APELSCIDLA BOARD MEETING AGENDA

July 2, 2019

$10:00 \text{ a.m.} - BR4 - 2^{nd} Floor$

Department of Professional & Occupational Regulation 9960 Mayland Drive

Richmond, Virginia 23233 (804) 367-8514

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. **Emergency Evacuation Procedures**
- 3. Moment of Silence for Virginia Beach Colleagues
- 4. Welcome and Introductions
 - April Drake, AIA, NCARB, LEED AP ID+C
 - Dylan Avatar, Business Development, SIGMA
 - Jim Flaherty, Assistant Attorney General
- 5. Approval of Agenda
- 6. Approval of Minutes
 - March 12, 2019, APELSCIDLA Board Meeting
- Meeting terior March 12, 2019, Architects, Certified Interior Designers & Landscape Architects Section Meeting
 - May 9, 2019, Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors Section Meeting
- Public Comment Period* 7.
- 8. Review of Files
 - File Number 2018-03048, Michael Ray Richwine Consent Order (Langelotti) – Disciplinary
 - File Number 2019-01954, Tyler Andrew Beach IFF (Stone) – Licensing
 - File Number 2019-01955, Colin D. Reilly IFF (Stone) – Licensing
 - File Number 2019-02262, Eric Michael Sears IFF (Stone) – Licensing
- Materials are File Number 2019-01994, Edward Alford Hickey Jr. IFF (Allen & Zmuda) – Licensing

- 9. **SIGMA Presentation**
- 10. DOLI/ Land Surveyor Apprenticeship Program
 - Timeline

 - Outline of steps to become an LS apprentice, June 11, 2019

 Revised Virginia Surveyor Registered Apprenticeship Standards, June 11, 2019

 Revised RTI form

 Guidance Document on § 33.1-105 Evidence as to Existence of a Public Highway

 LS Exam Update

 DRAFT Drone Companies Selling Data for Design Purposes Letter

 NTSB Safety Recommendation Report Adopted November 14

 Signing of W. "
- 11.
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- NTSB Safety Recommendation Report Adopted November 14, 2018 14.
- Signing of Wall Certificates 15.
- Draft 2020 Meeting Schedule 16.
- 17. Election of Chair and Vice Chair
- 18. Business Agreements Update
- Request for CE Waiver Update 19.
- 20. Regulatory Update
- 21. Cease and Desist lett
- Periodic Regulatory Review 22.
- 23. Licensed and Certified Population
- of Acronyms
- **Financial Statements**
- NCARB Updates
 - Annual Meeting, June 20-22
- **NCEES Updates**
 - Joint Southern/Western Zone Meeting, May 16-18
 - Annual Meeting, August 14-17

- 28. CIDQ Updates
 - Annual Conference, November 8-9
- 29. **CLARB Updates**
 - Annual Meeting, September 26-28
- 30. Resolutions
 - Tara Welch Gallagher, P.E.
 - Richard H. Nettleton, P.E.
 - Katherine Anne Marie Lusich Nixon, P.E.
 - Christopher Kelly Rapp, P.E.
- 31. Other Business
- -3-4, 2019 of official Board, position. 32. Agency-wide Board Members Orientation, October 3-4,
- 33. APELS Centennial, June 2020
- Conflict of Interest / Travel Vouchers 34.
- Day In the Life of an Landscape Architect Ann Stokes
 Adjourn 35.
- 36.
- Arch-CID -LA Section meeting upon adjournmen
- File review upon adjournment

NEXT MEETING SCHEDULED FOR September 10, 2019

enda materials available to the public do not include disciplinary case files or application files pursuant to §54.1-108 of the Code of Virginia.

Five minute public comment, per person, with the exception of any open disciplinary or application files. Persons desiring to participate in the meeting and requiring special accommodations or interpretative services should contact the Department at (804) 367-8514 at least ten days prior to the meeting so that suitable arrangements can be made for an appropriate accommodation. The Department fully complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

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BOARD FOR ARCHITECTS, PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS, LAND SURVEYORS, CERTIFIED INTERIOR DESIGNERS AND LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS MEETING **MINUTES**

rs to bics board position. The Virginia Board for Architects, Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors, Certified Interior Designers and Landscape Architects (APELSCIDLA Board) met on March 12, 2019, at the Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation, 9960 Mayland Drive, Richmond, Virginia, with the following members present for all or part of the meeting:

Professional Engineers Architects

Robert Boynton James Kelly Mel Price Vinay Nair **Christine Snetter** Chris Stone

Interior Designers Land Surveyors

Caroline Alexander Doyle Allen Vickie Anglin Cameron Stiles Mike Zmuda

Landscape Architects

A. Cabell Crowther Hypatia Alexandria Karen Reynes Ann Stokes

Staff present for all or part of the meeting were:

Mary Broz-Vaughan, Acting Director Kathleen (Kate) R. Nosbisch, Executive Director Bonnie Davis, Administrative Assistant Bonnie Adams, Director, Complaint Analysis & Resolution Linda Rhodenhiser, Licensing Specialist, Post Adjudication and Licensing (PAL) Tyler Weimorts, Licensing Specialist, Post Adjudication and Licensing (PAL) Anne-Cabrie Forsyth, Licensing Specialist, Post Adjudication and Licensing (PAL)

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Members of the audience:

Missy Sutton, Member Engagement Manager, Council of Landscape Architectural Registration Boards (CLARB)

Georg Dahl, Director, APELSCIDLA Representative, Virginia Society of Professional Engineers (VSPE)

Rob McGinnis, Member, Government Affairs Committee, American Society of Landscape Architects Virginia Chapter (VA ASLA)

> John Palatiello, Executive Director, Virginia Association of Surveyors Kevin Shreiner, President, Virginia Association of Surveyors (VAS)

Gary Faulhaber, First Vice President, Virginia Association of Surveyors

Corey Clayborne, Executive Vice President, American Institute of Architects (AIA Virginia) Harry Falconer, Jr., Vice President Experience + Education, National Council of Architectural Registration Boards (NCARB)

Caitlin Stromberg, Manager Member Board Relations, NCARB

Elizabeth Peay, Assistant Attorney General, was present from the office of the Attorney General.

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Ms. Stiles, Chair, called the meeting to order at 10:04 a.m.

Call to Order

Ms. Stiles advised the Board of the emergency evacuation procedures.

Evacuation Procedures

Ms. Nosbisch reported Ms. Stokes and Ms. Alexandria would be late. introduced: Mary Broz-Vaughan, Acting Director of DPOR; Vinay Nair, new Professional Engineer Board member, who will be observing the meeting; Missy Sutton, Member Engagement Manager of CLARB, and members of the audience.

Welcome and Introduction

Mr. Boynton moved to approve the amended agenda. Mr. Stone seconded the Approval of motion which was unanimously approved by members: Alexander, Allen, Anglin, Boynton, Crowther, Kelly, Price, Reynes, Snetter, Stiles, Stone, and Zmuda. Mr. Nair abstained.

Agenda

Mr. Stone moved to approve the minutes of the following meetings:

Approval of Minutes

- December 5, 2018, APELSCIDLA Board Meeting
- December 5, 2018, Architects, Certified Interior Designers & Landscape **Architects Section Meeting**
- December 5, 2018, APELSCIDLA Recognition Ceremony
- February 5, 2019, Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors Section Meeting

Ms. Snetter seconded the motion which was unanimously approved by members: Alexander, Allen, Anglin, Boynton, Crowther, Kelly, Price, Reynes, Snetter, Stiles, Stone, and Zmuda. Mr. Nair abstained.

Ms. Stokes arrived the meeting at 10:12 a.m

Arrival of Board Member

Mr. Palatiello commended the Board for the agenda containing a number of important issues, primarily the Locality Boundaries and (Geographic Information System) GIS White Paper. He stated HB1649/SB1594 was signed by the Governor a few weeks ago. Because there has been a long standing issue with Virginia county boundaries, the counties are trying to create an efficient method to handle the disputes. This bill will affect school districts, tax rates, voting districts, etc. GIS is not an accurate boundary; the real boundary is on the ground. He requested the Board to issue a guidance document to localities to explain what can and cannot be done under code regarding GIS.

Public Comment Period

Mr. Schreiner echoed Mr. Palatiello's comments. He stated his biggest concern is that this bill may set precedence. If localities use GIS for boundary solutions, this could trickle down to the public, where the public may think it is acceptable to use GIS for boundaries. He is concerned that the bill may be misconstrued and affect the health, safety and welfare of the public.

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Mr. Faulhaber stated he echoed Mr. Palatiello and Mr. Schreiner's comments, and the inaccuracies can be three to five feet or more.

Regarding File Number 2018-02705, Ram Lal Pradhan, the Board members reviewed the Consent Order as seen and agreed to by Mr. Pradhan. Mr. Crowther moved to accept the Consent Order which cites the following violation of the Board's regulations: 18VAC10-20-760.B.4 (Count 1). For this violation, Mr. Pradhan agrees to pay the following monetary penalty: \$500 for the violation contained in Count 1, and \$150.00 in Board costs, for a total monetary penalty of \$650. Ms. Snetter seconded the motion which was unanimously approved by members: Alexander, Allen, Anglin, Boynton, Crowther, Kelly, Price, Reynes, Snetter, Stiles, Stokes, and Zmuda. Mr. Nair abstained. As the presiding Board member, Mr. Stone was not present for the discussion or vote.

File Number
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Regarding File Number 2019-01435, Eric Stephen Cheesic, the Board members reviewed the record of the Informal Fact-Finding Conference, which consisted of the application file, transcripts and exhibits, and the Summary of the Informal Fact-Finding Conference. Ms. Anglin moved to accept the recommendation of the presiding officer and deny Mr. Cheesic's application for professional engineer. Mr. Boynton seconded the motion which was unanimously approved by members: Alexander, Allen, Anglin, Boynton, Crowther, Kelly, Price, Reynes, Snetter, Stiles, Stokes, and Zmuda. Mr. Nair abstained. As the presiding Board member, Mr. Stone was not present for the discussion or vote.

File Number 2019-01435, Eric Stephen Cheesic

The Board reviewed the draft Related Technical Instruction (RTI) form. Ms. Alexander suggested the removal of "eight" from categories, and Ms. Anglin suggested the addition of "Photogrammetry" to the list of categories. Ms. Anglin moved to approve the RTI log with the noted changes. Mr. Stone seconded the motion which was unanimously approved by members: Alexander, Allen, Anglin, Boynton, Crowther, Kelly, Price, Reynes, Snetter, Stiles, Stokes, Stone, and Zmuda. Mr. Nair abstained.

Virginia
Surveyor
Apprenticeship
Standards –
DRAFT RTI
Form

Ms. Nosbisch stated Ms. Anglin received an inquiry regarding apprenticeship sponsors. The local Department of Labor and Industry (DOLI) representative stated there was not a viable program in Fairfax County. Ms. Eddington, Assistant Director, Division of Registered Apprenticeship, DOLI, replied in an email to Ms. Nosbisch that the Fairfax County Public Schools Adult and Community Education Surveying Program is approved to provide 600 of the 720 required RTI hours. She also stated that not all sponsors are listed in the DOLI website. The Board requested staff contact DOLI to determine why sponsors opt out of being listed on the website, and how does the Board know that DOLI has everything they need to for an approved program. The Land Surveyors determined an outline/step by step process to become a surveyor via the Virginia Surveyor Apprenticeship Standards should be developed. The Land Surveyors requested the item be placed on the Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors May 2, 2019 agenda and then be returned to the full Board meeting agenda for June 11, 2019.

DOLI / Land Surveyor Apprenticeship Program

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Ms. Anglin provided an update on the change in datums. At the February 5, 2019 Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors Section meeting, she presented the proposed language, §55-287. Virginia Spatial Reference System which was approved by Virginia Association of Surveyors (VAS). At that meeting, Ms. Anglin requested input on Sections on §55-293. Position of Systems and §55-294. Limitation on Use of Systems. VAS will seek a patron to change the Code of Virginia.

Change in

Mr. Palatiello, Mr. Shreiner, and Mr. Faulhaber addressed this item under Public Mr. Allen stated Mr. Palatiello presented the White Paper to the Boundaries General Assembly, but the bill was passed. He stated the legislature is well intentioned at searching for an economical way to establish the boundary of counties. A boundary of any type must be established on the ground. A boundary established by GIS and one established on the ground are not one in the same. There will be problems and unforeseen consequences. The GIS boundaries will have an effect on the health, safety and welfare of the public. Ms. Anglin stated she has seen differences from two feet to fifteen feet in the two methods. As stated in Public Comment, this will affect school districts, voting, etc. The cost will be higher to fix it after the fact rather than having it surveyed from the beginning. Mr. Stone stated there will be unintended consequences. Ms. Price suggested a presentation using real data of two families moving into a neighborhood between two counties, where the families think they are in one school district, but according to GIS they will be in another school district. Mr. Palatiello stated Louisa and Goochland have still not used their authority to determine their boundary.

Locality
Soundaries
A GIS White Paper

Ms. Alexandria, Board member, arrived to the meeting at 11:02 a.m.

Arrival of Board Member

Mr. Allen stated the Land Surveyor Section created a guidance document to help surveyors understand a problem he has seen his entire career. The Byrd Act created the Secondary Highway Systems in Virginia. He stated from the center of the road, fifteen feet each way for easement and maintenance to road, is misinterpreted. This guidance document clarifies it. Mr. Stone moved to approve the posting of the guidance document for the 30 day public comment period. Ms. Anglin seconded the motion which was unanimously approved by members: Alexander, Alexandria, Allen, Anglin, Boynton, Crowther, Kelly, Price, Reynes, Snetter, Stiles, Stokes, Stone, and Zmuda. Mr. Nair abstained. The item will be placed on the Board agenda of the June 11, 2019 meeting.

Guidance **Document on** § 33.1-105 Evidence as to Existence of a **Public** Highway

At the December meeting, Ms. Webster, Director of Exams, stated the Land LS Exam Surveyor State Specific and Land Surveyor B exams would go out for RFP. Ms. Nosbisch reported the RFP has not yet gone out. More information will be provided at the June 11, 2019 Board meeting.

Update

The explosion in the northeast region of the Merrimack Valley, Massachusetts was discussed at the December Board meeting and at the PE-LS Section meeting in February. It was noted that some states do not have an industrial exemption like

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Virginia. The Board discussed the pros and cons of the industrial exemption and to change the exemption would require a change in statute. Mr. Stone stated the exemption was discussed at the Virginia Engineers Conference. Mr. Stone will speak with the American Council of Engineering Companies (ACEC) and the Virginia Society of Professional Engineers (VSPE) regarding the need for a legislative change.

Adopted November 14, ussion. 2018

Ms. Nosbisch reported the PE-LS Section meetings will now begin at 10:00 a.m.

Meeting Tin

The signing of wall certificates was discussed at the December Board meeting and improvements are in process. The item will be placed on the Board agenda of the June 11, 2019 meeting.

Signing of Wall Certificates

Ms. Nosbisch reported the following business entities were issued Business Agreements for Registration:

Business Agreements Update

- Kleinfelder Inc, License# 0407006943, signed December 12, 2018
- STV Inc., License# 0407003505, signed January 2, 2019
- United Structural Consultants Inc., License# 0407007517, signed January 11, 2019
- Backen Gilliam & Kroeger Architect A Professional Corp, License# 0405002259, signed February 6, 2019

This process allows businesses to begin doing business in a more timely manner rather than wait for a quarterly Board meeting.

