

**899 NORTH CAPITOL ST. NE – 2NDFLOOR.
WASHINGTON, DC 20002**

June 4, 2018

10:00am -2:00pm

MEETING MINUTES

BOSW Mission Statement:

“To provide oversight to licensed professionals and ensure the health and safety of citizens and visitors in the District of Columbia through the provision of health care services.”

OPEN SESSION ATTENDANCE: June 2018

BOARD MEMBERS:		
	VELVA SPRIGGS, LISW, CHAIRPERSON	Present
	SELERYA MOORE, CONSUMER MEMBER	present
	DANIELLE NELSON, LSGW, BOARD MEMBER	Present
STAFF:	ROBIN JENKINS–EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	Present
	MAVIS AZARIAH–HEALTH LICENSING SPECIALIST	Present
	AISHA NIXON-HEALTH LICENSING SPECIALIST	Present
	DEB MOSS – INVESTIGATOR	Present
	GREGORY SCURLOCK – COMPLIANCE OFFICER	Absent
	DERECK BROOKS-SUPERVISORY INVESTIGATOR	Absent
	PANRAVEE VONGJAROENRAT, ESQ.- ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL	Present
	HAYLEY HOLLOWAY, LEGAL INTERN	
VISITORS:	MARGO ARONSON, GWSCSW ADELE NATTER, GWSCSW MICHAEL FRANCCUM, NASW DC METRO CHAPTER	

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	<p><u>Executive Director’s Report:</u> Ms. