

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICINE  
POSSIBLE SUMMARY SUSPENSION CONSIDERATION  
MEETING MINUTES  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS  
HENRICO, VA  
DECEMBER 2, 2024**

**CALL TO ORDER:** Pursuant to §54.1-2408.1(A) of the Code of Virginia, a meeting of the Virginia Board of Veterinary Medicine was called to order on December 2, 2024, at 11:57 a.m., to consider a possible summary suspension.

**PRESIDING:** Thomas Massie, DVM, Chairperson

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Richard Bailey, DVM  
Jeff Newman, DVM  
Patricia Seeger, LVT

**QUORUM:** With 4 members of the Board, a quorum is established.

**STAFF PRESENT:** Kelli Moss, Executive Director  
Claire Foley, J.D., Deputy Executive Director  
Heather Pote, Sr. Discipline Case Specialist

**OTHERS PRESENT:** Sean Murphy, Esq., Assistant Attorney General  
Christine Corey, Esq.; Administrative Proceedings  
Division, Department of Health Professions

**BOARD COUNSEL:** Brent Saunders, Esq., Assistant Attorney General

**Cody Swilley, Veterinarian  
Case 237665:** Mr. Murphy presented a summary of the evidence that the continued practice of Dr. Swilley may present a substantial danger to the health and safety of the public.

**DECISION:** Dr. Bailey moved to summarily suspend the license of Cody Swilley, Veterinarian to practice veterinary medicine pending a formal administrative hearing. The motion was seconded by Ms. Seeger and carried unanimously.

**ADJOURNMENT:** The meeting was adjourned at 12:06 p.m.

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Kelli Moss  
Executive Director