There were no requests for waiver of continuing education.

Request for CE Waiver Update

Some bills for deregulation were submitted in direct response to the JLARC report; they did not pass. Ms. Broz-Vaughan stated legislation that passed amended the required Callahan Act percentage to increase to twenty percent instead of ten percent and stated if the board goes above, it must issue refunds. She also spoke about the Board for Professional Regulation is required to study new regulations of professions during open session.

JLARC / General **Assembly Update**

Ms. Broz-Vaughan reported that the agency is moving forward with technological advancements as recommended in the report. She informed the Board that a "quick pay" feature had been added to the website, making renewal payments easier. Ms. Broz-Vaughan stated that the feature went live March 3, 2019 at 10:00 am, and as of 9:00 am March 4, 2019, 55 licensees has renewed their license using the new feature.

Ms. Nosbisch stated there is nothing new to report on the existing regulatory package at this time.

Regulatory Update

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Ms. Stiles reviewed the licensee counts as of February 1, 2019: APELSCIDLA Businesses 4,283; Architects 7,438; Engineers 29,212; Land Surveyors 1,269; Land Surveyors B 75; Land Surveyor Photogrammetrists 119; Interior Designers 497; and Landscape Architects 935.

Licensed and Certified Financial
Statements

VCARB

Ms. Nosbisch stated the financial statements were provided for informational purposes.

Ms. Nosbisch introduced Corey Clayborne, Executive Vice President, AIA Virginia; Harry Falconer, Jr., Vice President Experience + Education; and Caitlin Updates Stromberg, Manager Member Board Relations both of NCARB.

Mr. Boynton stated there were more attendees at the NCARB Regional Summit last week than at the National meeting because NCARB provided funding for four attendees from each board. Ms. Snetter attended the Summit and took part in discussions on the future of the profession and how jurisdictions will prepare for it. Ms. Alexandria stated the Summit provided information on jurisdictional challenges and potential solutions, working together, and diversity.

Mr. Falconer stated NCARB is celebrating their 100th anniversary, and their office just moved to a new location: 1401 H Street, NW, Suite 500, Washington DC 20005.

Ms. Nosbisch reported she is on the Model Law Task Force, Virginia uses Model Law as a guideline.

The Board recessed from 11:45 a.m. until 12:00 p.m.

Recess

Ms. Nosbisch announced NCEES will be celebrating its 100th anniversary in 2020, and APELS will be celebrating its 100th anniversary in 2020.

Updates

The Board discussed Charge 5 Memorandum of Understanding (MOU). Ms. Anglin moved not to approve the Professional Engineering and Surveying Interstate Licensure MOU. Mr. Zmuda seconded the motion which was unanimously approved by members: Alexander, Alexandria, Allen, Anglin, Boynton, Crowther, Kelly, Price, Reynes, Snetter, Stiles, Stokes, Stone, and Zmuda. Mr. Nair abstained.

The Board noted the 2019 approved list of calculators for the NCEES exams.

Mr. Zmuda reported he attended the NCEES Board Presidents' Assembly in February for the first time. He stated there were many updates, and it allowed him the time to speak with other boards.

Mr. Stone presented to approximately 130 attendees at the Virginia Engineers Conference on March 5-6th. He provided information on the APELSCIDLA regulations.

Virginia **Engineers** Conference March 5-6.

2019

Ms. Stiles reported Ms. Nosbisch and Ms. Broz-Vaughan met with Brian Soukup Esq, Vice President, Government and Public Affairs of the American Society of Interior Designers (ASID), and Emily Kelly, Director of Advocacy, Public Policy, and Legislative Affairs, International Interior Designer Association (IIDA) to discuss the JLARC report and the effect on interior designers.

CLARB Updates

Ms. Sutton stated CLARB:

- Is tracking legislation and deregulatory efforts in all but four states in North America
- Developed and administer the national exam; went fully computer based in 2012; future virtual reality take exam
- Is participating in national and federal coalitions to ensure continued regulation of the design professions; create smart regulation; support advocacy
- Is providing training, networking and information sharing opportunities for members; encouraged all board members to attend CLARB events, not just landscape architects

Ms. Nosbisch noted that CLARB accomplishes so much with such a small staff; Ms. Sutton stated there are only ten full time employees and five part time employees.

The Board discussed a response template to solicitations for unlicensed work. Ms. Nosbisch stated a response template should not be sent out as a Board, but can be sent as an individual. Mr. Stone inquired about a cease and desist letter for unlicensed activity. Ms. Broz-Vaughan stated a letter from the agency, rather than the Board, was addressed in a bill approved by the General Assembly this year. The item will be placed on the Board agenda of the June 11, 2019 meeting for follow up.

Other **Business**

Ms. Nosbisch noted Ms. Crowther's second term, Ms. Price's unexpired term, and Mr. Allen's first term are ending in June 2019. Ms. Price and Mr. Allen were advised to contact the Secretary's office if they wish to seek reappointment. Anyone interested in serving on the Board, may complete an application online for the landscape architect, architect, and land surveyor positions.

Ms. Nosbisch stated legislation was introduced in Maine which would provide immunity from civil liability when they volunteer their professional services in the wake of a natural disaster or catastrophe. There was a general inquiry as to which jurisdictions have something similar. In Virginia, Ms. Broz Vaughan referred to the Good Samaritan Law § 8.01-225, in Virginia.

Ms. Nosbisch stated that a legislative bill was recently introduced in California that proposes to add a requirement for businesses that offer surveying services to apply to the Board and receive a Certificate of Authority to offer those services. There was a general inquiry to jurisdictions if COA's benefit surveyors. Mr. Allen stated

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Ms. Price provided a presentation on Board members thanked her for her pre-	"A Day in the Liesentation.	fe of an Architect." The	Day in the Life of an Architect
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The meeting was adjourned at 1:32 p.n	ı.		<u>Adjourn</u>

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ARCHITECTS, CERTIFIED INTERIOR DESIGNERS and LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS SECTION MEETING

MINUTES

The Architect, Certified Interior Designer and Landscape Architect Sections of the Virginia
Board for Architects, Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors, Certified Interior Designers and
Landscape Architects (APELSCIDLA Board) met on March 12, 2019, at the Department of
Professional and Occupational Regulation, 9960 Mayland Drive, Richmond, Virginia, with the
following members present for all or part of the meeting:

Caroline Alexander (CID)
Robert A. Boynton (Arch)
A. Cabell Crowther (LA)
Mel Price (Arch)
Christine Snetter (Arch)
Cameron Stiles (CID)
Ann Stokes (LA)

Staff present for all or part of the meeting were:

Marian Brooks, Board Administrator Bonnie Davis, Administrative Assistant

Members of the audience:

Missy Sutton, Member Engagement Manager, CLARB R. Corey Clayborne, Executive Vice President, AIA Virginia Harry Falconer, Jr., Vice President Experience + Education, NCARB Caitlin Stromberg Manager, Member Board Relations, NCARB Rob McGinnis, Member, Government Affairs Committee, ASLA, Virginia Chapter

No representative was present from the Office of the Attorney General.

Ms. Stokes, Section Chair, called the meeting to order at 1:49 p.m.

Call to Order

Ms. Stiles moved to approve the agenda. Ms. Price seconded the motion which was unanimously approved by members: Alexander, Boynton, Crowther, Price, Snetter, Stiles, and Stokes.

Approval of Agenda

There was no public comment.

Public Comment

Ms. Stile reported earlier at the Board meeting that Ms. Nosbisch and Ms. Broz-Vaughan met with Brian Soukup Esq, Vice President, Government and Public Affairs American Society of Interior Designers, and Emily Kelly, Director of Advocacy, Public Policy, and Legislative Affairs, International Interior Designer Association (IIDA) to discuss the JLARC report and the effect on interior designers.

Certified Interior Designer Section Update

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Ms. Stiles stated the definition of interior design was presented at the CIDQ CIDO Update

spoke about the goal of incensed landscape architects and tap the bylaws amendment requires three quarters in was missed by one vote at the September meeting. It will be insited at the annual meeting.

Joel Albizo's, CEO of CLARB; last day will be March 29, 2019. The new CEO will be announced at the annual meeting in September.

Regional virtual meetings; Region 1 met virtually on February 26th.

The American Society of Landscape Architects (ASLA) met regarding regulation (CARB were invited to the annual meeting in Section 1 meeting in Section 2 meeting in Section 3 mee

look at the future and at factors that may arise and if they happen now what decisions would you make now.

Mr. Crowther will be completing his second term in June

Landscape Architect Section Update

Mr. Clayborne stated AIA Virginia will be hosting the Art of Practice on March 22nd. The Art of Practice is a one day forum focused on creating and fostering a healthy firm culture - retention, succession planning, business development, etc. He stated AIA Virginia will celebrate Architects Week April 21-27th. AIA Virginia will also host a reception to socialize with students and faculty at Virginia Tech where the goal is to pursue license and architecture upon graduation.

Architect Section Update

Ms. Price stated she will be running two workshops at the AIA National Convention on June 5, 2019.

The Sections reviewed the NCARB Continuing Education Guidelines. Ms. NCARB Update Brooks requested members to send their comments to Ms. Nosbisch by April 2, 2019.

Mr. Falconer provided the handout "AXP Guidelines, January 2019, Documenting Your Experience Through Hours," and spoke about the AXP and IDP programs. He suggested the Board seriously consider the duration requirement. Virginia is one of ten states that still has duration requirements. Ms. Price stated the Board needs to adapt and be flexible. Ms. Alexander stated we need regulatory language to be ready for changes in the future. Ms. Snetter stated the handout provided by Mr. Falconer is very good; she stated IPAL is something to really think about.

The sanctions issued for eight candidates who violated the Architect Registration Examination (ARE) Candidate Agreement were discussed.

Mr. Falconer reported NCARB has a new address, 1401 H Street, NW, Suite 500, Washington DC 20005.

There was no other business.

Other Busines

Conflict of Interest forms were completed by all members present.

Conflict of Interest

Agn Stokes, Chair

Mary Broz Wanghan, Acting Secretary

PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER & LAND SURVEYOR SECTION MEETING

MINUTES

The Professional Engineer and Land Surveyor Section of the Virginia Board for Architects, Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors, Certified Interior Designers and Landscape Architects (APELSCIDLA Board) met on May 9, 2019, at the Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation, 9960 Mayland Drive, Richmond, Virginia, with the following members present:

Doyle B. Allen (LS)
Vickie Anglin (LS)
James Kelly (PE)
Vinay Nair (PE)
Christopher M. Stone (PE)
Michael Zmuda (LS)

Staff present for all or part of the meeting were:

Mary Broz-Vaughan, Acting Director
Kathleen (Kate) R. Nosbisch. Executive Director

Bonnie Davis, Administrative Assistant

Elizabeth Peay, Assistant Attorney General, was present from the office of the Attorney General.

Members of the Public present for all or part of the meeting were: Georg Dahl, Virginia Society of Professional Engineers (VSPE) STEM and Educational Outreach Lead for Tidewater/Hampton Roads Chapter David Gardy, Virginia Association of Surveyors

Ms. Anglin, Chair, called the meeting to order at 10:03 a.m. Call to Order

Ms. Anglin advised the Section members of the emergency evacuation procedures. **Emergency Evacuation Procedures**

Mr. Kelly moved to approve the agenda. Mr. Zmuda seconded the motion which Approval of was unanimously approved by members: Allen, Anglin, Kelly, Nair, Stone and Agenda Zmuda.

There was no public comment. **Public Comment** Period

The Board discussed the need for an apprenticeship outline to direct applicants on how to become an apprentice at its meeting on December 5, 2018 and referred the outline to the PE-LS Section meeting today. Ms. Davis was recognized for her work on the draft outline which was reviewed and approved by the Section, and will be placed on the full Board meeting agenda for final approval on June 11. 2019.

Virginia Surveyor Apprenticeship **Standards Outline** Professional Engineer & Land Surveyor Section Meeting Minutes May 9, 2019 Page 2 of 5

The Board discussed why sponsors opt out of being listed on the Department of Labor and Industry (DOLI) website and how the Board knows that DOLI has everything they need for an approved program at its meeting on December 5, 2018 and referred the both items to the PE-LS Section meeting. DOLI's response stated that the DOLI apprenticeship sponsorship listing on the web is voluntary. Ms. Anglin stated she spoke with non-listed sponsors in her area and they did not understand why they were not listed. Ms. Anglin also noted that DOLI stated an addition 90 hours was needed. The Board understood the program was approved in September 2018. Ms. Anglin stated a local DOLI rep declined to sign up one of her staff to the apprenticeship program. Ms. Nosbisch stated a timeline indicating previous meetings and program approvals will be developed for the full Board meeting agenda for June 11, 2019. Staff will request DOLI clarify how providers opt in/opt out of being listed as sponsor on the DOLI website. Staff at DOLI have recently indicated the program still doesn't meet requirements.

DOLI/ Land
Surveyor
Apprenticeship
Program

At the March 12, 2019, the Board requested staff draft a letter regarding the selling of data for design purposes. Ms. Peay suggested regulatory reference be cited in the letter. A revised draft letter will be placed on the full Board meeting agenda for June 11, 2019.

Drone Companies
Selling Data for
Design Purposes
Letter

Mr. Allen stated the guidance document is referencing a Section of Virginia Department of Transportation's (VDOT) Code. The Section was advised that the APELSCIDLA Board cannot provide a guidance document on another agency's code. Mr. Stone moved to rescind the guidance document; ask VDOT if they are willing to issue an Internal Memorandum (IM) regarding 33 1-105; use this guidance document and reference the APELSCIDLA regulations in the guidance document; and/or change our regulations during public comment. Mr. Kelly seconded the motion which was unanimously approved by members: Allen, Anglin, Kelly, Nair, Stone and Zmuda.

Guidance
Document on §
33.1-105 Evidence
as to Existence of
a Public Highway

Ms. Nosbisch stated the Land Surveyor's exam statistics had been reviewed at the February 5, 2019 PE-LS meeting; the only new information is the April statistics. While presenting at the Virginia Association of Surveyors Annual meeting on April 26, 2019, a member of the audience requested pass rate information. Ms. Nosbisch stated she will share the LS Exam pass rates to VAS.

LS Exam Update

Ms. Anglin read Governor Ralph Northam's Proclamation regarding the March 17-23, 2019 Surveyors Week in the Commonwealth of Virginia:

LS Week Proclamation

WHEREAS, the role of the surveyor has been, and remains, of vital importance in the development of the United States and to our private property rights; and WHEREAS, surveying requires both fieldwork and indoor work, in order to measure, maintain, monitor, verify, validate, and regulate boundaries of land, economic assets, and other properties; and

WHEREAS, since the colonial era, surveyors have been statesmen, leaders in the community, and influential citizens; and

WHEREAS, former surveyors include George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, and Abraham Lincoln; and

WHEREAS, surveyors remain essential to the development of the United States

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and the Commonwealth of Virginia today; and

WHEREAS, Virginia is home to more than 1,200 licensed surveyors; and WHEREAS, Surveyors Week is an opportunity to recognize the historic contributions of surveying, and appreciate the new technologies that are constantly modernizing the profession;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ralph S. Northam, do herby recognize March 17-23, 2019, as SURVEYORS WEEK in our COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, and I call this observance to the attention of all our citizens.

