

BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR LAND SURVEYORS

February 28, 1995

The Board of Examiners for Land Surveyors convened at 9:00 A.M. at 555 N. Cotner Blvd., Lower Level, Lincoln, NE with the following members present:

Darold E. Tagge, Chairman
Sheryl K. Jordan, Vice-Chairman
Dennis D. Podany
Donald L. Pettigrew
Robert D. Proett
James L. Brown, Secretary

Others present:

Kathy Martin
Steven C. Cobb, arrived 9:10 A.M.
Michael Johnson, arrived 9:50 A.M.
Michael Oehme, arrived 9:50 A.M.

Public notice of this meeting was given by publication in *The Lincoln Star and Journal* on February 17, 1995.

All items voted on were done so in the form of a roll call.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Jordan that the minutes of the November 2, 1994 meeting be approved.

Voting Aye: Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany, Proett, Tagge.

Motion carried.

Moved by Proett and seconded by Pettigrew that the Board go into executive session at 9:01 A.M. with James L. Brown, Kathy Martin and Steven C. Cobb present for the purpose of discussing the NE two-hour examination.

Voting Aye: Pettigrew, Podany, Proett, Tagge, Jordan.

Motion carried.

Moved by Pettigrew and seconded by Jordan that the Board return to regular session at 9:50 A.M.

Voting Aye: Podany, Proett, Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew.

Motion carried.

The Chairman acknowledged Mike Johnson who discussed his application and the policy regarding reviewing the Nebraska portion of the examination.

The Chairman acknowledged Mike Oehme. The Board requested he appear to discuss his application and land surveying experience.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Pettigrew that applicants who have passed the NCEES Principals and Practice examination and failed the Nebraska two-hour examination in April may be allowed to re-take the Nebraska two-hour examination in September of the same year.

Voting Nay: Proett, Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany.

Motion not carried.

Moved by Proett and seconded by Podany that an applicant who has obtained a passing grade on the NCEES examination shall have such grade entered on the applicant's permanent record and shall not be required to be re-examined on the said portion of the examination unless the Board determines that conditions exist which merit the re-examination of the applicant.

Voting Aye: Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany, Proett.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Jordan that if an applicant fails the NCEES portion of the examination the State portion shall not be graded.

Voting Aye: Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany, Proett, Tagge.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Proett that the Board go into executive session at 11:42 A.M. with James L. Brown and Kathy Martin present for the purpose of discussing the application for Class II and the applications for Class III registration.

Voting Aye: Pettigrew, Podany, Proett, Tagge, Jordan.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Proett that the Board return to regular session at 1:00 P.M.

Voting Aye: Podany, Proett, Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew.

Motion carried.

The Board adjourned for lunch at 1:05 P.M.

The Board reconvened at 1:55 P.M.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Jordan that the application of Marcus P. Lang for registration by reciprocity from Colorado be approved and that he be required to appear before the Secretary of the Board for an interview and land surveyor examination.

Voting Aye: Proett, Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Proett that the application of Roger Hofts be approved and that he be permitted to take the next surveyor-in-training examination.

Voting Nay: Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany, Proett.

Motion not carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Proett that the application of Ronald E. Teten be approved and that he be permitted to take the next surveyor-in-training examination.

Voting Aye: Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany, Proett, Tagge.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Proett that the application of Karl F. Moseman be approved and that he be permitted to take the next surveyor-in-training examination.

Voting Aye: Pettigrew, Podany, Proett, Tagge, Jordan.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Pettigrew that the application of Albert Demuth be approved and that he be permitted to take the next surveyor-in-training examination.

Voting Aye: Podany, Proett, Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Jordan that the application of Matthew W. Brandt be approved and that he be permitted to take the next surveyor-in-training examination.

Voting Aye: Proett, Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Pettigrew that the application of Shaun M. Marshall be approved and that he be permitted to take the next surveyor-in-training examination.

Voting Aye: Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany, Proett.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Jordan that the application of Michael J. Smith be approved and that he be permitted to take the next surveyor-in-training examination.

Voting Nay: Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany, Proett, Tagge.

