Wildfires and Resulting Impacts to Water Bodies Used as Drinking Water Sources (1)
- 39. Indoor Air Quality in K-12 Schools: Addressing the Concept of Layered Risk Amidst COVID-19 (1.5)
- 40. Airside Sanitization Technologies for Safer Post-COVIF-19 Building Occupancy (1)
- 41. Plan Review for Food Establishments (25)
- 42. Funding/Financing Options for Private Well Owners (1.5)
- 43. Community Engagement and Risk Communication (4)
- 44. Environmental Health and Land Reuse (10)
- 45. IPM After the Storm Vector Considerations Part 1 (1.5)
- 46. Maryland Water Monitoring Council 26th Annual Conference (4.75)
- 47. Public Health and Community Engagement Introduction (1)
- 48. Infectious and Vector Borne Disease Vectorborne Disease Communication: What People Want to Know and How to Help Themselves (.5)

ITEM 8 Status of Work Processed:

Initial Licenses Issued (3)

- 1. Jennifer Kenney (Exam on 12-16-20)
- 2. Travis Allen (Exam on 12-11-20)
- 3. Anjali Kegerreis (exam on 12-20-20)

License Reactivation (0)

Certificates of Eligibility Issued (4)

- 1. Alicia Oscar
- 2. Leslieann Black
- 3. Myeongseob Kim
- 4. Tyler O'Neal

In-Training Certificates Issued (4)

- 1. Tyler Fink
- 2. Tyler O'Neal
- 3. Gregory Sherman
- 4. Alicia Oscar

Seasonal/Summer/Youth Camp In-Training Certificates (0)

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The Board may close a portion of the Open Meeting to comply with a specific constitutional, statutory, or judicially imposed requirement that prevents public disclosures about a particular proceeding or matter.

Adjourn