Ms. Nosbisch and the Land Surveyors Section provided a four-hour Town Hall presentation at the Virginia Association of Surveyors Annual convention on April 26, 2019. She stated the presentation was well received and the Section was asked back for next year. Ms. Nosbisch congratulated Mr. Gardy who received two awards for plats. Ms. Anglin provided a presentation on April 25, 2019 called "2022 and You; a Surveyor's Perspective on Implementation"; change management and practical concerns implementing the new datum. At today's meeting, a discussion took place regarding new regulations for the 2022 datums. Regulations need to be in place by 2022 for consistency. They will also affect the counties' regulations. Ms. Anglin will provide the language from VAS once it is finalized.

Mr. Allen reported that with pending changes on the national exam from NCEES, the Board may be able to do away with a large portion of the Virginia State Specific Exam. The Section determined to wait for the changes at NCEES before

deciding on how the State Specific Exam will be impacted.

It was noted that House Bill 1649 Boundary agreement, local; locality allowed to attach to their petitions to circuit court a GIS map was signed into law. Ms. Broz Vaughan requested Ms. Peay's interpretation of whether Virginia Code Title 15.2 and HB1649 were in conflict with each other as there is no consensus a conflict exists. Ms. Peay stated HB1649 becomes effective July 1, 2019, and if it is in conflict with Code 15.2, we must figure out how to make them work together. It was noted that when it is determined a bill is in conflict, it is typically taken up with the patron of the bill to be addressed in the next General Assembly.

A discussion took place regarding contractors using GPS – Party Chiefs setting up 3D models. Mr. Allen stated that Global Positioning System (GPS) is regulated. He stated locating physical improvements is a regulated activity. The skill set is in question. It was noted that nothing can be done until a complaint is filed with DPOR.

There was a concern with the computer based testing (CBT) PE exam at NCEES, that an applicant could take the PE exam without pre-approval from the Board. To date, this has not occurred, and taking the exam does not guarantee licensure; all requirements must be met.

without Pre-Approval

Taking PE Exam

The article was provided for informational purposes.

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<u>Wireless Site</u> <u>Project Plans with</u> Stolen PE Stamps?

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VAS Presentation
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Jonathan L.
Kramer, on
March 24, 2019 on
Wireless Siting
and Law

The Section recessed from 11:54 a.m. until 12:02 p.m.

9,00

Ms. Nosbisch met with Complaint Analysis & Resolution (CAR) and the Investigations Section and shared the following information with the Section: 42 complaints had been received between July 1, 2018 and April 24, 2019. 23 cases were closed by CAR; 19 were sent to Investigations; of those 19, nine open cases had technical review, 10 were closed (8 without technical review and 6 of the 8 were continuing education related.)

Complaints without Board Member Review

The Section reviewed the 2020 meeting dates. The information will be placed on the full Board meeting agenda for June 11, 2019.

2020 PE-LS Meeting Dates

Ms. Nosbisch stated the proposed changes to the Bylaws will be voted on at the NCEES Annual meeting in August.

NCEES Updates

The Section reviewed the candidates for Southern Zone Assistant Vice President.

Mr. Allen stated he attended the NCEES Northeast and Central Zone meeting last weekend. He stated that the task force is conducting a study on moving to five divisions of the PS exam where each division will be scored separately. He stated the idea was well received and had positive feedback. If this moves forward, Virginia may eventually consider deleting the State Specific Exam, and look at potentially a home exam or online exam.

NCEES funded delegates will be Ms. Nosbisch, Mr. Zmuda, and Ms. Anglin. Mr. Nair, Ms. Alexandria, and Ms. Reynes will advise Ms. Nosbisch whether they are able to attend as a First Time Attendees. Mr. Stone will be self-funded; Mr. Allen will be funded by Colonial States Boards of Surveyor Registration.

Ms. Anglin reviewed the licensee counts as of April 1, 2019: Engineers 29,185; Land Surveyors 1279; Land Surveyors B 70; Land Surveyor Photogrammetrists 120.

License Counts

The Section noted that the University of Maryland course requirements for a BS degree in Public Safety Administration would not satisfy Virginia's requirements for an individual to sit for the PE exam to become licensed as a Fire Protection Engineer. The Section also noted that the University of Maryland course requirements for a BS degree in Environmental Management would not satisfy Virginia's requirements for an individual to sit for the PE exam to become licensed as a Professional Engineer.

Other Business

The Section reviewed the use of Now or Formerly (N/F) on boundary plats. It was noted that N/F is not used with current owner of subject property, but it is

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commonly used with adjoining property because the adjoining properties can change owners between the surveyor's research and the recordation. It was also noted that localities' requirements may be above and beyond the regulations.

Ms. Nosbisch reported that in the National Society of Professional Engineers magazine there was an article about the Massachusetts pipeline fire. She stated Governor Baker signed emergency legislation requiring licensed Professional Engineers sign and seal plans for utility work before it's done, rather than leaving the review to people with engineering backgrounds who are uncertified.

Conflict of Interest forms and travel vouchers were completed by all Section members present.

Conflict of Interest / Travel Vouchers

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 12:42 p.m.

Adjourn

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Mary Broz-Vaughan, Secretary

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6/13/2016 Board meeting

Board approved the course outline

7/24/2016 email from Ms Donati/DOLI

Bev Donati (DOLI) emailed her feedback on the document; stated from reading the notes, there are registered sponsors in addition to Fairfax County in N Va; there are no registered sponsors outside of the region; if she remembered correctly in the past those outside of NOVA were VDOT apprentices retired 8/1/16

7/27/2016 email from Ms Donati/DOLI

Bev emailed 18VAC10-20-300 #6 still has 480 hrs of ARE (apprenticeship related LS Stds Approved September 14, 2016 Board meeting new curriculum 9/14/2016

Board approved Apprenticeship Program document 1/8/2018 email from Mr Cecere/DOLI

Mr Cecere/DOLI states there is a residue.

Mr Cecere/DOLI states there is an issue with required versus recommended He stated Fairfax doesn't meet DOLI's stds of 144 hrs.

1/16/2018 LS Apprenticeship Program Review meeting

Kathleen/DOLI stated DOLI curriculum recommends 720 classroom hours; to be a our regs 1/1/16 state minimum of 480 hrs of survey related classroom... our Apprentice Stds 9/14/16 state 144 hrs of ea of 5 yrs for total of 720 hrs our Apprentice Stds = 600 contact hrs S1=96 S2=96+30 S3=96+30 S4=96+30 S5=96+30; 480+120=600

Fairfax County Public Schools is only approved LS Apprenticeship program

2/9/2018 LS Apprenticeship meeting

our regs stated apprenticeship program shall include min of 480 hrs of classroom DOLI requested board increase to 720 to match industry

February 18, 2018 letter from DOLI

US DOL & DOLI min stds recommend RTI be min of 144 hr per yr for each yr of OJT. During the LS mtg on 9/15/15 Ms Donati stated that fed & state regs require min of 144 RTI hrs; this is consistent with 286 occupations currently registered in Va Reg Apprenticeship program. According to Va Surveyor Apprenticeship Stds dated 9/14/16 work process outline has 500 hrs of OJT in health & safety procedures. We offer the changed to "a minimum of 144 hrs for ea of 5 yrs of apprenticeship is recommended. This instruction in technical subjects may be accomplished thru media..."

2/21/18 letter to DOLI requesting waiver

our regs require a min of 480 hrs and Bev Donati/DOLI approved/signed off on 120 hrs to 600 hrs in our 2016 program which meets our current regs of a min of 480 hrs US DOL Title 49 states in part a min of 144 hrs for ea yr of apprenticeship is we requested waiver for LS Apprenticeship program

3/20/18 letter from DOLI

DOLI's Min Stds recommend RTI be a min of 144 hrs/yr for ea yr of OJT LS Apprenticeship program dated 9/14/16 work processes outline 500 hr of OJT in health & safety procedures - DOLI suggested to increase RTI in this area to meet min

attend OSHA 10 or OSHA 30 courses

attending health & safety webinars

add additional RTI in math courses or additional time in lab projects

Changes included: Classroom Apprenticeship Program - Board meeting
Changes included: Classroom Apprenticeship Related Instruction
A registered Apprentice is required by the Voluntary Apprenticeship Act (Code 40.1117 — 40.1-126) to attend 144 hours for each of the 5 years for a total of 720 contact hours apprenticeship related instruction classes during the course of the 144 hours for each of the five years of act of the 144 hours for each of the five years of act of the 144 hours for each of the five years of act of the 144 hours for each of the five years of act of the 144 hours for each of the five years of act of the 144 hours for each of the five years of act of the 144 hours for each of the five years of act of the 144 hours for each of the 144 hours for

Ms. Nosbisch stated Fairfax County has only LS apprenticeship program at this time, but DOLI states there are non b/c program must have 700+ hours

6/8/2018 email from Ms Eddington/DOLI

revised Min Stds; RTI was changed from 144 hrs recommended to required

7/31/2018 LS Apprenticeship meeting

Mr Cecere/DOLI stated DOLI reps communicate to public that TCC LS Career Cert Program is only online DOLI approved statewide program as a survey tech/survey Fairfax County Public Schools revised their 2018/19 Apprenticeship catalog DOLI now recognizes FCPS LS Apprenticeship program for party chief (8000hrs); APELSCIDLA does not recognize this category

Mr Cecere stated LS Apprenticeship Program does not have 720 contact hrs: he suggested requiring sponsor to document has in health & safety procedures (and other work processes) as required in the regulations

Committee agreed to require employers to document 150 RTI experience hrs over 5 vrs on the job training/learning & work courses outside the classroom to obtain 720 hrs

8/9/2018 PE-LS Section meeting

LS Apprenticeship program has 600 RTI; need 720 RTI hrs.

DOLI agreed that 150 hrs of sponsor documented OJT regarding specific topics could be used to meet the 720 RTI hours.

Ms Eddington/DOLI noted Univ of Maine is approved 100% online program Ms Morrison/DOLI stated Richmond Public Library offers free course work

9/13/18 Board meeting

RTI log reviewed

LSApprenticeship Stds added:

SCHEDULE OF RELATED TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION (RTI) PROCESSES Separate from work processes, 150 hours to be documented on a separate form in identified categories as adopted by the APELSCIDLA Board.

Approved September 13, 2018

added: Schedule of RTI Processes: Separate from work processes, 150 hrs to be documented on a separate form in identified categories as adopted by APELSCIDLA.

DOLI & LS Apprenticeship Committee compromised on using 150 hrs of RTI removed 30 hr project from Surveying 2 and added 30 hr project back in to Surveying 5 multiple changes to RTI log

11/6/2018 LS Section meeting

Section provided RTI language

12/5/2018 Board meeting approved LS Apprenticeship State

Work Processes (OJT) changed to O''

The Apprentic

The Apprenticeship Program is comprised of the work of the apprentice, the leadership of the sponsor, the supervising land surveyor, classroom education, verified RTI, and on the job learning components all under the auspices of Department of Occupational and Labor Industry (DOLI). Any apprenticeship candidate seeking sponsorship should approach a licensed land surveyor regarding an apprenticeship agreement with DOLI.

WHO IS THE SPONSOR?

The sponsor can be an employer that has an approved apprenticeship program registered with the DOLI, operated by the sponsor, and registered in the sponsor's

WHO IS A SUPERVISOR?

A supervisor shall be a Virginia licensed land surveyor, and shall have responsible charge for the apprentice's work. The supervisor is responsible for verification of on the job learning and related technical instruction (RTI). The supervisor may also be the

RELATED TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION (RTI) FOR LAND SURVEYORS

A minimum of 150 hours of RTUs required and allows for in-depth instruction in specified categories to be verified by supervising land surveyor, and in the case of drainage, hydrology, and hydraulics topics a Virginia licensed professional engineer. APPRENTICESHIP RELATED INSTRUCTION:

A minimum of 144 hours for each of the five years of apprenticeship is recommended. This instruction in technical subjects may be accomplished through media such as classroom, occupation or industrial courses, electronic media, or other instruction approved by the DOLI and accepted by the APELSCIDLA Board.

For a current listing of approved educational program providers, see the APELSCIDLA The minimum term of the Land Surveyor registered apprenticeship shall be 10.000 hours (five years) of work experience, which may include the 150 required RTI hours, as stipulated in the Work Processes Outline and shall consist of reasonably continuous employment, supplemented by required approved related instruction. When the apprentice is required to work overtime, these hours will not be credited to the term of Survey 2 - 30 hr project removed

Board approved the draft Apprenticeship Stds

Approved December 5, 2018

Removed project from Surveying 2: added project back for Surveying 5 added RTI log; added RTI for LS: a minimum of 150 hrs of RTI is required..." TERM OF REG

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changes to RTI form

reviewed DOLI apprenticeship website; only 2 sponsors listed; Fairfax is not one of 3/11/19 Email response from Ms Eddington/DOLI

Fairfax County ACE program is approved to provide 600 of the 720 hrs required for Sponsor will need to source the addl 120 hrs of RTI by adding safety training, technical writing, etc.; DOLI consultant can assist in the process

Only 2 sponsors listed on apprenticeship website; not all sponsors are listed; when sponsor registers with DOLI they have the option to opt out of the website, which many The list of approved providers only shows full programs that support Registered Apprenticeship; partial offerings are not listed.

3/12/2019 Board meeting

changes to RTI; approved with changes

it was noted that a local DOLI rep stated there is not a viable program in Fairfax DOLI emailed stating Fairfax is approved to provide 600 of the 720 required RTI hrs and not all sponsors are listed, so opt out

4/25/19 email from Ms Morrison/DOLI clarifying Ms Eddington's email

As a voluntary program, being listed on the website is also voluntary. For security reasons, a sponsor may opt out of being published. To know if they are registered, please direct that inquiry to Kathleen or myself. Registration in DOLI database means Also, for your 10,000 hour Surveying apprenticeship to be complete, we will need to see the additional 90 hours covered over the term of the apprenticeship, perhaps in safety. That will bring this to 10000 hours OJT and 720 RTI. Once that is added in,

5/9/2019 PE-LS Section meeting

discussed why sponsors opt out of being listed on DOLI website

DOLI sponsorship listing is voluntary

non-listed sponsors in N Va are unsure why they are not listed

DOLI states we need additional 90 hours

local DOLI rep declined to sign up N Va staff to the apprenticeship program

5/16/2019 email from Ms Eddington/DOLI

I wanted to follow up on the email from Trish. We have received information from our Northern Virginia Consultants regarding employers that are interested in registering Surveyors. We want our consultants to work with employers on the related technical requirements. If Fairfax offers a 600-hour partial program, we will focus on the additional 120 RTI hour requirement with the employer. Perhaps this could be viable 5/28/19 email from Ms Morrison/DOLI

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Fwd: Surveyors

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Nosbisch, Kathleen <kate.nosbisch@dpor.virginia.gov>
To: Bonnie Davis <bonnie.davis@dpor.virginia.gov>

Tue, May 28, 2019 at 12:32 PM

For the full board meeting 6/11.