Motion not carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Proett that the application of Timothy R. Wetovick be approved and that he be permitted to take the next surveyor-in-training examination.

Voting Aye: Pettigrew, Podany, Proett, Tagge, Jordan.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Proett that the application of Dennis C. Graham be approved and that he be permitted to take the next surveyor-in-training examination.

Voting Aye: Podany, Proett, Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Jordan that the application of Joe P. Haas be approved and that he be permitted to take the next surveyor-in-training examination.

Voting Aye: Proett, Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Pettigrew that the application of Michael R. Lang be approved and that he be permitted to take the next surveyor-in-training examination.

Voting Aye: Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany, Proett.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Proett that applicants who obtain a passing grade on the NCEES portion of the examination and a failing grade on the State portion shall be given one opportunity to be re-examined on the State portion. If they fail or do not appear for said re-examination their file shall be closed and they must reapply before they can be reconsidered. The location, date and time of said re-examination shall be at the discretion the staff of the Board, provided said re-examination shall occur not less than three calendar months or more than four calendar months after approval of the grades on the original examination.

Voting Aye: Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany, Proett, Tagge.

Motion carried.

Moved by Pettigrew and seconded by Podany that the Board go into executive session at 2:12 P.M. with James L. Brown and Kathy Martin present for the purpose of discussing the applications for Class I registration.

Voting Aye: Pettigrew, Podany, Proett, Tagge, Jordan.

Motion carried.

Moved by Proett and seconded by Podany that the Board return to regular session at 3:38 P.M.

Voting Aye: Podany, Proett, Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Proett that the application of Michael J. Oehme be approved and that he be permitted to take the next land surveyor examination.

Voting Aye: Proett, Tagge, Jordan, Podany.

Voting Nay: Pettigrew.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Pettigrew that the application of Alan Curd be approved and that he be permitted to take the next land surveyor examination.

Voting Aye: Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany, Proett.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Jordan to defer action on the land surveyor application of Jeffrey J. Serafin.

Voting Aye: Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany, Proett, Tagge.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Proett that the application of Jay L. Dubs be approved and that he be permitted to take the next land surveyor examination.

Voting Aye: Pettigrew, Podany, Proett, Tagge, Jordan.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Pettigrew that the application of Robert M. Tichy be approved and that he be permitted to take the next land surveyor examination.

Voting Nay: Podany, Proett, Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew.

Motion not carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Jordan that the application of David L. Swanson be approved and that he be permitted to take the next land surveyor examination.

Voting Aye: Proett, Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Proett that the application of Dennis J. Engelke be approved pending receipt of PDHs and that he be permitted to take the next land surveyor examination.

Voting Aye: Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany, Proett.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Pettigrew that the application of David J. Doering be approved and that he be permitted to take the next land surveyor examination.

Voting Aye: Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany, Proett, Tagge.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Jordan that the application of Fred M. Franklin be approved and that he be permitted to take the next Nebraska examination.

Voting Aye: Pettigrew, Podany, Proett, Tagge, Jordan.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Pettigrew that the application of Michael R. Johnson be approved and that he be permitted to take the next Nebraska examination.

Voting Aye: Podany, Proett, Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Proett that the application of Kevin L. Whisman be approved and that he be permitted to take the next land surveyor examination.

Voting Nay: Proett, Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany.

Motion not carried.

Moved by Proett and seconded by Jordan that the applications of Mark Stice, Michael E. Conway Jr., Terence Rial, be approved conditional upon payment of the re-examination fee and that they be permitted to take the next surveyor-in-training examination.

Voting Aye: Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany, Proett.

Motion carried.

Moved by Pettigrew and seconded by Proett that the application of Mark Streit be approved conditional upon payment of the re-examination fee and that he be permitted to take the next land surveyor examination.

Voting Aye: Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany, Proett, Tagge.

Motion carried.

Moved by Pettigrew and seconded by Proett that the following registrants be granted an inactive status:

Jack May, LS-406
William Heileman, LS-386

Voting Aye: Pettigrew, Podany, Proett, Tagge, Jordan.

