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MINUTES
July 17, 2019, - TELEPHONIC
Board Room A, at 8:30 a.m.
1740 W. Adams Street, Board Room A
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Members Appeared By Phone: Ms. Jessica Creager, Dr. Darren Wright, Ms. Jane Soloman, Dr. Sarah Heinrich, Dr. Greg Bryne, Ms. Frost and Dr. Robyn Jaynes.

Members Absent: Dr. Christina Bertch and Mr. Jim Loughead.

Staff and Legal Counsel Present: Ms. Victoria Whitmore, Executive Director; Ms. Sunita Krishna Cairo, Assistant Attorney General (AAG); and Ms. Tracy Riendeau, CVT, Senior Medical Investigator.

I. CALL TO ORDER

Roll call: Ms. Victoria Whitmore at 8:30 a.m.

II. ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW OF PREVIOUS ACTIONS

1.18-83: In Re: Virginia Kern, DVM. Board may review, discuss, and take action on revised Continuing Education plan submitted in compliance with consent agreement.

After discussion and consideration, a motion was made by Ms. Creager and seconded by Dr. Jaynes to accept Dr. Kerns revised continuing education plan submitted in compliance with her Consent Agreement. Roll Call: Dr. Byrne, aye; Ms. Creager, aye; Ms. Frost, aye; Dr. Heinrich, aye; Dr. Jaynes, aye; Ms. Soloman, aye; and Dr. Wright, aye. Motion passed unanimously.

III. REPORTS, CORRESPONDENCE, REFERRALS AND OTHER BUSINESS

- 1. Board may review, discuss, and take action on request for approval of continuing education.
 - a. San Diego County Veterinary Medical Association 2019 Fall Conference

After discussion and consideration, a motion was made by Dr. Heinrich and seconded by Dr. Jaynes to approve the continuing education provided at the San Diego County Veterinary Medical Association – 2019 Fall Conference. Roll Call: Dr. Byrne, aye; Ms.

Creager, aye; Ms. Frost, aye; Dr. Heinrich, aye; Dr. Jaynes, aye; Ms. Soloman, aye; and Dr. Wright, aye. Motion passed unanimously.

- 2. Board may review, discuss, and take action on approval of veterinary license pending receipt of license fee and or proof of graduation.
 - a. Kimberly Alvarez
 - b. Stephanie Athavale
 - c. Sarah Asadorian
 - d. Elena Bautista Hobin
 - e. Jessica Beckstrom
 - f. Jared Brethouwer
 - g. Ryan Bunce
 - h. Martha Cook
 - i. Chase Cromwell
 - j. Danye Enniss
 - k. Chantel Garino
 - I. Geoffrey Gieni
 - m. Amanda Gordon
 - n. Lydia Harbour
 - o. Merel Huff
 - p. Caitlin Johnson
 - q. Jiaxuan Liu
 - r. Rachel Luoma
 - s. Kaitlin McDaniel
 - t. Madeleine Moffatt
 - u. Daniella Revers
 - v. Timothy Roshetko II
 - w. James Sobotka
 - x. Janelle Starr
 - y. Jacob Tupper
 - z. Sophia Valdez
 - aa. Alexandra Velazquez Lugo
 - bb. Elizabeth Wyatt

After discussion and consideration, a motion was made by Ms. Soloman and seconded by Dr. Heinrich to approve the above licensees pending receipt of license fee and/or proof of graduation. Roll Call: Dr. Byrne, aye; Ms. Creager, aye; Ms. Frost, aye; Dr. Heinrich, aye; Dr. Jaynes, aye; Ms. Soloman, aye; and Dr. Wright, aye. Motion passed unanimously.

- 3. Board may review, discuss, and take action on interview and possible appointment of Investigative Committee member.
 - a. Steven Seiler

Mr. Seiler was present telephonically; made statements and answered questions. After discussion and consideration, a motion was made by Ms. Creager and seconded by Ms. Soloman to appoint Mr. Seiler to the AM Investigative Committee. Roll Call: Dr. Byrne, aye; Ms. Creager, aye; Ms. Frost, aye; Dr. Heinrich, aye; Dr. Jaynes, aye; Ms. Soloman, aye; and Dr. Wright, aye. Motion passed unanimously.

4. Board may review, discuss, and take action on results of animal crematory inspection at Chaparral Veterinary Clinic (#C0015).