Thanks, Kate

----- Forwarded message ------

From: Morrison, Patricia <patricia.morrison@doli.virginia.gov>

Date: Tue, May 28, 2019 at 10:56 AM

Subject: Re: Surveyors

To: Nosbisch, Kathleen <kate.nosbisch@dpor.virginia.gov>
Co: Kathleen Eddington <kathleen.eddington@doli.virginia.gov>

Kate, we are just a few details away from having this finalized. I don't think our attendance is necessary at this point. However, to simplify, I'll offer the following information:

When there is a Board or licensing or Collective Bargaining (union program) set of standards that speak to the administration of a Registration Program, we mesh with that entity. The RA Standards and the Board/industry standards are meshed so that all details are in concert.

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Then, your Chair and Commissioner Davenport both sign. We are getting numerous requests from employers and potential apprentices, so it appears enthusiasm is building.

Hope this guidance suffices. Have a great meeting!

On Fri, May 24, 2019 at 12:36 AM Nosbisch, Kathleen <kate.nosbisch@dpor.virginia.gov> wrote: Hi Kathleen,

We are going to discuss this at our next board meeting on June 11th and would like to invite you and Patricia to attend. We thought we had the apprenticeship program finalized multiple times over the past few years and It seems to be a moving target and there seems to be further confusion about the sponsors and why they wouldn't want to be listed on DOLI's website.

Thanks and have a great holiday weekend,

On Thu, May 16, 2019 at 5:02 PM Kathleen Eddington <kathleen.eddington@doli.virginia.gov> wrote:

Good afternoon Kate,

isultants employers, e additional 420 I wanted to follow up on the email from Trish. We have received information from our Northern Virginia Consultants regarding employers that are interested in registering Surveyors. We want our consultants to work with employers on the related technical requirements. If Fairfax offers a 600-hour partial program, we will focus on the additional 120 RTI hour requirement with the employer. Perhaps this could be viable statewide in the future.

Please let me know your thoughts.

Regards,

Kathleen

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Greetings! I have been contacted by several students from Woodson High in Fairfax who are seeking registration in the Department of Labor and Industry Registered Apprenticeship program. I thought I would provide guidance here as it looks like there will be some new sponsors.

Mr. Venetsanos, if you could advise your students that the first step is to have their employers register with DOLI through there local Consultant, that would be essential to having them become apprentices. As I understand it, the Board at DPOR wishes to have this as a 5-year, 10,000 on the job training hours program. Please have the companies call either of the following consultants for assistance:

I would be happy to speak with you more on the RA program. Please feel free to call. Thank you for supporting Registered Apprenticeship.

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May is Business Appreciation Month in Virginia. Celebrate small business the networking event, awards dinner, or training.

Click here to view a list of events by date.

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Executive Director

Morrison, Patricia

to Kathleen, me, Kathleen -

Wed, Jun 5, 1:06 PM (2 da





The RTI approval happens on our end. I would not state specific RTI providers in your standards because as they change, quit, augment, you have inaccurate info. annually upon the review of the RTI providers.

The language about the 600 hours is to help clear up and steer employers as we are limited in those who offer your core curriculum.

Because I am in a database conversion, none of our new programs are showing up on the website as of yet. We have to do a huge conversion of our existing data, into the new database (which is in process) and then we can work on the algorithm that will allow us to post these new sponsors. Our old database had an automated feature, but we are losing that.

We do have the job postings site which is free to all registered sponsors. If they wish to advertise an apprenticeship vacancy for free, the vipust need to email me and I'll supply them with the template.

Nosbisch, Kathleen

to Patricia, me, Kathleen -

Hello Ladies.

Thank you for your input. We will add this language to the opening paragraph of the Apprenticeship Standards for the Board's approval on 6/11. We are also going to add a sentence about the RTI form and have a copy of the form at the back of the standards.

Two points of clarification as we are striving to put this baby to bed. Do the hybrid sponsors show up on the DO apprenticeship if they did? website and if not, wouldn't it be helpful to individuals seeking an apprenticeship if they did?

Also, the language for the FCPS that you proposed you and Kathleen work on - where will this language be displayed? On DOLI's website? Is this something we would need to add to the standards which then also requires board approval? Does it need approved by FCPS? in this age as langua

Morrison, Patricia

to me, Kathleen, Kathleen -

Great Bonnie, we are very close!

We do state on our website that the programs listed are complete programs, HOWEVER there is also the urging to go to each provider's site to research any partial offerings. Most of our sponsors use a hybrid approach with core curriculum coming from known sources and the supplemental RTI is added as appropriate.

Currently, with only FCPS as the main RTI provider, it will be a challenge to meet the needs of employers in areas other than NOVA. But we are hoping that this reactivation of the RA program will drive new providers and offerings. Kathleen and I will try to work out language on the FCPS that spells this out. We will share that with you soon.

My only other suggestion would be to use these, two sentences for opening your paragraph after your heading:

red to be included by each employer (in addition to the 600 core curriculum hours) for a total of 720 hours. Employers may seek RTI that meets their A minimum of 120 hours of industry needs.

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Wed, Jun 5, 10:31 AM (2 days ago)







Outline of How to become a Land Surveyor through the Virginia Surveyor Apprenticeship Standards

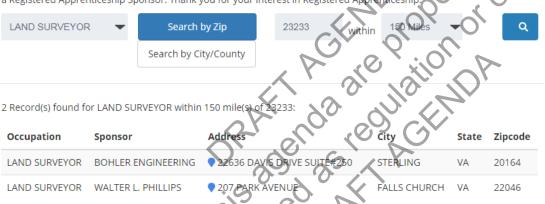
June 11, 2019

Registered Apprenticeship combines carefully defined and employer-specific training under the guidance of a highly skilled mentor at the worksite. On-the-job training is supplemented with related classroom instruction. Upon successful completion, apprentices are awarded a Certificate of Completion.

Find A Sponsor Near You

Please select ANY OCCUPATION (or specific occupation). Then select City/County OR Zip Code or ANY LOCAL for a list of sponsors in your area. You may also press the down arrow to expand the travel range for sponsors if desired,

PLEASE NOTE: Search results will display those Registered Apprenticeship Sponsors who authorized sharing their company information. Job seekers should not limit their search to these participants. Any employer can a Registered Apprenticeship Sponsor. Thank you for your interest in Registered Apprenticeship



- Speak with your employer to see if your place of employment is a registered apprenticeship sponsor or if there is interest in becoming a sponsor.
- If you work for a Registered Apprenticeship sponsor, have your employer contact a local Virginia Department of Labor and Industry apprenticeship consultant to register you as an apprentice.
- All apprentices are registered through a Department of Labor and Industry apprenticeship consultant.
- Written agreement with Sponsor for employment who is registered with DOLI
- "Apprentice" means a person at least 16 years of age who is covered by a written agreement with an employer and approved by the Commissioner. The agreement shall provide for not less than 2,000 hours of reasonably continuous employment for such person, for his participation in an approved schedule of work experience through employment, and for the amount of related instruction required in the occupation.

TERM OF REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP

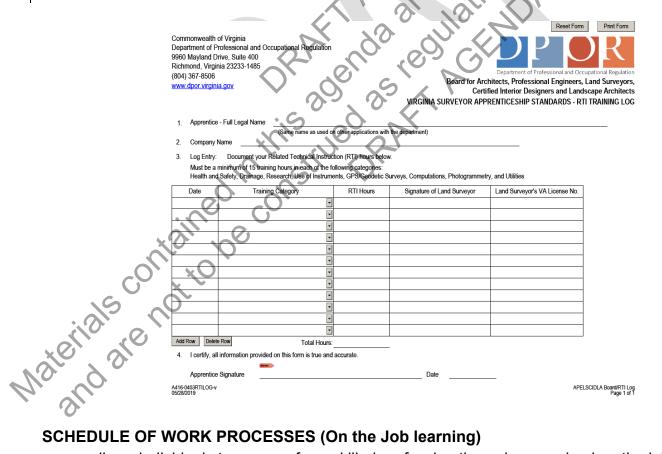
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SAFETY AND HEALTH TRAINING

Before starting in the profession at any site or in any facility, the Sponsor shall instruct the Apprentic in safe and healthful work practices and shall insure that the registered apprentice is trained in facilities and other environments that meet the Virginia Occupational Safety and Health Standards for General Industry and the Construction Industry developed pursuant to the Federal Occupational Safety and Health Act.

RELATED TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION

- min of 150120 hours required to be included by each employer (in addition to the 600 core curriculum hours) for a total of 720 hours. This information should be record on the below form
- supplements the on-the-job work experience, separate from work processes
- allows for in-depth instruction in specified categories to be verified by supervising land surveyor, and in the case of drainage, hydrology, and hydraulics topics a Virginia licensed professional engineer.



SCHEDULE OF WORK PROCESSES (On the Job learning)

allows individuals to prepare for a skilled profession through supervised on the job learning combined with Land Surveyor related classroom instruction.

- apprentice obtains practical supervised experience;
- Supervisor shall be a Virginia licensed land surveyor, have responsible charge for the apprentice's work; will be responsible for verification of on the job learning and related technical instruction (RTI). The supervisor may also be the sponsor.
- apprentice should progress through different levels of responsibility and experience related to the procedures in both the field and office environments until a thorough knowledge of the procedures is attained
- minimum hours required for advanced operations of the listed procedures
- apprentice will have additional hours achieving competency in the advanced operations and procedures
- Credit for previous experience towards these years must be given based on the procedures as set forth in the Standards.
- A condensed scheduled of the major divisions of the profession based on approximate hours is recorded in the Work Processes Outline as adopted by the APELSCIDLA Board.
- apprentice's sponsor provides on-the-job training through qualified journeypersons.

1.	Application, care and practices of proper steel and cloth tape measurement procedures with the understanding of obtainable precision and accuracy in determining horizontal distances.	200 Hours
2.	Application, care, and adjustment of surveying equipment.	200 Hours
3.	Recording of hand and electronic field notes, including the use of reference sketches, describing control points and other pertinent field data.	800 Hours
4.	Application, care, use, operation, and adjustment procedures for vertical and horizontal angles when performing topographic contouring and open or closed traversing.	700 Hours
5.	Application, care, and use of equipment for selecting turning points, identifying topographical features on site surveys.	800 Hours
6.	Establishing observation points, performing interior angle and deflection angles, controls for R/W and boundary identification, determine error of closure and accuracy.	1,000 Hours
7.	Observation for azimuth determination, establishing GPS control sites, HARN stations, identifying picture points of aerial photography.	500 Hours
8.	Application and use of field and office equipment including software programming for the development of plans or plats from field surveys.	1,000 Hours
9.	Interpret plans for establishment of: boundaries and R/W, drainage and utility layout, horizontal and vertical curves, slope and grade stakes.	1,000 Hours
10.	Field and office procedures for area and volume determinations.	500 Hours
11.	Application, care, and adjustment procedures for establishing elevation profiles and cross sections using differential, trigonometric, and GPS leveling procedures.	800 Hours
12.	Application, care, and procedures for conducting research of land records, deeds, wills, and plats. Understanding, applying, and relating local or states codes, statutes, and regulations that influence or control surveying procedures.	400 Hours
13.	Application, computation, and field procedures for establishing state plane coordinates.	400 Hours
14.	Other general or advanced surveying operations that lead to the complete development of the surveying apprentice but does not clearly fit into the previous thirteen items.	1,200 Hours
15.	Health and Safety Procedures.	500 Hours
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In order to receive credit for completing the surveyor apprenticeship program, all applicants must provide the APELSCIDLA Board with proper documentation indicating that the program (including classroom instruction and on the job learning), has been successfully completed.

Successful completion of the Registered Apprenticeship Program earns the apprentice nationally recognized state certification as a journeyperson.

Surveyor in Training (SIT)

To sit for the FLS exam, apprentice must have successfully completed Board approved survey apprenticeship program, with a minimum of 480 hours and minimum of 6 years approved LS

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PURPOSE

The purpose of these Standards is to establish minimum requirements for the training of the Land Surveyor Apprentice in accordance with the regulations of the Architects, Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors, Certified Interior Designers and Landscape Architects (APELSCIDLA Board).

FORWARD

To insure the development of highly skilled Land Surveyors throughout the Commonwealth, these Standards were developed in conjunction with the APELSCIDLA Board, the Virginia Apprenticeship Council, and the Virginia Department of Labor and Industry (DOLI).

To assure that the intent of these Standards is implemented, each Apprentice should be op his s.

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Naterials contained contained and c. encouraged to develop his skills to the highest level of his ability. The training should be thorough, well planned and designed to enhance the profession.

II. OVERVIEW / DEFINITIONS

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THE LAND SURVEYOR (PROFESSIONAL)

"Land surveyor" means a person who, by reason of his knowledge of the several sciences and of the principles of land surveying, and of the planning and design of land developments acquired by practical experience and formal education, is qualified to engage in the practice of land surveying, and whose competence has been attested by the Board through licensure as a land surveyor. §54.1-400 of the Code of Virginia

The "practice of land surveying" includes surveying of areas for a determination or correction, a description, the establishment or reestablishment of internal and external land boundaries, or the determination of topography, contours or location of physical improvements, and also includes the planning of land and subdivisions thereof. The term "planning of land and subdivisions thereof" shall include, but not be limited to, the preparation of incidental plans and profiles for roads, streets and sidewalks, grading, drainage on the surface, culverts and erosion control measures, with reference to existing state or local standards.

§54.1-400 of the Code of Virginia

WHAT IS REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP?

Materials are Registered Apprenticeship is a learning program in those industrial and craft occupations that require a wide and diverse range of skills and knowledge. As practiced by modern industry, apprenticeship is a business oriented system in which the employee entering a certain industry is given intensive instruction and applied work experience in all of the theoretical and practical aspects of the given skilled occupation, craft or trade.

WHO IS THE SPONSOR?

The sponsor can be an employer that has an approved apprenticeship program registered with the DOLI, operated by the sponsor, and registered in the sponsor's name.

A supervisor shall be a Virginia licensed land surveyor, and shall have responsible charge for the apprentice's work. The supervisor is responsible for verification of on the job learning training and related technical instruction (RTI). The supervisor may also be the sponsor.

WHO IS A REGISTERED APPRENTICE?

An apprentice is a person at least 16 years of age who, as a principal occupation, is engaged in learning and working in an occupation as stated in the Standards, and who is covered by a written agreement with a Sponsor providing for the employment in accordance with the rules and regulations governing Apprenticeship in Virginia and who is registered with the Virginia Department of Labor and Industry.

§ 40.1-120. Definitions.

As used in this chapter, the following terms shall have the following meanings unless the context indicates otherwise:

- "Apprenticeable occupation" means a skilled occupation having the following characteristics:
- 1. It is customarily learned in a practical way through a structured systematic program of on-the-job supervised work experience;
- 2. It is clearly identifiable and recognized throughout an industry;
- 3. It involves manual, mechanical or technical skills which require a minimum of 2,000 hours of on-the-job work experience of new apprenticeable trades not otherwise established; and
- 4. It requires related instruction to supplement the on-the-job work experience.

"Apprentice" means a person at least 16 years of age who is covered by a written agreement with an employer and approved by the Commissioner. The agreement shall provide for not less than 2,000-hours of reasonably continuous employment for such Materials are person, for his participation in an approved schedule of work experience through employment, and for the amount of related instruction required in the occupation.

