

MINUTES

**UTAH
Veterinarian Physician Licensing Board
Meeting**

October 3, 2013

**Room 474 – 4th Floor - 9:00 a.m.
Heber Wells Building
Salt Lake City, UT 84111**

CONVENED: 9:21 a.m.

ADJOURNED: 10:37 a.m.

Bureau Manager:

April Ellis

Board Secretary:

Yvonne King

Board Members Present:

Kerry Rood, DVM, Chair
Charles Heaton, DVM
Jason L. Pozzuoli, DVM
Chad Dalton

DOPL Staff Present

Larry Gooch, Investigations
John Sims, Investigations
Laurie Noda, Attorney General's Office

TOPICS FOR DISCUSSION

DECISIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

ADMINISTRATIVE BUSINESS:

Approval of the January 17, 2013 Board Meeting Minutes.

Dr. Pozzuoli seconded by Mr. Dalton made a motion to approve the January 17, 2013 Board meeting minutes as written. The motion carried unanimously.

Nominations for Chair

Dr. Heaton seconded by Dr. Pozzuoli made a motion to nominate Dr. Rood to remain as chair. The motion carried unanimously.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

Attorney General's Opinion on Rabies Vaccines

Laurie Noda from the Attorney General's Office appeared before the Board regarding clarification on rabies vaccines being administered by staff members of an animal shelter without a licensed Veterinarian on staff.

Ms. Noda stated that under the Veterinary Practice Act

58-28-102(11), it was the opinion of the AG's Office that rabies vaccines can only be administered under the direct supervision of a licensed Veterinarian.

The Board was concerned about other vaccines that were not required to have a prescription or could be attained by the general public. Ms. Noda then explained that there are certain exemptions such as an owner of an animal, but if a prescription is required, the exemption would not apply.

Open and Pubic Meetings Act

Ms. Ellis explained the new changes to the Open and Public Meetings Act where the meeting recordings, approved minutes and Board packets will now be posted on the web.

Continuing Education

Dr. Pozzuoli suggested adding a component to the Continuing Education requirement with regards to medical records. This will be further reviewed at the next scheduled meeting.

Website Updates

The Board suggested putting links on the website with regards to educating the public and outreach programs.

CORRESPONDENCE:

NBVME 2012-2013 Technical Report
AAVSB Nominating Committee Report

This was reviewed with no action taken.
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NEXT BOARD MEETING:

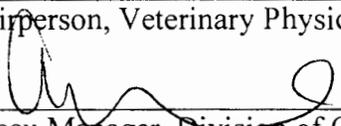
January 16, 2014

Note: These minutes are not intended to be a verbatim transcript but are intended to record the significant features of the business conducted in this meeting. Discussed items are not necessarily shown in the chronological order they occurred.

1/16/2014
Date Approved


Chairperson, Veterinary Physician Board

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Date Approved


Bureau Manager, Division of Occupational &
Professional Licensing