Ms. Whitmore reported that the animal crematory affiliated with Chaparral Veterinary Clinic was closing. After discussion and consideration, the Board directed staff to follow up with the crematory owner to have them submit written notification that the crematory premises will be closing. The letter shall be received at the Board office within 30 days; if not received, the matter shall be placed on the August Board agenda for possible further action.

5. Board may review, discuss, and take action on results of premises inspection at Chaparral Veterinary Clinic (#P0097).

After discussion and consideration, the Board directed staff to re-inspect Chaparral Veterinary Clinic at a future date. At that time, staff was to ensure the affiliated crematory premises was no longer providing crematory services.

6. Board may review, discuss, and take action on implementing Intergovernmental Services Agreement with Arizona Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers to conduct animal crematory inspections.

Ms. Whitmore relayed to the Board the option of implementing Intergovernmental Services Agreement with Arizona Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers to conduct animal crematory inspections. After discussion and consideration, the Board directed staff to explore the option and report back at a future Board meeting.

7. Board may review, discuss, and take action on initiating discussions with the Arizona Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers regarding possible efforts to transfer jurisdiction of animal crematories to that agency.

Ms. Whitmore reported to the Board that she reached out to the Executive Director of the Arizona Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers regarding possible efforts to transfer jurisdiction of animal crematories. The Board directed staff to continue talks and explore what would be involved in transferring jurisdiction of animal crematories to the Arizona Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers and report back at a future Board meeting.

8. Board may review, discuss, and take action to appoint an alternative delegate for the American Association of Veterinary State Boards' Annual meeting in September 2019.

After discussion and consideration, a motion was made by Dr. Heinrich and seconded by Ms. Soloman to appoint Ms. Frost as the alternate delegate for the AAVSB Annual meeting in September 2019. If Ms. Frost is unable to attend, the Board directed staff to find another delegate. Roll Call: Dr. Byrne, aye; Ms. Creager, aye; Ms. Frost, aye; Dr. Heinrich, aye; Dr. Jaynes, aye; Ms. Soloman, aye; and Dr. Wright, aye. Motion passed unanimously.

9. Board may review, discuss, and take action on denial of vet license for failure to pass the State exam.

a. Tatiana Segura Elizondo

After discussion and consideration, a motion was made by Ms. Soloman and seconded by Ms. Creager to deny licensure for the above applicant that failed the State exam and appoint Ms. Whitmore to represent the Board if a settlement conference is requested with her authority limited to denial of licensure. Roll Call: Dr. Byrne, aye; Ms. Creager, aye; Ms. Frost, aye; Dr. Heinrich, aye; Dr. Jaynes, aye; Ms. Soloman, aye; and Dr. Wright, aye. Motion passed unanimously.

IV. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES

a. May 15, 2019 Regular Session

After discussion and consideration, a motion was made by Ms. Creager and seconded by Ms. Soloman to approve the May 15, 2019 regular session minutes. Roll Call: Dr. Byrne, aye; Ms. Creager, aye; Ms. Frost, aye; Dr. Heinrich, abstain; Dr. Jaynes, aye; Ms. Soloman, aye; and Dr. Wright, aye. Motion passed 6 ayes, 1 abstention.

b. June 19, 2019 Regular Session

No quorum; matter will be placed on future agenda.

V. CONSENT AGENDA

A. Approval to take Veterinary State Exam

(Note: E = Licensure by Endorsement, R = Regular License)

- 1. Boyle, Sara (R)
- 2. Cowie, Alison (R)
- 3. Ellermeirer, Heidi (E)
- 4. Hunt, Timothy (E)
- 5. Lago, Terri (E)
- 6. Lautenschlager, Seth (R)
- 7. Lin, Katja (S)
- 8. McNair, Daniel (R)
- 9. Matthews, Derek (R)
- 10. Otto, Carine (R)
- 11. Read, Alice (R)
- 12. Sodetz, Jennifer (R)
- 13. Whitmore, Emily (E)
- 14. Frost, Katrina (E)
- 15. Segura Elizondo, Tatiana (R)
- 16. Shapero, Jeremy (E)
- 17. Tan, Kathleen (R)
- 18. Washington, Aysé (E)

Approval to take Veterinary State Exam approved

B. Approval of Temporary Permit(s)

- 1. Boyle, Sara
- 2. Cowie, Alison
- 3. Lautenschlager, Seth
- 4. Otto, Carine
- 5. Whitmore, Emily
- 6. Tan, Kathleen
- 7. Washington, Aysé

Approval of Temporary Permit(s) granted.

