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NEVADA STATE BARBER'S HEALTH and SANITATION BOARD



Minutes – January 27, 2019 – Regular Business Meeting

President Nathaniel LaShore called the meeting to order on Sunday, January 27, 2019, the time was 3:15 P.M. at the Masterpiece Barber College, located at 3510 East Bonanza Road, Las Vegas, Nevada.

Board members Ms. Nancy Hathaway, Mr. Nathaniel LaShore, and Ms. Antinette Maestas and Mr. Johnnie Williams and Mr. Ishan Azzam.

The agenda was reviewed and approved as posted.

Ms. Hathaway made a motion to dispense of the reading of the minutes for the October 7, 2018 Business Meeting since everyone had copies and they had been read. The motion included to accept the minutes as submitted. Mr. Williams seconded the motion and all was in favor.

Ms. Hathaway made a motion to dispense of the reading of the 2nd quarter financial report, Mr. Williams seconded and all was in favor.

Officers Report

1. Ms. Hathaway reported that she has been busy up North. She has had issues with a individual coming in and just opening up shop. We have a great inspector up North and he is on top of it.
2. Mr. LaShore reported that he has been doing business as usual. Staying busy inspecting. Never a dull moment out there.
3. Mr. Johnnie Williams has been busy and he has been doing inspections.
4. Mr. Ihsan Azzam had nothing to report.

Old Business –

Instructor's Exam – Ms. Maestas states that there is an Instructor's Exam scheduled for January 28, 2019 and there is 1 candidate testing for that.

The update on Regulation Change – Ms. Maestas reports that everything has been taken care of and we are still waiting on FBI finger printing.

New Business

Ms. Maestas swore all the individuals for hearing in.

Christian Cooper – Mr. Cooper came before the Board to be able to attend Barber School in Nevada. He has a felony on his record for Grand Larceny. It happened in 2016, he went to prison in February 2017 and he was released January 16, 2019. Mr. Cooper is not on probation. After reviewing all the documents he brought, Ms. Hathaway made a motion to allow Mr. Cooper to attend barber school, Mr. Williams seconded the second and all was in favor.

Michael Norris hearing – Mr. Norris came before the Board to be able to attend school in the State of Nevada. He does have a felony on his record. His felony was a federal charge for attempt to distribute and a State felony for attempted burglary. He did serve 6 months in prison and was released February 2016. Since there is a drug charge Ms. Hathaway made a motion to allow Mr. Norris to attend school providing he agrees to a random drug test. Mr. Williams seconded the motion and all was in favor. Mr. Norris asked what about a medical marijuana card. He would have to have that.

Jose Figueroa hearing – Mr. Figueroa came before the Board to be able to attend school in the State of Nevada. He does have a felony on his record. He has no paperwork with him. Ms. Hathaway informed Mr. Figueroa that without paperwork the Board cannot make any decisions. Ms. Hathaway made a motion to have Mr. Figueroa come back with paperwork. Mr. Williams seconded the motion and all was in favor. He would have to submit a written request to the Board office to schedule another hearing.

Seth Murray-Hinkle hearing – Mr. Murray-Hinkle came before the board because he is over 1 year of attending school. He had problems at the other school he was attending, the other school withdrew him, and there was a waiting period to get into Masterpiece barber school. He is attending and on track to graduate middle of April 2019. Ms. Hathaway made a motion to allow Mr. Murray-Hinkle to finish school and test when done. Mr. Williams seconded the motion and all was in favor.

Marco Gavay hearing – Mr. Gavay came before the board because he is over 1 year of attending school. He started school at Masterpiece Barber School and had to drop because of monetary hardship. He has about 800 hours left to do. He had to go back to work full time, but now has the money saved to be able to finish school. Ms. Hathaway made a motion to allow Mr. Gavay to finish school and test in Nevada, Mr. Williams seconded the motion and all was in favor.

Edward Valdez – Mr. Valdez came before the Board to be able to attend school in the State of Nevada. He has a felony on his record and he promises he has all the paperwork at home, He states that the felony was for child abuse. He could not remember when the felony happened. Ms. Hathaway told him the Board could not do anything without paperwork, and he would have to reschedule. Ms. Maestas tells him the next hearing date is April 7, 2019 with a deadline of March 1, 2019. He needs a written request in the Boards office by March 1, 2019.

Ismael Martinez – Mr. Martinez came before the Board to be able to exam in the State of Nevada. He does have a felony on his record. The felony happened while he was in barber school. The case happened in May 2017 and was closed January 2, 2018. He is on probation for 3 years. The charge was possession of a controlled substance. Ms. Hathaway made a motion to allow him to exam providing he submits to random drug testing. Mr. Williams seconded the motion and all was in favor.

