

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING
BOARD MEETING**

March 12, 2026

Date: March 12, 2026
Time: 9:30 AM
Location: 1755 E Plumb Lane
Suite 258
Reno, NV 89502
(775) 688-1231

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AGENDA

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1. Meeting conducted by Chair Brent Wright, call to order and roll call of board members to determine presence of quorum—board members Angelo Spata, Michael Kidd, Karen Purcell, Thomas Matter, Matt Gingerich, Robert Fyda, Greg DeSart, and Jay Dixon.
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Public comment. (**Discussion only**) Action may not be taken on any item brought up under public comment until scheduled on an agenda for action at a later meeting. The chair of the board may impose a time limit of three minutes.
4. Introductions

5. Consideration of initial licensure applicant requests to waive certain requirements of Nevada Revised Statutes and Nevada Administrative Code Chapter 625. **(For possible action)**
6. Board approval of non-appearance applications for initial licensure. Refer to Addendum A for list of applicants. **(For possible action)**
7. Discussion and possible action on approval of January 15, 2026, board meeting minutes. **(For possible action)**
8. Discussion and possible action on approval of February 12, 2026, interim board meeting minutes. **(For possible action)**
9. Discussion and possible action on financial statements. **(For possible action)**
 - a. December 2025
 - b. January 2026
10. Discussion and possible action on compliance reports by Compliance Officer. **(For possible action)**
 - a. Compliance officer report on complaints being investigated.
 - b. Consideration of probation reports:

Dooley Riva, PE #18231	Buckley Blew, PLS #24520
Andrew Hammond, PE/PLS #21191	Lyle Scott Mackay, PE #15131
Kevin Gutman, PE #28002	
11. Discussion on Board Counsel Report. **(Discussion only)**
12. Discussion and possible action on stipulated agreement for James Darrough, PLS, license number 021257, complaint number 20250036. **(For possible action)**
13. Discussion and possible action on administrative report by staff. **(For possible action)**
 - a. Approved licensees report
 - b. Action items related to 2021-2025 Strategic Plan
 - c. Items related to National Council of Examiners for Engineering & Surveying (NCEES)
 - i. NCEES Western Zone Meeting
14. Discussion and possible action on revisions to the 2025 Strategic Plan Executive Summary. **(For possible action)**
15. Discussion and possible action on board committee reports. **(For possible action)**
 - a. Administrative Procedures Oversight Committee, Chair Matt Gingerich
 - b. Legislative Committee, Chair Greg DeSart
 - c. Professional Association Liaison Committee, Chair Michael Kidd

- d. Public Outreach Committee, Chair Jay Dixon
 - e. PLS Standards of Practice Subcommittee of the Legislative Committee, Chair Matt Gingerich
 - i. Discussion and possible action on proposed Bill Draft Request to update Nevada Revised Statutes Chapter 327 to conform with the nationally adopted geodetic datum. (**For possible action**)
 - f. Governmental Outreach Committee, Chair Karen Purcell
16. Discussion and possible action on proposed edits to the Engineering Education Credit Guidelines. (**For possible action**)
17. Discuss legislative and regulatory matters with the Board's government liaison, Cassidy Wilson. (**For possible action**)
18. Discussion and possible action on Business and Industry's proposed regulation updates to NAC 232.XXX. (**For possible action**)
19. Consider any bill draft requests proposed by the Legislature to amend Nevada Revised Statutes related to regulatory boards and/or changes to Nevada Revised Statutes chapter 625, 329, and 327. (**For possible action**)
20. Discussion and possible action on status of Board and staff assignments. (**For possible action**)
21. Discussion and possible action on meeting dates. (**For possible action**)
22. Discussion and identification of topics for future meetings including possible proposed amendments to the Nevada Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors Law, Nevada Revised Statutes and Nevada Administrative Code Chapter 625. (**Discussion only**)
23. Public comment. (**Discussion only**) Action may not be taken on any item brought up under public comment until scheduled on an agenda for action at a later meeting.
24. Adjournment

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SIGNATURE

Name: Mark Fakler

Title: Executive Director

Date and Time of Posting: _____

Addendum A - March Initial

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Motlagh	Amir	CE	
Nally	Anastasia	CE	
Patil	Gaurav	CE	
Potts	Justin	CE	
Russell	Andrea	CE	
Sakaguchi	Trisha	CE	
Shrestha	Shrijan	CE	

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Venzon	Angelo	CE	
El Kani	Maher	EE	
Lillquist	John	EE	
Guevara-Cano	Victor	FPE	
Rickford	Tabitha	ME	
Arya	Sandeep	MINE	Waiver Request: RS 625.193(1)(A)