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Forester Licensing Board
Minutes August 27th, 2025
DCR – Online Teams Meeting

Forester License Board Meeting – August 27, 2025

Meeting Opened: 4:00 P.M. Online Teams Meeting

Attendance:

- Board Members: C. Mettey, J. Parrot, J. Rapp, A. Brown
- Public: Adam Burnett, Liam Smith

Public Inquiry:

- None

Minutes of previous meeting:

J. Parrot referred members to the minutes of July 9, 2025, meeting and requested comments or corrections prior to their approval. A motion was made (JP) and seconded (AB) to accept the July 9, 2025, minutes. Motion carried with a unanimous vote of the voting members present.

New Applications:

To Review and recommend by the board to the director the new application package(s) submitted by:

- Adam W. Burnett - Requires examples of forestry work experience of a professional nature within the last three years.
- Liam Smith - Recommended to the director for approval, assigned license number 485.

Renewal Applications:

The following applications were reviewed and recommended to the director for license renewal (review Table 1).

Table 1- Renewal Applications Approved at August Meeting

MFL#	First Name	Last Name	Expire Date	2025 Cat I	2025 Total	2025 Cat I 3-Year Average	2025 Total 3-Year Average
463	Jessica	Bakowski, CF	8/11/2026	9.5	20.5	12	17.33
420	Bradley	Bordewieck	9/12/2026	10	36	12	33.67
357	John	Clarke, CF	7/28/2026	SAF	SAF	SAF	SAF*
437	Patrick	Conlin, CF	9/9/2026	21.5	21.5	23.67	23.67
370	Michael	Downey	9/21/2026	37	41	42	47.17
154	Jennifer	Fish	7/1/2026	30.25	34.25	21.92	28.75
473	Austin	Harmon	8/30/2026	25.5	26	N/A	N/A
397	Robbo	Holleran	7/22/2026	8	32	12.33	32.17
438	Ross	Hubacz	9/9/2026	8.5	22.5	22.83	30.17
122	James	Kelly	7/1/2026	16	25	17	25
143	Joseph	Lee	7/1/2026	18.5	26.5	17.67	25.17
450	Adam	Lunsford	7/24/2026	16	20	18.17	20.17
467	Richard	Maclean	8/17/2026	30	34.5	22.67	28
447	Nicholas	Pitel	8/23/2026	8.5	16.25	14	20.92
369	Christopher	Pryor, CF	8/24/2026	39.5	41	34.17	35.5
203	David	Richard	7/1/2026	19.25	19.25	20.08	20.08
376	Christopher	Riely, CF	7/26/2026	30	30	29.17	29.17
419	Brennan	Sheahan	9/12/2026	26	31	25.33	30
243	Harry	Wandeloski	7/1/2026	21.5	31.5	18.17	28.83
426	Russell	Wilmot	9/4/2026	14.5	20.5	14.17	23.5
257	Steven	Wood	7/1/2026	13.5	19.5	17.67	23.5

439	Ford	Wykoff	9/9/2026	20.5	24.5	20.33	21.67
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*Approved credit value will be adjusted upon receipt of current SAF documentation

Note: JP was the second initials for applicants

A motion was made (JP) and seconded (AB) to recommend the Renewal license applications to the director. Motion carried with a unanimous vote of members present.

Licenses Not approved for Renewal / Request more information:

- None

Expired/Non-Renewed Licenses – Send Letter

- Michael Bartlett
- Mel Harder

Foresters who have Retired/Non-Renew:

- None

Complaints

- None

Other Business

- Next meeting is planned for 4:00PM October 29th, 2025, this will be online only.

Next Meeting will be online; login instruction will be posted on the agenda.

Wednesday October 29th, 2025, 4:00PM - Online Meeting via Teams

Meeting Adjourned at 4:32PM (A motion was made (JP) and seconded (CM) with unanimous approval)

Cc: Peter Church

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