ON-THE-JOB **LEARNING** TRAINING FOR LAND SURVEYORS

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APELSCIDLA BOARD

Board for Architects, Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors, Certified Interior Designers and Landscape Architects (APELSCIDLA). Formerly referred to as

The 15-member Board which examines, licenses and regulates the approximately 26,000 Architects, Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors, Certified Interior Designers, and related business entities in Virginia. The Board was established in 1920 for Architects, Engineers and Surveyors. Landscape Architects were added in 1990 Interior Designers, and joined in 1990, and Citizen more.

FROM THE APELSCIDLA REGULATIONS (JANUARY 1, 2016)

The education and/or experience, and examination requirements for the designation are as follows:

18VAC10-20-300. Requirements for Surveyor-In-Training (Sit) Designation. A. In order to be approved to sit for the Fundamentals of Land Surveying (FLS) exam, applicants must satisfy one of the following.

- 1. Be enrolled in a board-approved or ABET-accredited surveying or surveying technology curriculum, have 12 months or less remaining before completion of degree requirements, and provide a certificate of good standing from the dean of the school or his designee;
- 2. Have earned an undergraduate degree from a board-approved or ABET-accredited surveying or surveying technology curriculum;
- 3. Have earned a board-approved undergraduate degree related to surveying and possess a minimum of one year of approved land surveying experience;
- 4. Have earned a board-approved undergraduate degree in a field unrelated to surveying and possess a minimum of two years of approved land surveying experience;
- 5. Have earned a board-approved associate's degree related to surveying and possess a minimum of four years of approved land surveying experience;
- 6. Have successfully completed a board-approved survey apprenticeship program. The apprenticeship program shall include a minimum of 480 hours of surveying-related classroom instruction with a minimum of six years of approved land surveying
 - 7. Have graduated from high school with evidence of successful completion of courses in algebra, geometry and trigonometry, and possess a minimum of eight years of
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to satisfy a requirement of subsection A of this section shall not be eligible for experience substitution.

C. An applicant who qualified for the FLS exam under subdivision A 1 of this section will be issued the SIT designation upon the board's receipt of the applicant's degree verification. All other applicants shall receive the SIT designation upon passing the FLS

acquire the education and experience necessary to improve their eligibility for the Fundamentals of Surveying Examination. Completion of this program intends, but does not guarantee that the applicant will be approved by the APELSCIDLA Board applicant's work experience to make the determination to allow individuals to sit for apprenticeship program, all applicants must provide the APELSCIDLA Board with

Everyone submitting an application to the APELSCIDLA Board is strongly encouraged

Special Inclusions to the "Minimum Standards for Registered III. Apprenticeship" as specifically related to the Virginia Surveyor Registered Apprenticeship ProgramStandards:

TERM OF REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP

The minimum term of the Land Surveyor registered apprenticeship shall be 10,000 hours (five years) of work experience, which may include the 150-120 required RTI hours, as stipulated in the Work Processes Continuous and shall consist of reasonably continuous employed required approved related tools. required to work overtime, these hours will not be credited to the term of apprenticeship.

SCHEDULE OF WORK PROCESSES

A condensed scheduled of the major divisions of the profession based on approximate hours is recorded in the Work Processes Outline as adopted by the APELSCIDLA Board.

SCHEDULE OF RELATED TECHNICAD INSTRUCTION (RTI) PROCESSES

Separate from work processes, 150-120 hours to be documented on a separate form in identified categories as adopted by the APELSCIDLA Board; this form can be found at the end of this document.

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APPRENTICESHIP RELATED TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION

Approved by the APELSLA (now APELSCIDLA) Board, July 25, 1996, and revised December 19, 2002; June 13, 2016, September 21, 2018

Please Note:

discussion. All Math instruction as set forth by the APELSCIDLA Board, must be provided by a secondary or college or above teacher.
All <u>Surveying instruction</u> as set forth by the APELSCIDLA Board, must be provided by a licensed Land Surveyor, or other professional

Survey 1 - 96 Hours	Survey 2 - 96 Hours
Weeks 1 - 8	Week 1
Introduction to the Course	License and trade info
APELSCIDLA Rules and	Weeks 2-7
Regulations	Introduction and study of Theory of Errors in Observations
Survey Mathematics	and Coordinate Geometry (COGO); analysis and adjustments
Weeks 9 - 16	of survey measurements, exam
Errors in Measurement	Weeks 8-12
Distance Measurement includes	Horizontal Curves; formula derivations; note keeping for
Taping/Corrections	layout; compound reverse curves; exam
Angular Measurement	Weeks 13-17
Differential Leveling	Control Surveys and Geodetic Reductions; horizontal and
Weeks 17 - 24	vertical control networks; NGRS; exam
Traverse Computations	Weeks 18-23
Horizontal Curves	Map Projections and State Plane Coordinates; Lambert
Vertical Curves	Conformal and Transverse Mercator; exam
Weeks 25 - 32	Weeks 24-28
Topographic / Photogrammetric	Astronomic Azimuth Determination; applied astronomy and
Surveys	celestial coordinate systems; exam
Geodesy / GPS / GIS	Weeks 29-32
Emerging Surveying	Global Positioning System; field procedures; various
Technologies	observing methods and their achievable accuracies; exam
Fundamentals of Surveying	
Exam Review	

Survey 3 - 96 Hours + 30 hour Project	Survey 4 - 96 Hours + 30 hour Project
1-Leveling and Profiles	Weeks 1-2 Introduction to Hydrology Stormwater Runoff Urban Water Cycle Soils/Land Cover & Topographical Changes
2-Vertical Curves	Introduction to Hydrology
3-Cross-Sections Leveling	Stormwater Runoff
And Typical Sections	Urban Water Cycle
4-7 Earthwork Volumes	Soils/Land Cover & Topographical Changes
Linear Projects	Stream Impacts
Grading Plans	
Borrow Pit and Contour	Water Quality Impacts Weeks 3-7 The Rational Formula
Method	The Rational Formula
8-Unit Exam/History of Surveying	The Anderson Formula
9-10-Public Lands Survey System	NRCS(Natural Resources Conservation
11-12-Maps & Photographs	Service) Technical Release 55 (TR-55)
13- Subdivision Design	Week 8
14-Research, Schemes,	Review & Test: Weeks (1-7)
15-Preliminary Layout	Weeks 9-12
16-Street Design	Introduction to Hydraulics
17-Lot Computations, Curves	Fluid Properties
18-Plans and Profiles	Fluid Statics/Dynamics
19-Street Grading Plan	Open Channel Flow
20- Introduction to Virginia Sediment and	Weeks 13-15
Erosion Control: Stormwater Best	Manning's Equation
Management Practices	Storm Sewer Hydraulics
21-Lot Grading	Sanitary Sewer Design
Management Practices 21-Lot Grading 22-Siting the Dwelling 23-Unit Exam. Sketching the Lot Grading Plan 24-Sketching the Lot Grading Plan (cont.)	Week 16
23-Unit Exam. Sketching the	Review & Test: Weeks (9-15)
Lot Grading Plan	Weeks 17-18
24-Sketching the	Inlet Design
Lot Grading Plan (cont.)	On Grade/Sump Conditions
25-Plotting Drainage Divides	Weeks 19-21
26-S.U.E., Sub-Surface Utilities Engineering,	Systems Head Losses
Laws and the segment of Land Surveying	VDOT Standard Step
related to SUE	Culvert Hydraulics
27-Unit Exam. Ethics &	Inlet/Outlet "barrel" Control
Minimum Standards	Week 22
28-Ethics & Minimum	Review & Test: Weeks (19-21)
Standards (cont.)	Weeks 23-26
29-Construction Layout	Virginia Runoff Reduction Method
3 0	Stormwater Management
30-Construction Layout (cont.) 31-Business, Economics,	
	Water Quantity Requirements
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32-Business, Economics,	Best Management Practices (BMP) Weeks 27-31
Finance, (cont.)	
33-Unit Exam. Critique	State (DEQ)/Regulations

Project: CADD based preparation of site and subdivision type docs, plats, plans, etc. Prerequisite CADD experience.

MS4/Virginia Stormwater Management ruality Program (VSMP) **VPDES** General Permit Chesapeake Bay TMDL Sediment and Erosion Control Certifications **Local Ordinances** Fairfax County Stormwater Chesapeake Bay

Week 32

Review & Test: Weeks (23-31)

Project: Stormwater, BMP, water quality design – using structural and non-structural

Survey 5 - 96 Hours + 30 hour Project

Weeks 1, 2, 3-Course Introduction/Syllabus/ Virginia Statutory Law related to the practice of Land Surveying, APELSCIDLA, Types of Surveys

- 4, 5-Dillon Rule in VA, Subdivision and Zoning Ordinances
- 6, 7-Byrd Act; Statute of Frauds, and Estoppel, Rights of Way, Discontinuance, Vacation, and Abandonment, Types of Deeds; Levels of Warranty; Quiet Title Action; Quitclaim Deeds
- 8-Quarter Exam
- 9, 10-Legal Descriptions
- 11, 12-Reconstruction of Intent, Order of Construction; Weight of Evidence
- 13-Conveyances; Sequential and Simultaneous
- 14-Reconstruction of Intent Applications in Boundary Solutions: Sequential/Simultaneous
- 15-Deed Research/CPAN and Project outline-kickoff
- 16-Quarter Exam/Intro to Case Law Research
- 17-Unwritten Rights: Boundary by Adverse Possession; Agreement; Acquiescence and Acceptance
- 18-Review Deed Research Project and Q&A on Research Process (30Hour Project)/Introduction of FINAL PAPER concept; requirements & topics
- 19, 20-Littoral/Riparian Boundary & Rights, Case Study
- 21, 22-Easements
- 23-ALTA/NSPS Land Title Survey
- 24-Quarter Exam
- 25-Railway and Utility Plans
- 26, 27-VDOT Plans and Alignments
- 28- Project Management
- 29-Virginia Condominium Act/Review of FLS and PLS Content areas
- 30,31- Due Diligence/Records Management, The Weight of Tax Assessment Maps, Informal Consolidations-NOT, Use of GIS, Ethics for the Surveyor
- 32-Presentation of Legal Principle Research Papers and/or Final Examinations

Project: Land Records Research

Work Processes (On-The-Job Learning Job Training)

Surveyor (Land, Professional)

Approved by the APELSLA (now APELSCIDLA) Board, July 25, 1996, and revised December 19, 2003

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Please Note:

This program is five years in duration. Credit for previous experience towards these years must be given based on the procedures as set forth in the Standards.

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APPRENTICE TEXTBOOKS RELATIVE TO RELATED VI. **TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION**

Basic Text:

ISBN: 0-912045-09-4, Professional Publications, Inc.

References:

Andrew L. Harbin

ISBN: 0-912045-42-6, Professional Publications, Inc.

"Surveying", ninth edition, Moffet & Bouchard

ISBN: 0-06-500059-5, Harper Collins Publishers, Inc.

"Land Surveyor Reference Manual", second edition, Andrew L. Harbin 0-912045-09-4, Professional Publications, Inc.

"Solutions Manual for the Land Surveyor Manual", second edition, w L. Harbin 0-912045-42-6, Professional Publications, Inc.

ying", ninth edition, Moffet & Bouchard 0-06-500059-5, Harper Collins Publishers, Inc. "Elementary Surveying", current edition, Paul R. Wolf and Russell Brinker ISBN: 0-06-500399-3, Harper Collins Publishers, Inc.

"Basic Occupational Mathematics", David Newton ISBN: 0-8251-1676-7, J. Weston Walch Publisher

"Brown's Boundary Control and Legal Principles", 6th Edition, Robillard, Wilson, and Brown

ISBN: 978-0-470-18354-0, Wiley Publishing

"Evidence and Procedures for Boundary Location", 3rd Edition, Brown, Robillard, Wilson ISBN: 0471552194, Wiley Publishing

Materials contains All Other Texts as the Instructors Deem Necessary

VIRGINIA SURVEYOR APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMSTANDARDS

REFERENCE MATERIALS LIST

PLEASE NOTE:

THE FOLLOWING PUBLICATIONS ARE SUGGESTED BY THE APELSCIDLA BOARD AS REFERENCES FOR LAND SURVEYOR STUDENTS IN PREPARATION FOR THE L.S.I.T. EXAMINATION

- 1. ACSM Definitions of Land Surveying and Associated Terms
- 2. Basic Geodesy, by J.R. Smith
- 3. Black's Law Dictionary
- 4. Boundaries and Adjacent Properties, Skeleton
- 5. Boundary Control and Legal Principles, Brown
- 6. Chesapeake Bay Preservation Act
- 7. Code of Virginia:

Title 2.1, Chapter 32

Title 3.1, Chapter 17.2

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Title 43, Chapter 1

Title 45.1, Chapter 10 and 22.1

Title 49, Chapter 1

Title 54.1, Chapter 1, 2, 3, and 4

Title 55, Chapter 1, 4, 4.1, 4.2, 5, 6, 8, 10, 17, 18, 19, 20, and 24

Title 56, Chapter 2

Title 62.1, Chapter 1, 2, and 8

- 8. Evidence Procedures for Boundary Locations, Brown and Eldridge
- 9. Federal Register, Volume 40, No. 23, February 3, 1975
- 10. GPS Satellite Surveying, Alfred Leick
- 11. GPS Theory and Practice, B. Hoffman-Wellenhof, H. Lichtenegger, and J. Collins
- 12. Guide to GPS Positioning, David Wells & Canadian GPS Associates
- 13. Minimum Standard Detail, Requirements for ALTA/ASCM Land Title Surveys
- 14. Route Surveying, Hickerson
- 15. Rules and Regulations for the Board for Architects, Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors, Certified Interior Designers and Landscape Architects
- 16. Surveying, Moffit/Bouchard
- 17. Surveying and Boundaries, Clark
- 18. Surveying Handbook, Hickerson
- 19. The Navstar Global Positioning System, by Tom Logsdon
- 20. Federal Clean Water Act
- 21. Virginia Chesapeake Bay Local Assistance Department, Local Assistance Manual, Current Edition
- 22. Virginia Chesapeake Bay Preservation Area Designation and Management Regulations (VR 173-02-01)
- 23. Virginia Department of Transportation Drainage Manual
- 24. Virginia Department of Transportation Road and Bridge Standards
- 25. Virginia Department of Transportation Survey Manual
- 26. Virginia Erosion and Sediment Control Handbook, Current Edition
- 27. Virginia State Library Board, Standards for Plats
- 28. Writing Legal Descriptions, Wattles

VIII. Signature Page

These Standards are hereby approved:
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10.	On-The-Job Training	21. Modifications

1. INTERPRETATIONS AND IMPLEMENTATION OF STANDARDS

- The Minimum Standards For Apprenticeship ("Standards") are based on, and conform to:
 - Regulations Governing the Administration of Apprenticeship Programs in the Commonwealth of Virginia", Chapter 20 of the Virginia Administrative Code." (Regulation 16VAC20-21-10 et. seg.)
 - "Voluntary Apprenticeship Act", §§40.1-117 through 40.1-126 of the Code of Virginia.
- Each registered apprenticeship program must comply, at a minimum, with all items in these Standards. (Regulation16VAC20-21-30)
- Each apprenticeship agreement will be governed by the terms and conditions in these Standards. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-70; VA Code §40.1-121)
- d. If a sponsor and apprentice have a difference of opinion in the interpretation of the Standards which cannot be satisfactorily resolved, either of them may consult with the Commissioner through the Apprenticeship Director, for clarification of the matter in question. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-120)