C. Approval of Premises Licenses - Responsible Veterinarian listed

1. R3300: Banfield Pet Hospital #2474. New Responsible Veterinarian. Shawn Nguyen, DVM.

- 2. R3302:Western Arizona Humane Society. New Premise. Roger Litchfield, DVM.
- 3. R3303: Singletrack Veterinary Services. New Premise. Megan Munis, DVM.
- 4. R3304: Red Mountain Animal Hospital. New Responsible Veterinarian. C. Jeffrey Brown, DVM.
- 5. R3305:VCA Mountain View Animal Hospital. New Responsible Veterinarian. Marian Ansems, DVM.
- 6. R3307: Valley Veterinary Internal Medicine. New Address. Christopher Paige, DVM.
- 7. R3308: Valley Veterinary Cardiology. New Address. Christopher Paige, DVM.
- 8. R3309: REACT Arizona. New Premise. Christine Grant, DVM.
- 9. R3312: Golden Bone Wellness Center, LLC. New Responsible Veterinarian/New Owner. Cinda Rajkovic, DVM
- 10. R3316: Oak Creek Small Animal Clinic, PLLC. New Address. Jeannine Kinney, DVM
- 11. R3327: Companion Pet Clinic. New Owner. Brandon Young, DVM

Approval of Premises Licenses granted.

D. Approval of request for Veterinary Technician Certification reinstatement

Apley, Christine

Approval of Request for Veterinary Technician Certification Reinstatement granted.

E. Approval of Veterinary license reinstatement

- 1. Glasser, Jaime
- 2. Rowe-Guthrie, Kathleen

Approval of Veterinary License Reinstatement granted.

F. Approval of Faculty Member License

1. da Cunha, Anderson

Approval of Faculty Member License granted.

G. Approval to take the Veterinary Technician Exam(s)

- 1. Hedges, Kathryn
- 2. Reilly, Jennifer

Approval to take the Veterinary Technician Exam(s) granted.

H.Approval of Veterinary License(s)

- 1. de Kock, Danelia (E)
- 2. Gill, Phoebe (E)
- 3. Gill, Rajan (E)
- 4. Shanks, Lynn (E)
- 5. Tyma, Jesse (E)
- 6. Wilson, Daniel (E)

Approval of Veterinary License(s) granted.

I. Approval of Random Premises Inspections

- 1. P0516: Mohave Valley Animal Hospital. Dalen Sites, DVM
- 2. R0036: Jerome Humane Society. Virginia Kennaway, DVM
- 3. R0173: Bradshaw Mountain Animal Hospital. Michael Walker, DVM
- 4. R1744: Banfield, The Pet Hospital #1265. Ryan Pearce, DVM
- 5. R1746: Banfield, The Pet Hospital #1266. Heather Molander, DVM
- 6. R1922: Ark Animal Hospital. Les Hatfield, DVM

- 7. R1868: Phoenix Mountain Animal Hospital. Jason Kanarish, DVM
- 8. R1962: North Valley Pet Hospital. William R Dean, DVM
- 9. R1980: Advanced Animal Care. Erica Cartwright, DVM
- 10. R2013: Tumbleweed Animal Hospital, PLC. Richard C Brady, DVM
- 11. R2349: Aspen Veterinary Clinic. Erin Hisrich, DVM
- 12. R3087: Glenfair Veterinary Hospital. Jon Fowler, DVM
- 13. R1458: Desert Cross Veterinary Hospital. Deborah Chapman, DVM
- 14. R1731: Cochise County Animal Hospital. Catalin Petcu, DVM
- 15. R2123: Dr. Joy's Veterinary Services at Rawhide Feed. John Augustine, DVM
- 16. R2236: Noah's Ark Animal Clinic. Julie Green, DVM

Approval of Random Premises Inspections granted.

After discussion and consideration, a motion was made by Ms. Soloman and seconded by Ms. Creager to approve the Consent Agenda. Motion passed unanimously.

VI. SUMMARY OF CURRENT EVENTS

No summary of current events

VII. CALL TO PUBLIC

No members of the public wished to speak.

VIII. ESTABLISHMENT OF FUTURE MEETING DATE

The next regular meeting will be held on **Wednesday**, **August 21**, **2019**, beginning at 8:30 a.m. at 1740 W. Adams St., Board Room "A," Phoenix, Arizona, 85007.

XII. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 9:30a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Victoria Whitmore, Executive Director