

Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation
Division of Professional Regulation
Illinois Professional Counselor Licensing and Disciplinary Board

Open Meeting

Dates: Thursday, January 5, 2023

Call to Order: 1:03 p.m.

Adjournment: 1:15 p.m.

Location: IDFPR
Division of Professional Regulation
320 W. Washington St.
Springfield, Illinois

Board Members Present: Kenneth H. Kessler Ph.D., Chair
Judith Fawell, Vice Chair
Debra Kerr, Public Member
Nadia Johnson, Member

Board Members Absent: None

Staff Members Participating: Lauren Craig, Office of General Counsel (via telephone)
Robert Gerton, Board Liaison

Guests Participating: None

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION
APPLICATION REVIEW	Board members engaged in individual file review Springfield prior to the meeting.	
CALL TO ORDER		The meeting was formally called to order at 1:03 p.m.
MINUTES ACCEPTANCE	Board members reviewed the minutes of open session from the August 25, 2022 meetings.	Motion was made and seconded (Kerr/Fawell) to accept the minutes. Motion carried.

FY2024 MEETING SCHEDULE		The following meeting dates were established for FY2024: August 24, 2023 October 12, 2023 November 30, 2023 January 4, 2024 February 15, 2024 April 4, 2024 May 16, 2024 June 27, 2024
ELECTION OF CHAIR AND VICE-CHAIR		Kenneth Kessler was retained as Chair. Judy Fawell was retained as Vice-Chair.
DEPARTMENT TIME	<p>Lauren Craig reported that there are 3 potential new Board members currently being vetted.</p> <p>Counsel is reviewing the draft of proposed Rules to make sure that it adequately addresses and incorporates industry input before resubmitted to JCAR. IDFPR expects that it will be submitted during the first half of 2023.</p>	
ADJOURNMENT		Formal business of the meeting adjourned at 1:15 p.m. January 5, 2023
APPLICATION REVIEW	Formal business being concluded, Board members resumed individual file review.	
SIGNATURES		<p>The following Action Sheets were signed by the Board:</p> <p>230004 – 230090</p>