2. DEFINITIONS

- a. <u>Apprentice</u> A person at least 16 years old, (whose employment is currently in compliance with all State and Federal laws) who is learning and working in an apprenticeable occupation and is covered by a written Apprenticeship Agreement with an employer, registered with the Virginia Department of Labor and Industry (DOLI). (Regulation 16VAC20-21-20; VA Code §40.1-120)
- b. Apprenticeable Occupation A skilled occupation which: is customarily learned in a practical way through a structured systematic program of on-the-job supervised work experience, is clearly identifiable and recognized throughout an industry; involves manual, mechanical or technical skills which require a minimum of 2,000 hours of on-the-job work experience; requires related instruction to supplement the on-the-job work experience. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-20, VA Code §40.1-120)
- c. Apprenticeship Agreement (Agreement) An approved written agreement between a sponsor and apprentice (and guardian if apprentice is under 18), as defined in Regulation 16 VAC20-21-20. By signing the Agreement, all parties agree to accept all terms and requirements contained in the Standards, the sponsor's Rrogram Registration, the Act and the Regulations. (Regulation 16 VAC20-21-70; VA Code §40.1-121)
- d. <u>Sponsor</u> An employer, association of employers, joint apprenticeship committee or organization of employees that has an approved apprenticeship program registered with the DOLI. A program shall be operated by the sponsor and registered in the sponsor's name. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-20; VA Code §40.1-120)
- e. <u>Supervisor of Apprenticeship</u> The person designated by the sponsor to perform the duties outlined in the Standards and will be designated on the Program Registration.
- f. Program Registration An approved written description of the terms and conditions of apprentices' employment, training and supervision under a sponsor's apprenticeship program for a specific apprenticeable occupation, in accordance with the Act, Regulations, Standards, and any additional State Board Apprenticeship Standards which apply. The Program Registration shall incorporate a written Schedule of Work Processes. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-50)
- Virginia Apprenticeship Council (VAC) Advisory organization which provides guidance on regulations and policies. Members are appointed by the Governor. The U.S. Department of Labor's Office of Apprenticeship has granted VAC authority to issue Certificates of Completion upon completion of the program. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-20, VA Code §§40.1-117 & 40.1-118, items 1, 3, 4, 5)
- h. <u>Virginia Department of Labor and Industry (DOLI)</u> The agency which administers the Voluntary Apprenticeship Act and its related

- regulations in Virginia. DOLI acts as the official agent of the VAC. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-20, VA Code §40.1-125)
- Commissioner The Commissioner of the Virginia Department of Labor and Industry as defined by VA Code §40.1-2.

3. APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMS

- a. <u>Program Approval</u> Sponsors must have written notice of registration before establishing any Apprenticeship Agreements to employ and train individual apprentices. (Regulation 16VAC20-21 30, items A, C, D)
- b. Program Termination Programs may be canceled by sponsor request or de-registered by the DOLI. Canceled programs may be reinstated upon sponsor request, if they meet registration requirements. De-registered programs may be reinstated if the DOLI determines that there is adequate evidence that the program is being operated in accordance with the Act and Regulations. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-70 & 16VAC20-21-80)
- Program Evaluation DOLI shall review and evaluate each sponsor's program as required. (Regulation 16 AC21-30, item H)

4. APPRENTICESHIP AGREEMENTS

- Each Apprenticeship Agreement is a contract between, and must be signed by, the apprentice (and guardian if apprentice is under 18 years of age) and the sponsor's authorized representative, and registered with the DOLL (Regulation 16VAC20-21-70 item 1, VA Code §40:1-122)
- b. A signed Apprenticeship Agreement indicates that both apprentice (and guardian) and sponsor understand and agree to all apprenticeship requirements.
 - To be valid, each Apprenticeship Agreement must:
 - i. Comply with Regulation 16VAC20-21-70, VA Code §40.1-121.
 - ii. Contain all required signatures. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-70 item 1, VA Code §40.1-121)
 - iii. Be approved by the DOLI. (Regulation 16VAC 20-21-30, VA Code §40.1-122)
 - iv. Be registered and filed by the sponsor. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-30, item C.1 & 2)
- d.\(\) All required signers must receive a copy of the signed Apprenticeship Agreement and Standards.

5. EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

- Sponsors and potential sponsors must not discriminate (based on race, color, religion, national origin, sex or physical handicap, which is unrelated to the person's qualifications and ability to perform the job) in recruiting, selecting, employing or training apprentices. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-30 item B.2; and 16VAC20-21-50, item B.23)
- Sponsors must take affirmative action to provide equal opportunity in operating apprenticeship programs. Programs must operate as required under the Virginia State Plan, and they must comply with Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 30. (Regulation 16VAC 20-21-30, item B.2)

6. TERM OF APPRENTICESHIP

- a. The minimum term for any apprenticeship program shall be 2,000 hours of reasonably continuous employment, or if the Competency or Hybrid term is proposed, DOLI will review on a case by case basis and may approve if requirements are addressed. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-50, item B. 2.a.; VA Code §40.1-120)
- b. Employment must be supplemented by the amount of related instruction required in the occupation. A minimum of 144 hours of related instruction is required for each year of apprenticeship to be completed by the end of the term. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-50, item B.4.)
- c. When the apprentice is required to work overtime, these overtime hours WILL/WILL NOT be credited to the term of apprenticeship. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-50, item B.2.)

7. CREDIT FOR PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE

- a. An applicant for apprenticeship may be allowed credit on the term of apprenticeship documented for prior experience whether with the sponsor or elsewhere.
- The sponsor's Supervisor of Apprenticeship must review and approve the applicant's record of previous experience before such experience will be credited. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-50, item B.14)

8. SUPERVISION OF APPRENTICES

- a. Each sponsor must designate a Supervisor of Apprenticeship. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-20)
- b. The Supervisor of Apprenticeship must assure that:
 - i. All programs are registered with the DOLI.
 - ii. All apprentices receive a company orientation that includes: Standards of Apprenticeship, any additional industry standards, company policies, safety rules and regulations.
 - iii. All apprentices receive instruction in safe and healthful working methods in each operation as it is encountered throughout the term of apprenticeship.
 - iv. All apprentices are adequately trained and supervised in all areas by qualified personnel. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-50, item B.11)
 - v. Each apprentice's progress is reviewed and documented prior to moving to a new wage level. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-50, items B.5, B.6)
 - vi. Credit for previous experience is granted when appropriate. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-50, item B.14)
 - vii. Each apprentice is notified of related instruction requirements and the name and location of each approved related instruction provider. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-50, item B.4)
 - viii. Related Instruction Provider(s) is contacted to review each apprentice's educational progress before the expiration of each wage period. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-50, item B.6)
 - ix. Records are prepared and filed at specified intervals apprentice's aptitude, skill and progress. Submits prompt and complete written notification to DOLI of any change in apprentice status. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-30.E;16VAC20-21-50, item B.6.)
 - x. Any other duties needed to develop and maintain an effective apprenticeship program. (Regulation 16VAC20-

RESPONSIBILITIES OF APPRENTICES

- Apprentices are employees and have basic employee responsibilities. Each apprentice must make every effort to become a well-qualified journeyworker.
- Each apprentice must be on time for work, learn all work processes, complete all work assignments, and take initiative to ask appropriate
- Each apprentice must be registered for related instruction, attend regularly and be on time.
- Each apprentice should review these Standards and the sponsor's Program Registration to ensure that he/she is trained and paid according to these documents.
- Each apprentice has the responsibility to consult with the Supervisor of Apprenticeship to assure that all accurate and appropriate records are updated and DOLI is notified promptly of any changes in status. Each apprentice must use appropriate conduct during related instruction process and on the job site.
- Each apprentice must obtain licensing applications following completion of the apprenticeship Program.

10. ON-THE-JOB TRAINING

The apprentice shall be given instruction and work experience as established by industry practice and as listed in the work processes.

- The work experiences do not need to be in the precise order as listed in the work processes.
- The work processes must be recorded in the Program Registration.

11. RELATED INSTRUCTION

- Each apprentice shall receive related instruction and shall provide the Supervisor of Apprenticeship with evidence of satisfactory participation and progress following completion of each designated
- A minimum of 144 hours of related instruction is recommended for each year of apprenticeship, to be completed during the full term. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-50, item B.4; 16VAC20-21-70, item 5.b.)
- The Apprenticeship Agreement can be suspended or canceled when an apprentice does not satisfactorily complete either the on-the-job training or related instruction. Exceptions may be allowed for sickness or injury. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-70, item 8.b.(1)&(2))

- 12. INITIAL PROBATIONARY PERIOD

 a. Each apprentice must serve between 500 and 2,000 hours of the apprenticeship term as an initial probationary period. The specific number of hours is stated in each Program Registration. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-50, items B.2 & B.10; 16VAC20-21-70, item 8.a)
 - During the probationary period cancellation of the Apprenticeship Agreement may be requested by the sponsor or the apprentice. Notice of such actions must be given to the DOLI. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-50, item B.20-22; 16VAC20-21-60, item B.2.b)
 - Full credit will be given for the initial probationary period toward completion of the apprenticeship program. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-50, item B.10)
 - All apprentices registered under these Standards shall be subject to an initial probationary period of ___ _hours of employment.

13. PERIODIC EVALUATION

The progress of each apprentice's job performance and related instruction shall be subject to a periodic review prior to the expiration of each wage period. Should a review reveal a lack of interest or ability on the part of the apprentice, the apprentice will be informed of the deficiency and may be placed on probation for a sufficient period to determine improvement or failure. At the end of the probationary period, if the apprentice has not shown acceptable improvement, the apprenticeship agreement may be suspended or canceled. The sponsor must promptly notify the apprentice and the DOLI in writing of any suspension or cancellation. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-50, items B.6 & B.22; 16VAC 20-21-70, item 8.b)

14. HOURS OF WORK

- Hours of work for apprentices shall be determined by the Sponsor and apprentice with full-time being the norm. Part-time schedules are permitted and must be recorded the same as for all other employees.
- Time spent at related instruction MAY OR MAY NOT be considered as hours of work. The sponsor's decision must be documented in the Program Registration. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-70, item b.7)
- Sponsors shall not require apprentices to work hours that would interfere with attending related instruction except in emergencies.

15. APPRENTICE WAGES

- The term of each apprenticeship program shall be divided into periods, with wages that progressively increase as the apprentice progresses in skill and productivity. Wages will be established in accordance with federal and state wage laws. (Regulation 16VAC 20-21-50, items B.5 & B.14;16VAC20-21-70, item 7; 16VAC20-21-80, item C.1.(iii))
- Wages are based on the basic rate paid to journeyworkers and must reflect any credit given for previous experience. Overtime shall be based on the same percentage as that paid all other hourly employees. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-50, item B.5)

- The minimum wages paid all apprentices employed under these Standards must be recorded in the Program Registration. (16VAC20-21-50, item B.5)

16. TRANSFER, LAYOFF/REINSTATEMENT, SUSPENSION OR

17. CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION

18. STUDENT APPRENTICES

19. NUMBER OF APPRENTICES TO BE TRAINED IN THE PROGRAM

The number of apprentices shall be determined by the adequacy of facilities, the need of journeyworkers in the community and reasonable assurance of employment in the occupation establishment upon completion of training. To ensure adequate training the ratio of apprentices to journeyworkers shall not exceed: one (1) apprentice to _____ journeyworker(s). The default ratio is 1 apprentice to 1 journeyworker. A variance may be requested of the Director of Registered Apprenticeship and will be evaluated on a case by case basis. (Regulation 16VAC20-21-50, items B.8 & B.9) All variances must also be approved by the Commissioner of the DOLI.

20. ADDITIONAL SPONSOR APPRENTICE QUALIFICATIONS (optional)

a.	Age Minimum [*] _	
b.	Education	
D.	Education	

C.	Physical Capability	
d.	Other	
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Board for Architects, Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors, Certified Interior Designers and Landscape Architects VIRGINIA SURVEYOR APPRENTICESHIP STANDARDS - RTI TRAINING LOG

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July 2, 2019

Charles L. Smith, III, LS **Blakeway Corporation** 630 N. Witchduck Rd. Virginia Beach, VA 23462

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Dear Mr. Smith:

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SCI On March 12, 2019, the Board for Architects, Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors, Certified Interior Designers and Landscape Architects (APELSCIDLA) reviewed your email inquiry sent to Board Member, Ms. Anglin, on March 8, 2019.

In response to your question if a UAS (Drone) company can sell aerial photography and/or LIDAR type point data to an engineering/surveying company for design purposes in Virginia without a photogrammetrist/land surveyor's licensed person on staff? The answer is no, Photogrammetric surv

. such work being used for design, you may professional using the work inappropriately, yo complaint Analysis@dpor.virginia.gov or by calling (804) 36.

If you have any questions, you can reach me at (804) 367-8514.

Most sincerely it cannot be used for design purposes. If the product is to be for design purposes, the work must be performed by a licensed professional. For more information, please refer to the APELSCIDLA Regulation 18VAC10-20-392. Photogrammetric surveys.

If you are aware of such work being used for design, you may wish to file a complaint against the licensed professional using the work inappropriately, you can file a complaint by emailing ComplaintAnalysis@dpor.virginia.gov or by calling (804) 367-8504.

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National Transportation Safety Board

Ongoing Investigation

Safety Recommendation Report

Natural Gas Distribution System Project Development and Review (Urgent)

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per 13, 2018, about 4:00 p.m. eastern daylight time, a series of explaining the Management and the Management and Review (Urgent) On September 13, 2018, about 4:00 p.m. eastern daylight time, a series of explosions and fires occurred after high-pressure natural gas was released into a low-pressure gas distribution system in the northeast region of the Merrimack Valley, Massachusetts. The distribution system was owned and operated by Columbia Gas of Massachusetts (Columbia Gas), a subsidiary of NiSource, Inc. The system overpressure damaged 131 structures, including at least 5 homes that were destroyed in the city of Lawrence and the towns of Andover and North Andover. Most of the damage was a result of structure fires ignited by gas-fueled appliances. Several structures were destroyed by natural gas explosions. One person was killed and at least 21 individuals, including 2 firefighters, were transported to the hospital. Seven other firefighters received minor injuries.

The cast-iron, low-pressure natural gas distribution system was installed in the early 1900s and had been partially improved with both steel and plastic pipe upgrades since the 1950s. The low-pressure distribution system in the affected area relied on 14 regulator stations to control natural gas at the required pressure into structures serviced by the system. Each of the regulator stations reduced the natural gas pressure from about 75-pounds per square inch, gauge (psig) to about 12 inches of water column (about 0.5 psig) for delivery to customers.¹

Prior to the accident, Columbia Gas had an overarching plan consisting of multiple projects to replace 7,595 feet of low-pressure, existing cast-iron and plastic natural gas main with 4,845 feet of low-pressure and high-pressure plastic gas main on South Union Street and neighboring streets.

On September 13, prior to the overpressure event, a Columbia Gas-contracted work crew, which included a Columbia Gas inspector, executed one of the Columbia Gas-designed and -approved pipe-replacement projects at the intersection of South Union Street and Salem Street in South Lawrence. The project was to install a plastic distribution main and abandon in place a cast-iron distribution main. The distribution main that was abandoned still had the regulator-sensing lines that were used to detect pressure in the distribution system and provide input to the regulators to control the system pressure. Once the contractor crews disconnected the distribution main that was being abandoned, the section containing the regulator-sensing lines began losing pressure.

