

**OKLAHOMA STATE BOARD OF
COSMETOLOGY AND BARBERING**

**ADVISORY BOARD ON MASSAGE THERAPY
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING AGENDA**

October 27, 2022

10:00 a.m.

2401 N.W. 23rd, Suite 18

Oklahoma City, OK 73107

Laura Grisso-Eyster, Chair – Presiding

1. Call to order, roll call, and determination of quorum

A quorum was established with roll call. The following Board members were present.

Laura Grisso Eyster, Chair
Marilyn Ihloff
Pamela Matherly
Robert Rowe

Note: Kelli Lene was not present on this day, Pam Matherly arrived at 10.30

BOARDS LEGAL COUNSEL

Maria Maule, AAG
Kylie Cooper

OFFICE STAFF

Malena Curtsinger, Executive Director
John Funderburk, Principal Assistant
Janelle Hastings, Administrative Assistant

GUESTS

Mary Elizabeth Leblanc, tre' Pickens, Amanda Greenwood, Jennifer Gomez, Gisselle Velasco, Sara Ellis, Ozzell Thompson Johnson, Mari sSelena Orozco, Eliza Bermudez Hill, Susan Scharf, Julie Keele, Thomas Rios.

2. This special meeting of the Oklahoma Advisory Board on Massage Therapy has been convened in accordance with the Oklahoma Open Meeting Act.

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3. Possible discussion, revision, and vote to approve the minutes of the August 18, 2022, Board meeting

A motion was made by Ms. Ihloff and seconded by Mr. Rowe to approve the minutes of the August 18, 2022, Board meeting .

Voting: Ihloff, yes, Matherly, yes; Rowe, yes.

Motion passed.

4. Public comment – The Advisory Board on Massage Therapy allows for members of the public to comment on items of business before the Board and properly noticed in the posted agenda. Each speaker is limited to three (3) minutes. Cumulatively, public comment shall not exceed fifteen (15) minutes. Anyone wishing to speak may sign-up in advance of the meeting.

No requests were heard.

5. Discussion and possible action to create a rules committee

Ms. Matherly volunteered to serve on the on the rules committee and Ms. Eyester volunteered to help

A motion was made by Ms. Ihloff and seconded by Ms. Matherly to create a rules committee with Ms. Matherly and Ms. Eyster.

Voting: Ihloff, yes, Matherly, yes; Rowe, yes.

Motion passed.

6. Discussion and possible action to recommend to Board approval of revised list of potentially disqualifying crimes

Laura reminded members last time we talked about new state wide law which requires us to develop a list of crimes that could potentially disqualify an individual from having a massage license. We did our best to match the list of crimes adopted by the cosmetology board.

AAG Maule and Cooper explained in more detail.

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7. Discussion and possible action to recommend to Board adoption of emergency rule revisions to OAC 175:20-5-7, Disqualifying criminal history and opportunity for initial determination

A motion was made by Ms. Matherly and seconded by Mr. Rowe to approve the adoption of emergency rule revisions to OAC 175:20-5-7, Disqualifying criminal history and opportunity for initial determination

Voting: Ihloff, yes, Matherly, yes; Rowe, yes.

Motion passed.

8. Legislative committee report – Bob Rowe

Mr. Rowe said the committee, he and Kellie Lene' had not met yet, but looking at last year's bill submitted by senator Julie Daniels, he would prefer to go with what was drafted and submitted in November 2021, but as he did not like some things she put in the bill he and Kelli Lene' would be hashing that out.

9. Discussion and possible action to request legislation based on legislative committee report.

Ms. Curtsinger said she and board member Austin Hodges, met with Senator Pugh and he would be willing to help us with obtaining establishment authority for massage therapy. Chair Grisso Eyster mentioned some things that the advisory board wanted to submit, including establishment authority, stagger term expiration of MTAB members, student work permits, and some clean up language regarding annual/biennial fees.

A motion was made by Mr. Rowe and seconded by Ms. Ihloff to submit legislation 59 O.S. 4200.3 version B as written 11.2.2021 for OSBCB.

Voting:

Ihloff, yes, Matherly, yes; Rowe, yes.

Motion passed.

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10. Discussion and possible action to approve or disapprove the establishment of regularly-scheduled ABMT meetings in 2023, every other month on the third Thursday of the month at 10:00 a.m.

February 16th
April 20th
June 15th
August 17th
October 19th
December 21st

A motion was made by Mr. Rowe and seconded by Ms. Ihloff to approve the establishment of regularly-scheduled ABMT meetings in 2023, every other month on the third Thursday of the month at 10:00 a.m.

Voting: Ihloff, yes, Matherly, yes; Rowe, yes.

Motion passed.

11. Board adjournment