Forester Licensing Board

Draft Minutes – February 24, 2016 UMASS Holdsworth Hall, Amherst, MA



Attendance

Board Members: D. Kittredge, B. Spencer, E. Boss, M. Barry, R. Wilmot

Others in attendance: P. Church

Public Inquiry

None

Minutes of previous meeting

The Secretary referred members to the minutes of the September 9, 2015 meeting and requested comments or corrections prior to their approval. A motion was made (EB) and seconded (RW) to accept the minutes. Motion carried with a unanimous vote of members present.

New Applications

Reviewed and recommended by the board to the director the new application package(s) submitted by:

None.

J. Macko was requested to reapply in May.

Renewal Applications

The following applications were reviewed and recommended to the director for license renewal.

	FIRST	
LAST NAME	NAME	MLF#
Hachigian	Dana	379
Grantham	Rupert	371
Kobelia	Robert	286
Kowalski	Joseph	406
Miller	Collin	429
Fox	Christopher	411
Radlof	Eric	424
Valcourt Jr.	Richard	405
Koch	Charles	428
Martin	Jeffrey	341
Canfield	Kenneth	431
Anzuoni	Nicholas	340

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Karyn E. Polito Carol Sanchez, Commissioner Department of Conservation & Recreation MB recused himself from Eric Radlof's renewal. A motion was made (DK) and seconded (BS) to recommend the New/Renewal license applications to the director. Motion carried with a unanimous vote of members present.

Expired Licenses

None.

License Complaints

None

Other Business

- **Update on three year licensing**: PC stated that a bill is going through the senate with a 3 year license renewal period for Foresters. However, DCR must amend CMR's to make the 3 year renewal work if it does pass.
- **Robert Tarasuk update:** PC stated R. Tarasuk received a letter regarding his request for a waiver. His particular request does not met CMR guidelines and he can reapply for a new license July 1st 2016.
- 'Stacy Kontrabecki and her request for documentation clarification: The FLB states that in order to reduce confusion regarding documentation on renewals, cancelled checks verbiage will be removed.
- Peter Church: will speak with NRCS about their staff doing Forestry work.

Next Meeting will be held at Holdsworth Hall in Amherst, MA on:

May 11th 2016 @6:30pm.

Meeting Adjourned

Cc: Peter Church