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¹ Inches of water column is a unit of pressure measurement that is typically used for low-pressure gas systems, such as a low-pressure natural gas distribution system.

As the pressure in the abandoned distribution main dropped about 0.25 inches of water column (about 0.01 psig), the regulators responded by opening further, increasing pressure in the distribution system. The regulators opened completely when they no longer sensed system pressure, allowing the full flow of high-pressure gas to release into the distribution system supplying the neighborhood. As a result, natural gas was delivered to customers at a pressure well above the maximum-allowable operating pressure which led to the ignition of fires and explosions in homes.

Minutes before the fires and explosions occurred, the Columbia Gas monitoring center in bus, Ohio, received two high-pressure alarms for the South Lawrence gas pressure system 1:04 p.m. and the other at 4:05 p.m. The monitoring center had no continuously capability was to monitor a chnicians according. Columbus, Ohio, received two high-pressure alarms for the South Lawrence gas pressure system: one at 4:04 p.m. and the other at 4:05 p.m. The monitoring center had no control capability to close or open valves; its only capability was to monitor pressures on the distribution system and advise field technicians accordingly. Following company protocol, at 4:06 p.m., the Columbia Gas controller reported the high-pressure event to the Meters and Regulations group in Lawrence. A local resident made the first 9-1-1 call to Lawrence Emergency Services at 4:11 p.m.

In response, three technicians were dispatched to perform field checks on 14 regulators. Columbia Gas shut down the regulator at issue by about 4:30 p.m. The critical valves of the natural gas distribution system were closed by 7:24 p.m. Beginning about midnight, crews consisting of two Columbia Gas technicians escorted by two emergency response personnel began shutting off the meters at each house to isolate the homes from the natural gas distribution system. All meters were shut off by the following morning.

Engineering Work Package Approval Process

Omissions in the engineering work package and construction documentation for the project near South Union Street and Salem Street were discovered during the National Transportation Safety Board (NTSB) investigators' review Although Columbia Gas used its project workflow process to develop, review, and approve the engineering plans, the work package did not include consideration of the existence of regulator-sensing lines within the scope of work—in particular, the regulator-sensing lines connected to the distribution lines that were slated to be abandoned. This omission was not identified by the Columbia Gas constructability review.

Constructability reviews are a recognized and generally accepted good engineering practice for the execution of professional design services and are intended to provide an independent and structured review of construction plans and specifications to ensure there are no conflicts, errors, or omissions.² The review should be performed by qualified professionals to identify deficiencies and incorporate improvements into the construction documents. Many jursidictions also require that plans be approved (sealed) by a professional engineer licensed to perform engineering in the jurisdiction.³

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² J.G. Kirby, R.P. Cannalte, D.K. Hicks, and E.J. Japel, Constructability and Design Reviews: Analysis and Recommendations for Improvement, US Army Corps of Engineers Constructional Engineering Research Library Technical Report P-89/15 (Washington, DC: US Army Corps of Engineers, 1989).

³ (a) According to the National Society of Professional Engineers (NSPE), in order to use the PE seal, an engineer must earn a 4-year degree in engineering from an accredited engineering program, pass the Fundamentals of

According to the Columbia Gas project workflow process, a company field engineer is responsible for the development of design and engineering modifications to the pipeline system.⁴ The plans are packaged as a project package that is circulated to other departments for the department to approve all projects, but the Land Services department and the Meter and Regulation "depending on the project." department review the packages on an "as needed basis," depending on the project.

While the engineering design package for the South Union Street project underwent a constructability review, NTSB investigators found that the constructability review did not identify the impact on pressure regulation and control. The Columbia Gas field engineer who developed the engineering plans told NTSB investigators that he developed them without reviewing engineering drawings that documented the regulator-sensing lines.

The field engineer said that the Meter and Regulation department within Columbia Gas had the maps containing control line information and he was unaware if his department had access to such records. Furthermore, the field engineer had limited knowledge about the importance of the regulator-sensing lines or the consequences of losing the capability to sense the main pressure via the regulator-sensing lines. The constructability review records for the overarching South Union Street and Salem project indicate that the plans were seen and approved by the Engineering department and the Construction department. The Meters and Regulation department and the Land Services department were not required to review the project because the field engineer did not believe at the time that the proposed scope of work was applicable to or affected these departments. 6 The NTSB believes a comprehensive constructability review, which would require all departments to review each project, along with the seal of approval from a professional engineer (PE), would likely have identified the omission of the regulator-sensing lines, thereby preventing the error that led to the accident. By sealing the project plans, the PE takes responsibility for the accuracy and completeness of the engineering package. Neither the Commonwealth of Massachusetts nor Columbia Gas policy require a registered PE to develop or review public utility engineering plans.⁷

According to the National Society of Professional Engineers (NSPE), in most states PE's are not required to review and approve project plans, such as those used in this accident, because they have industrial, public utility, or other exemptions. The NSPE has advocated for the phasing out of existing industrial exemptions in state licensing laws. According to the NSPE:

Engineering exam, complete 4 years of progressive engineering experience under the guidance of a registered PE, and pass the Principles and Practice of Engineering exam. (b) The qualifications required for licensure as a PE in the United States are set by each jurisdiction through the state's engineering statute, and rules established by the state board of licensure of professional engineers implementing those statutory requirements. The law and the rules differ in each state.

The field engineer was not a registered professional engineer. Columbia Gas often refers to the project package as a "pouch."

⁶ The Columbia Gas Capital Design Job and Constructability Review Checklists allow the Engineering department to determine what departments outside of the Engineering and Construction departments review the project.

⁷ Massachusetts Public Health Regulations, Title XVI, Chapter 112, Section 81R.

[m]any engineers in industry have responsibility for activities that directly affect the public health, safety, and welfare. But exemptions place these individuals and organizations performing engineering services outside of the licensing system. Exempt individuals and organizations are not subject to the same legal and ethical requirements as those who are licensed.⁸

The NTSB believes that it is critical that an engineer with the appropriate qualifications and experience review engineering plans for a gas company, if not develop them. The Commonwealth of Massachusetts exemption for the requirement of PE licensure to perform "industrial" and public utility work foreclose an opportunity to detect this design oversight. The seal of a PE should be required on all public utility engineering plans to reduce the likelihood of accidents such as this occurring.⁹

The PE licensure is a regulatory instrument for advancing the public good, protecting employers and the public, and ensuring that the engineering work was performed consistent with a standard of care and in accordance with a strict code of ethics. A PE seal on a plan would illustrate that the plan had been approved by an accredited professional with the requisite skills, knowledge, and experience to provide a comprehensive review. Therefore, the NTSB recommends that the commonwealth of Massachusetts eliminate the professional engineer licensure exemption for public utility work and require a professional engineer's seal on public utility engineering plans. Additionally, the NTSB recommends that NiSource revise the engineering plan and constructability review process across all its subsidiaries to ensure that all applicable departments review construction documents for accuracy, completeness, and correctness, and that the documents or plans be sealed by a PE prior to commencing work.

Pipeline System Records

NTSB investigators also learned that the engineering plans used during the construction work did not document the location of regulator-sensing lines. A review of the engineering work package indicated that the location of the nearest regulator was identified on the plans and maps but did not indicate the location of the regulator-sensing lines.

Documentation and record-keeping are critical parts of a pipeline safety management system (PSMS) program. In fact, American Petroleum Institute Recommended Practice 1173, *Pipeline Safety Management Systems*, states in Section 14.1:¹⁰

The pipeline operator shall maintain a procedure for the identification, distribution, and control of documents required by its PSMS. The procedure shall specify responsibilities for document approval and re-approval and shall identify the

⁸ NSPE, *Industrial Exemption*, https://www.nspe.org/sites/default/files/IndustrialExemptionFINAL2017.pdf, accessed October 23, 2018.

⁹ The seal of a PE signifies that the document has been developed or reviewed by an individual who has met the necessary prerequisites of engineering education, experience, and examination.

¹⁰ American Petroleum Institute, *Pipeline Safety Management System Requirements*, API Recommended Practice 1173, First edition, July 2015 (Washington, DC: American Petroleum Institute, 2015).

controls needed to assure that the documents required by the PSMS, including revisions, translations, and updates:

- a) are reviewed and approved for adequacy prior to issue and use;
- b) identify changes and revision status;
- c) remain legible and readily identifiable; and
- d) are readily available and accessible to workers performing an activity.

iscussion. Obsolete documents shall be removed from all points of issue or use, or shall otherwise be identified to assure against unintended use if they are retained for any purpose.

Had accurate alignment sheets with comprehensive system information been available and used during the construction project, engineers and work crews would have been able to identify the regulator-sensing lines and ensure their relocation prior to abandoning the pipeline main. 11 Therefore, the NTSB recommends that NiSource review and ensure that all records and documentation of its natural gas systems are traceable, reliable, and complete.

Management of Change

Columbia Gas's implementation of management of change (MOC) is limited to the management of its Distribution Integrity Management Plan (DIMP), a program required by Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA) regulations to enhance safety by identifying and mitigating risks that could cause serious consequences to the integrity of the pipeline system." Columbia Gas does not practice MOC for managing maintenance and construction changes to pipeline operations. Engineering department personnel rely upon checklists within its workflow documentation to manage change within the work packages generated through the department.

NTSB interviews of Columbia Gas managers and staff revealed that the company did not conduct separate risk assessments for each construction project. Performing risk assessments and developing risk mitigation plans or procedures are critical components of in a PSMS program. API RP 1173 states in Section 8.4.1. 12

The pipeline operator shall maintain a procedure for management of change (MOC). For each MOC, the pipeline operator shall identify the potential

The alignment sheet is a document that represents the "as built" location of the pipeline and includes the description of the pipe laid. The pipeline is typically represented as a single line or centerline and typically drawn to scale. The description will include the outside diameter of the pipe, grade, weight-per-foot, and wall thickness, as well as the type of connection used to join the individual lengths or joints of pipe. The sheet may indicate whether the land is forest or in cultivation. Stations along the pipeline indicate distance from the starting point to that "station" and are reference points, as there also will be various crossings designating oil and gas pipelines of varying sizes, water lines, sewer lines, and underground cables, etc. Other topographical features might be listed as well such as the type of soil, hilly, rolling hills, and wetlands, etc.

¹² American Petroleum Institute, Pipeline Safety Management System Requirements, API Recommended Practice 1173, First edition, June 2014 (Washington, DC: American Petroleum Institute, 2014).

risks associated with the change and any required approvals prior to the introduction of such changes.

MOC procedures require an analysis of implications, among several other elements. Additionally, a risk identification and assessment are necessary to establish the appropriate prevention and mitigation measures to reduce the likelihood of consequences should an incident occur. Columbia Gas failed to perform such an analysis and failed to establish appropriate controls to mitigate the risks of the work that was being performed.

NTSB investigators also learned that, until about 4 years ago, Columbia Gas required that a technician monitor any gas main revision work which required depressurizing the main. The technician—typically from the Meter and Regulation department—would use a gauge to monitor the pressure readings on the impacted main and would communicate directly with the crew making the change. If a pressure anomaly occurred, the technician could quickly act to prevent an overpressurization action. Columbia Gas offered no explanation as to why this procedure was phased out. Although the Columbia Gas monitoring center in Columbus, Ohio, received high-pressure alarms and reported the event to the Meters and Regulations department 2 minutes after receiving the first alarm, there were no technicians prestaged or positioned to immediately close valves when the overpressurization occurred.

Had Columbia Gas adequately performed MOC and placed personnel at critical points along the system, Columbia Gas could have immediately addressed the issue and mitigated the consequences of the event.

Therefore, the NTSB recommends that NiSource apply management of change processes to all changes to adequately identify system threats that could result in a common mode failure. Additionally, the NTSB recommends that NiSource develop and implement control procedures during modifications to gas mains to mitigate the risks identified during MOC operations. Gas main pressures should be continually monitored during these modifications and assets should be placed at critical locations to immediately shut down the system if abnormal operations are

Recommendations

As a result of this report, the National Transportation Safety Board makes the following safety recommendations:

To the Commonwealth of Massachusetts:

To NiSource, Inc.:

Eliminate the professional engineer licensure exemption for public utility work and require a professional engineer's seal on public utility engineering drawings. (P-18-005)

ource, Inc.:

Revise the engineering plan and constructability review process across all of subsidiaries to ensure that all applicable depart documents for accuracy. documents for accuracy, completeness, and correctness, and that the documents or plans be sealed by a professional engineer prior to commencing work. (P-18-006) (Urgent)

Review and ensure that all records and documentation of your natural gas systems are traceable, reliable, and complete. (P-18-007) (Urgent)

Apply management of change process to all changes to adequately identify system threats that could result in a common mode failure. (P-18-008) (Urgent)

Develop and implement control procedures during modifications to gas mains to mitigate the risks identified during management of change operations. Gas main pressures should be continually monitored during these modifications and assets should be placed at critical locations to immediately shut down the system if abnormal operations are detected. (P-18-009) (Urgent)

BY THE NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD

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aterials contained in this agenda are proposed topics for discussion.

COMPLIANCE & INVESTIGATIONS POLICY #800-05 NOTICE OF CEASE AND DESIST

Effective Date: July 1, 2019

- II. POLICY STATEMENT: It shall be the policy of DPOR to issue, where applicable, Cease and Desist Notices in accordance with § 54.1-111(C) of the Code of Virginia.

 III. DEFINITIONS:

 Cease and Desist Notice A record of notification or entities where it has been individed.

Code of Virginia.

Investigative Staff – Individuals employed by DPOR pursuant to § 54.1-306(A) of the Code of Virginia.

Unlicensed Individual or Entity - Party who is not licensed, certified or registered with DPOR and practiced in the Commonwealth of Virginia in a profession regulated by DPOR requiring a license, certification or registration pursuant to § 54.1-111 of the Code of Virginia.

Complainant - Party who filed a complaint with DPOR against the unlicensed individual or entity.

IV. RELATED DOCUMENTS:

Compliance and Investigations Procedure Manual **Investigation Section Procedure Manual** Cease and Desist Notice

V. GENERAL PROVISIONS:
In accordance design In accordance with § 54.1-111(C) of the Code of Virginia, the Director of DPOR hereby designates Investigative Staff with the authority to issue cease and desist notices.