Motion carried.

Moved by Proett and seconded by Jordan that inasmuch as the following inactive registrants have met all the requirements that they be approved for active status:

Jerry K. Thomas, LS-351
Martin J. Weber, LS-434

Voting Aye: Podany, Proett, Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew.

Motion carried.

TO: Board of Examiners for Land Surveyors

FROM: Kathy Martin

DATE: February 28, 1995

I have reviewed the PDHs of the following individuals and recommend their licenses be renewed with the carry-over applied to the next biennium:

Applicant	Carry-over Claimed	Carry-over Recommended
Louis L. Austin, LS-309	15.0	15.0
Carl Bodensteiner, LS-248	15.0	15.0
Richard M. Broyles, LS-477	15.0	15.0
James L. Coen, LS-164	.5	.5
Bonita M. Edwards, LS-464	15.0	15.0
James R. Fraker, LS-320	15.0	15.0
Timothy A. Hanson, LS-491	5.25	5.25
Donald D. Henderson, SL-218	11.0	11.0
Gary H. Hubbs, LS-494	5.0	2.0
Mitchell W. Humphrey, SL-492	13.0	13.0
Irwin R. Mierau, LS-285	5.75	5.75
Francis Naughtin, LS-75	15.0	15.0
David H. Neef, LS-475	15.0	15.0
Ronald W. Nissen, LS-427	15.0	15.0
LaVern F. Schroeder, LS-312	15.0	15.0
Darrel W. Simonds, LS-161	7.0	7.0
K. B. Smith, LS-250	8.0	8.0
Joseph J. Vetick, LS-500	3.0	3.0
Ronald L. Way, LS-442	15.0	14.75
Donovan D. Zager, LS-269	15.0	15.0

Moved by Proett and seconded by Podany that the Board accept the recommendations of Kathy Martin for the audit of PDHs.

Voting Aye: Proett, Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany.

Motion carried.

A letter from H. Gene McKeown regarding returning the Land Surveyor's seal as a requirement for inactive status was discussed.

The Board discussed publishing the official Board minutes in *The Nebraska Surveyor*.

The Board discussed news releases of Board action. The Chairman requested that Cheryl Jordan and Bob Proett develop a list of actions that might be published.

Dennis Podany reported on minimum standards for mortgage location surveys. This item remains tabled.

The Board discussed oil and gas minimum standards.

Moved by Pettigrew and seconded by Jordan that the following vouchers be approved:

Dennis D. Podany, travel expense	42.90
Donald L. Pettigrew, travel expense.....	34.65
Darold E. Tagge, travel expense.....	18.70
CD Media, Inc., Nebraska reports and statutes	563.95
DAS-Data Processing, research Nebraska Statutes	83.03
DAS-Div. of Communications, LERS service for October.....	5.51
DAS-Div. of Communications, video conference in November	60.00
DAS-Div. of Communications, fax services for December	0.46
DAS-Materiel Div., printing renewal cards.....	75.26
DAS-Materiel Div., September postage	29.72
DAS-Materiel Div., October postage	125.43
DAS-Materiel Div., November postage	76.02
DAS-Materiel Div., December postage.....	102.70
General Fund Reimbursement, 2nd quarter 94/95.....	787.75
J.P. Cooke Co., seals for Westover, Dicenta, Sharp, Orr, Siedschlag & Maschmann ...	134.97
Journal-Star Printing Company, notice of November 2nd meeting	9.12
Journal-Star Printing Company, notice of examination	4.26
Journal-Star Printing Company, subscription.....	84.00
NCEES, 1995 membership fee	270.00
NCEES, Central Zone, registration for March 30-April 1 meeting in Kansas.....	180.00
Office Depot, Inc., mailing bags for seals	3.43

Voting Aye: Tagge, Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany, Proett.

Motion carried.

Moved by Podany and seconded by Proett that the Board adjourn.

Voting Aye: Jordan, Pettigrew, Podany, Proett, Tagge.

Motion carried.

The Board adjourned at 4:56 P.M.

James L. Brown, Secretary