Mark Robinson— Mr. Robinson came before the Board to be able to exam in the State of Nevada. He is licensed in Virginia and had to have a hearing in Virginia also. He was granted the right to exam in Virginia. The felony was in May 2004 for possession, he was released July 30, 2008. He is off of parole. After looking over all his paperwork, Ms. Hathaway made a motion to allow Mr. Robinson to exam in Nevada, Mr. Williams seconded the motion and all was in favor. Mr. Robinson was instructed to make copies of all paperwork and mail it to the Boards office.

Ossiris Lynch – Mr. Lynch came before the Board to be able to re exam in Nevada. He was a licensed barber in Nevada and got a felony June 2014 for assault and battery with a deadly weapon. He went to a minimal custody prison and worked while incarcerated. He was released September 15, 2018. Ms. Hathaway made a motion to allow Mr. Lynch to test, Mr. Williams seconded the motion and all was in favor.

Christian Santoyo— Mr. Santoyo came before the Board for citation that he received for having an unlicensed barber working in his shop. The barber had gone to school took the exam and passed the exam, he never paid for his license so he was unlicensed. Mr. Santoyo acknowledges that he was in the wrong and asks if he can make payments. Ms. Hathaway made a motion that the fine stands, and he can put \$200 down and make payments of \$200 a month until the fine is paid in full. Mr. Azzam seconded the motion and all was in favor.

Oscar Bermudez-Ayala – Mr. Bermudez-Ayala came before the Board because he did not take his Apprentice exam. He states he was out of town due to an emergency. His apprentice license was issued April 17, 2017 and he should have taken the December 2018 or January 2019 exam. Ms. Hathaway made a motion the If he turns a completed application in by February 15, 2019 and takes the April 7, 2019 exam he can keep his license. If not his license are pulled. Mr. Williams seconded the motion and all was in favor.

Gwen Braimoh – Ms. Braimoh and Ms. Roxanne McCoy came before the Board to talk to the Board about Instructor training. She believes that there should be a provisional instructor license and they would be considered as staff and be paid. She states that anyone with experience and wants to be an instructor should be able to get this license. Ms. Braimoh states that it would be the schools discrepancy to determine if the individual qualifies to hold a provisional instructor license or a student instructor. The student would still have to do 600 hours and examine before they would be a licensed instructor. Ms. Braimoh states that the Cosmetology Board does this. Mr. Azzam states that when someone chooses a career change that is there choice no one is forcing them to do this. He would like to know what the school has to benefit from this. Ms. Braimoh state that for accreditation purposes, it is bad for the school to have individuals to drop from school. Accreditation is important for the school. Mr. LaShore states that they can look over everything.

Karem Socarra-Abreus— Mr. Socarra-Abreus did not attend the hearing. He was issued an Apprentice license on 4/13/17 and should have taken the Dec, 2018 or Jan, 2019 exam and did not take either. Ms. Hathaway made a motion to suspend his license, Mr. Williams seconded the motion and all was in favor.

Adam Berg and Nevada's First Barber School no showed for hearing.

Markesten Page and Nicholas Sanchez left they had no paperwork for hearing.

Fabian Tapia, Benjamin Smith, Gabriel Orozco, Guillermo Ramirez-Lastre, Annie Marie Molina, Christian Bernal, Miguel Cadena, Levelle Beckum and Angel Bautista took the exam and no need to hear them.

Ms. Hathaway made a motion for everyone attend the NABBA Conference in Nashville, TN February 23-26, 2019. She feels that it is important for everyone to be there beings that the annual conference is being held in Reno in September. Mr. Williams seconded the motion and all was in favor.

Public Comment

Mr. Marcus Allen owner of Masterpiece Barber School asked a question of Gwen Braimoh. He wants to know if she wants to add this provisional license only for her to have more students to her ratio. Mr. Allen states that he left his barber shop to further his education and become a instructor. Mr. Allen states that there is no restriction to how many student instructors you can have at a school as long as they are counted as a student.

Mr. Joe White states that he has been licensed as a barber for 18 years. He does not feel that after 1 year of being licensed there is no way someone is qualified to become an instructor. Mr. White states that anything we want in life there are sacrifices to make.

Ms. Hathaway made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Mr. Williams seconded and all was in favor.

There being no further business before the Board the meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by: Antinette Maestas

Antinette Maestas, Secretary/Treasurer

Approved this 7th day of April, 2019, by:

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Nathaniel LaShore, President

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