In determining whether the issuance of Cease and Desist Notices is appropriate, Investigative Staff shall consider and apply the following factors and guidance:

COMPLIANCE & INVESTIGATIONS POLICY #800-05 NOTICE OF CEASE AND DESIST

- Unlicensed individual or entity action(s) appear to be indicative of ignorance or an unintentional violation of the licensure, certification or registration requirements of §§ 54.1-111(A)(1)-(5), or (8) of the Code of Virginia.
- Unlicensed individual or entity proactively seeks compliance
 - o Individual or entity begins the appropriate license, certification or registration process through the DPOR; and
 - o application is received by DPOR with receipt of the application verified by **Investigative Staff**
- Unlicensed individual or entity proactively mitigates the nature of the violation of law, which may reduce the likelihood of criminal prosecution (e.g., return of funds to Complainant)
- Complainants are not willing to participate as witnesses in the criminal court
- Commonwealth's Attorneys decline prosecution

Prior to Investigative Staff issuing any Cease and Desist Notice, the investigation and accompanying case file record must demonstrate and support a violation of §§ 54.1-111(A)(1)-(5), or (8) of the Code of



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Acronyms

AAA-The Alberta Association of Architects

AACA-Architectural Accreditation Council of Australia

AAEE-American Academy of Environmental Engineers

AAES-American Association of Engineering Societies

AANB-Architects Association of New Brunswick

AAPEI-Architects Association of Prince Edward Island

osed to pics to aid position. AAPQ-Association of Architects in Private Practice in Quebec

ABET-Accreditation Board for Engineering & Technology

ACCA-Advisory Committee on Council Activities

ACE-Architects' Council of Europe

ACEC-American Council of Engineering Companies

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ACSA-Association of Collegiate Schools of Architecture

ACSM-American Congress on Surveying and Mapping

ADA-Americans with Disabilities Act

AEI-Architectural Engineering Institute

AERB-Architects Education & Registration Board (NZ)

AIAA-American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics

AIA-American Institute of Architects

AIAS-American Institute of Architecture Students

AIBC-Architectural Institute of British Columbia

AIChE-American Institute of Chemical Engineers

AIME-American Institute of Mining, Metallurgical, and Petroleum Engineers

ALHI -Board of Asbestos, Lead and Home Inspectors

ALHI-Board of Asbestos, Lead and Home Inspectors, Geology, waterworks/wastewater

ANS-American Nuclear Society

ANSI-American National Standards Institute

AOSE-Authorized Onsite Soil Evaluator (currently under VDH moving to DPOR 7/1/09

APEC-Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation

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ARB-Architects Registration Board (UK)

ARE-Architect Registration Examination

ASABE-American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers

ASAC-Applied Science Accreditation Commission

ASBOG-Association of State Boards of Geology

ASC-Architectural Society of China

ASCE-American Society of Civil Engineers

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ASEE-American Society for Engineering Education

ASHRAE-American Society of Heating, Refrigerating, and Air-Conditioning Engineers

ASID-American Society of Interior Designers

ASINEA-Asociación de Instituciones de Ensenanza de la Arquitectura

ASLA-American Society of Landscape Architects (54.1-403)

ASME-American Society of Mechanical Engineers

ASPRS-American Society of Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing

BAPS-Board Administrative Proceedings

BCHOP-Barber, Cosmetology, Hearing Aid and Optician Board

Dand Council of American Structural Engineers
CCAC-Committee of Canadian Architectural Councils
CCPE-Canadian Council of Professional Engineers; Operates as Engineers Canada
CCUSA-Canadian Council of University Schools of Architecture
CCVID-Council of Certified Virginia Interior Designers
CEAB-Canadian Engineering Accreditation Board
CELSOC-Consulting Engineers and Land Surveyors of California Cester Council of Engineering Specialty Boards
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CEAB-Council for Interi

CIDP-California IDP

CIDQ-Council for Interior Design Qualification

CLARB-Council of Landscape Architectural Registration Boards

CLEAR-Council on Licensure, Enforcement, and Regulation

CLES-Commerce License Enforcement System

CLSA-California Land Surveyors Association

COMEA-Consejo Mexicano de Acrediatación de la Ensenanza de la Arquitectura

COMPIA-Comite Mexicano Para la Practica Inernacional de la Arquitectura

CONARC-Consejo Nacional de Registro y Certicación

COV-Code of Virginia

CPC-Continuing Professional Competency

CSBSR-Colonial States Boards of Surveyor Registration

CSC-Central States conference, Region 5 (NCARB)

CSI-Construction Specifications Institute

DPB-Department Planning/Budget

DLAS-Division of Legislative Automated Systems

EAC-Engineering Accreditation Commission (under ABET) engineering degree

EAGLES Elective Access Government License/Enforcement System (Versa)

EESA-Education Evaluation Services for Architects

ECEI-Engineer Credentials Evaluation International

EHS Sr.-Environmental Health Specialist

EI-Engineer Intern

EIA-Economic Impact Anaylsis

EIT-Engineer-in-Training

ELSES-

EPE-Committee on Examinations for Professional Engineers

EPP-Committee on Examination Policy and Procedures

EPS-Committee on Examinations for Professional Surveyors

FARB-Federation of Associations of Regulatory Boards
FCARM-La Federacion Nacional de Colegios de Arquitectos de la Republica Mexicana
FE-Fundamentals of Engineering Examination
FIDER-Foundation for Interior Design Education and Research
FIG-International Federation of Surveyors
FLS-now FS Fundamentals of Surveying Examination
FPAA-Federacion Panamericana de Asociaciones de Arquitectos
FS-Fundamentals of Surveying Examination
GMP-Guidance Memorandum Policy
HBCU-Historical Black Colleges and Universities
HKIA-Hong Kong Institute of Architects
BD-Institute of Business Designers
CBO-International Conference of Building Officials
COR-Inter-professional Council on Registration
ORC-Intern Development Program

DP-Intern Development Program

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OR - International Council on Registration
OPCC-Intern Development Program

OP-International Council on Registration

IDPCC-Intern Development Program Coordinating Committee

IDP-Intern Development Program

IEEE-Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers

IIE-Institute of Industrial Engineers

ISA-The Instrumentation, Systems, and Automation Society

JAEIC-Japan Architectural Education and Information Center

JIA-Japan Institute of Architects

JPEC-Japan PE/FE Examiners Council

L.S.-Land Surveyor

LAAB-Landscape Architectural Accreditation Board (housed under ASLA)

LARE-Landscape Architect Registration Examination

LRD-Licensing and Regulation Division

LSI-Land Surveyor Intern

LSIT-Land Surveyor-in-Training

LS-Land Surveyors

MAC-Middle-Atlantic Conference, Region (NCARB)

MAPPS-Management Association for Private Photogrammetric Surveyors

MBA-Member Board Administrator (NCEES)

MBE-Member Board Executive (NCARB)

MBM-Member Board Members (NCARB)

MCSC-Mid-Central States Conference, Region 4 (NCARB)

MLE-Model Engineer

MSPS-Michigan Society of Professional Surveyors

NAAB-National Architectural Accrediting Board

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NAA-Newfoundland Association of Architects

NABAR-National Administration Board of Architectural Registration (of China)

MAER-National Board of Architects Examination and Registration
NBC-National Building Code (Canada)
NCARB-National Council of Architectural Registration Boards (Region 2 Mid-Atlantic)
NCEES-National Council of Examiners for Engineering and Surveying
NCIDQ-National Council of Interior Design Qualifications
NCSEA-National Council of Structural Engineers Association
NCSL-National Conference of State Legislatures
NICE-National Institute of Ceramic Engineers
NICET-National Institute for Certification in Engineering Technologies
NIEE-National Society of Architectural Engineers
NSAE-National Society of Professional Engineers
NSPS-National Society of Professional Surveyors
NWTAA-Northwest Territories Associations of Architects
OAA-Ontario Association of Architects
OAQ-Ordre des Architectes du Quebec
2&D-Committee on Procedures and D
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P.E.-Professional Engineer

P.L.S.-Professional Land Surveyor

PLS-now PS Principles and Practice of Surveying Examination

P.S.-Professional Surveyor

PAIA-Royal Australian Institute of Architects

PAKS-Professional Activities and Knowledge Study

PCC-Committee on Professional Conduct

PCS-Professional Credential Services (exam admin for LS, LA, PE)

PDP-Professional Development Program

PEC-Preliminary Engineering Conference

PE-Principles and Practice of Engineering Examination

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POLC-Participating Organizations Liaison Council

PPE-Principles and Practice Engineering

PPG-Public Participation Guidelines

PS-Principles and Practice of Surveying Examination

RAC-Related Accreditation Commission (under ABET) ex: industrial safety

RAIC-Royal Architectural Institute of Canada

RAP-Regulatory Advisory Panel

RCEPP-Registered Continuing Education Providers Program

RIBA-Royal Institute of British Architects

RIS-Regulation Information System

ROF-Report of Findings

S.E.-Structural engineer

SAA-Saskatchewan Association of Architects

SAE-Society of Automotive Engineers

SAME-Society of American Military Engineers

SARA-Society of American Registered Architects

SCC-State Corporation Commission

SC/NCARB Southern Conference, Region 3 (NCARB)

SCT-Secretary of Commerce and Trade

SEAOC-Structural Engineers Association of California

SEI-Structural Engineering Institute

SFPE-Society of Fire Protection Engineers

SI-International System of Units

SI-Surveyor Intern

SIT-Surveyor-in-Training

SIT-Surveyors in Training

SME-Society for Mining, Metallurgy, and Exploration, Inc.

SME-Society of Manufacturing Engineers

SNAME-Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers

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TAC-Technology Accreditation Commission (ABET engineering technology degree

TEP-Transatlantic Economic Partnership

TMS-The Minerals, Metals, and Materials Society

UBC-Uniform Building Code

UIA-Union of International Architects

UPLG-Committee on Uniform Procedures and Legislative Guidelines

USCIEP-United States Council for International Engineering Practice of Su portation C conference, Re

VAS-Virginia Association of Surveyors

VTCA-Virginia Transportation Construction Alliance

WCARB-Western Conference, Region 6 (NCARB)

Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation Statement of Financial Activity

Board for APELSCIDLA 954160

2018-2020 Biennium April 2019

			Date Comparison
	April 2019	July 2016 -	July 2018 -
	Activity	April 2017	April 2019
Cash/Revenue Balance Brought Forward		. 6	2,051,104
Revenues	128,015	1,179,413	1,342,185
Cumulative Revenues		7 . 3	3,393,289
Cost Categories:		> Section	
Board Expenditures	8,497	83,346	111,631
Board Administration	55,225	416,219	573,223
Administration of Exams	2,767	22,777	32,011
Enforcement	6,379	67,043	65,749
Legal Services	859	4,096	3,436
Information Systems	54,501	286,349	416,184
Facilities and Support Services	18,171	108,498	146,566
Agency Administration	22,513	282,149	256,688
Other / Transfers	0	-21	0
Total Expenses	168,912	1,270,456	1,605,489
Ending Cash/Revenue Balance			1,787,800

Actual Callahan Percentage at End of Previous Biennium	55.1%
Target Callahan Percentage at End of Current Biennium	40.6%

Number of Regulants

Current Month	43,935
Previous Biennium-to-Date	41,784

Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation Supporting Statement of Year-to-Date Activity **Board for APELSCIDLA - 954160**

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Board Expenditures	9,962	10,473	7,983	9,245	15,143	13,834	12,518	14,474	9,502	8,497	0	XO,	111,631	183,356	71,725	131,203	52,153	28.4%
Board Administration	82,728	54,366	55,776	53,283	52,841	52,873	55,487	55,360	55,284	55,225	050		573,223	801,873	228,650	649,117	152,756	19.0%
Administration of Exams	5,914	3,695	2,830	2,942	2,771	2,776	2,750	2,754	2,812	2,767		0	32,011	40,541	8,530	36,774	3,767	9.3%
Enforcement	8,858	6,232	5,982	6,005	6,542	6,243	6,603	6,460	6,445	6,379		0	65,749	94,789	29,040	74,442	20,347	21.5%
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RESOLUTION IN MEMORY OF

Tara Welch Gallagh

WHEREAS, Tara Welch Gallagher faithfully and diligently served as a licensed Professional Engineer in the Commonwealth of Virginia from January 5, 2009 to May 31, 2019; and

WHEREAS, Tara Welch Gallagher endeavored at all times to render decisions with fairness and good judgment in the best interest of the citizens of the Commonwealth and this profession; and

WHEREAS, the APELSCIDLA Board is grateful for the dedication and service of Tara Welch Gallagher to the citizens of the Commonwealth; and

WHEREAS, the APELSCIDLA Board expresses sympathy in the passing of Tara Welch Gallagher which occurred on May 31, 2019;

NOW THEREFORE BETT RESOLVED, this second day of July 2019, that the APELSCIDLA Board expresses utmost regard and respect for Tara Welch Gallagher and her professional legacy; and, so that all may know of the Board's expression of condolences, it is ORDERED this resolution be made a part of the official minutes of the Board and that a copy hereof be presented to the family of **Tara Welch Gallagher**.

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RESOLUTION IN MEMORY OF

Richard H. Nettleton

WHEREAS, Richard H. Nettleton faithfully and diligently served as a licensed Professional Engineer in the Commonwealth of Virginia from February 4, 1982 to May 31, 2019; and

WHEREAS, Richard H. Nettleton endeavored at all times to render decisions with fairness and good judgment in the best interest of the citizens of the Commonwealth and this profession; and

WHEREAS, the APELSCIDLA Board is grateful for the dedication and service of Richard H. Nettleton to the citizens of the Commonwealth; and

WHEREAS, the APELSCIDLA Board expresses sympathy in the passing of Richard H. Nettleton which occurred on May 31, 2019;

NOW THEREFORE BETT RESOLVED, this second day of July 2019, that the APELSCIDLA Board expresses utmost regard and respect for Richard H. Nettleton and his professional legacy; and, so that all may know of the Board's expression of condolences, it is ORDERED this resolution be made a part of the official minutes of the Board and that a copy hereof be presented to the family of **Richard H. Nettleton**.

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RESOLUTION IN MEMORY OF

Katherine Anne Marie Lusich

WHEREAS, Katherine Anne Marie Lusich Nixon faithfully and diligently served as a licensed Professional Engineer in the Commonwealth of Virginia from February 25, 2010 to May 31, 2019; and

WHEREAS, Katherine Anne Marie Lusich Nixon endeavored at all times to render decisions with fairness and good judgment in the best interest of the citizens of the Commonwealth and this profession; and

WHEREAS, the APELSCIDLA Board is grateful for the dedication and service of Katherine Anne Marie Lusich Nixon to the citizens of the Commonwealth; and

WHEREAS, the APELSCIDLA Board expresses sympathy in the passing of Katherine Anne Marie Lusich Nixon which occurred on May 31, 2019;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, this second day of July 2019, that the APELSCIDLA Board expresses utmost regard and respect for Katherine Anne Marie Lusich Nixon and her professional legacy; and, so that all may know of the Board's expression of condolences, it is ORDERED this resolution be made a part of the official minutes of the Board and that a copy hereof be presented to the family of Katherine Anne Marie Lusich Nixon.

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RESOLUTION IN MEMORY OF

Christopher Kelly Rap

WHEREAS, Christopher Kelly Rapp faithfully and diligently served as a licensed Professional Engineer in the Commonwealth of Virginia from July 14, 1999 to May 31, 2019; and

WHEREAS, Christopher Kelly Rapp endeavored at all times to render decisions with fairness and good judgment in the best interest of the citizens of the Commonwealth and this profession; and

WHEREAS, the APELSCIDLA Board is grateful for the dedication and service of Christopher Kelly Rapp to the citizens of the Commonwealth; and

WHEREAS, the APELSCIDLA Board expresses sympathy in the passing of Christopher Kelly Rapp which occurred on May 31, 2019;

NOW THEREFORE BETT RESOLVED, this second day of July 2019, that the APELSCIDLA Board expresses utmost regard and respect for Christopher Kelly Rapp and his professional legacy; and, so that all may know of the Board's expression of condolences, it is ORDERED this resolution be made a part of the official minutes of the Board and that a copy hereof be presented to the family of **Christopher Kelly Rapp.**

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