

## State of Nevada Board of Environmental Health Specialists

# NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

#### September 16, 2019

10:00 a.m.

Board Administrative Office 6160 Mae Anne Avenue, Suite 3 Reno, Nevada 89523

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AGENDA

The State of Nevada Board of Environmental Health Specialists may: (a) address agenda items out of sequence, (b) combine agenda items, and (c) pull or remove items from the agenda at any time. The Board may convene in closed session to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person. (NRS 241.020, NRS 241.030) Action by the Board on an item may be to approve, deny, amend, or table.

- 1. Call to Order, Confirmation of Quorum
- 2. Introduction Open Public Workshop

### **PUBLIC WORKSHOP – Proposed Regulation**

The purpose of the workshop is to solicit comments from interested persons on the proposed draft regulations. The proposed draft regulations addresses new and revised requirements contained in AB 175, approved at the 2019 Legislative Session. The proposed regulations addresses new registration types of provisional registrations, and temporary registrations, inactive status of standard registrations, establishes professional conduct and standards of practice, defines activities constituting unprofessional conduct, clarifies and revised continuing education requirements, and provides other matters properly relating thereto.

3. Public Comments

No vote may be taken upon a matter raised during a period devoted to public comment until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken. (NRS 241.020)

- 4. Consideration of Proposed Regulations (for possible action)
  - The Board will consider additions, amendments and/or repeal of regulations, taking into consideration comments from the public.
- 5. Approval of the Minutes of July 8, 2019 (For possible action)
- 6. Ratification of Registrations Issued by staff by authority of the Board (For possible action)

### a. New Registrations

Issue Date	#	Last Name	First Name	Title	Employer
7/03/2019	583	Bertran	Jorge	REHS	NV Department of Agriculture
7/16/2019	584	Sotelo-Zecena	Christabell	EHST	Washoe County Dist. Health Dept.
7/16/2019	585	Bluemer	Sharon	EHST	NV Division of Public/ Beh. Health
7/16/2019	586	Habtemicheal	Yared	EHST	Southern Nevada Health District
7/16/2019	587	Barnard	Elisabeth	EHST	NV Division of Public/ Beh. Health
7/16/2019	588	Perez	Elizabeth	EHST	NV Department of Taxation
7/16/2019	589	Chmiel	Marcin	EHST	NV Department of Taxation
7/23/2019	591	Rinella	Jessica	EHST	Southern Nevada Health District
7/23/2019	592	Roller	Joseph	EHST	NV Department of Taxation
7/23/2019	593	Witkowski	David	EHST	NV Department of Taxation
7/23/2019	594	Jacobson	Christopher	EHST	NV Department of Taxation
7/23/2019	595	Wayman	Kimberly	EHST	NV Department of Taxation
7/24/2019	596	Forero	Adrian	EHST	NV Department of Taxation
7/26/2019	597	Lawstemm	Matthew	EHST	NV Division of Public/ Beh. Health
7/28/2020	598	Martens II	Gary	EHST	Southern Nevada Health District

b. Trainee (EHST) achieving Registered Environmental Health Specialist (REHS)

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6/7/2019	582	Roche	Pamela	REHS	Southern Nevada Health District
7/17/2019	590	Sumera	Erik	REHS	Southern Nevada Health District
8/7/2019	599	Thompson	William	REHS	Southern Nevada Health District
8/19/2019	600	Ramakrishnan	Veena	REHS Southern Nevada Health District	
9/10/19	601	McGahen	Ryan	REHS	Southern Nevada Health District

- Consideration and Approval of List of Jurisdictions with Substantially Similar Requirements for Registration as an Environmental Health Specialist. Pursuant to NRS 625A.110 (3), NAC 625A.015 (for possible action)
- 8. Executive Director's Report (For possible action)
  - Registration Statistics
  - FY 2020 Financial Reports
- 9. Report from Deputy Attorney General (informational)
- 10. Report from Board Chair (For possible action)
  - Future Agenda Items
  - Board Meeting Schedule
- 11. Public Comment

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The Board welcomes public comment. Public comment will be limited to five minutes per person and comments based on viewpoint will not be restricted. Public comment will be available prior to action items on the agenda and on any matter not specifically included on the agenda as the last item on the agenda. At the discretion of the Chairperson, additional public comment may be heard when that item is reached. The Chairperson may allow additional time to be given a speaker as time allows and in his/her sole discretion. (NRS 241.020, NRS 241.030)

Prior to the commencement and conclusion of a contested case or a quasi-judicial proceeding that may affect the due process rights of an individual the board may refuse to consider public comment. (NRS 233B.126)

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Anyone desiring additional information regarding the meeting is invited to call the Board office at (775) 746-9423.

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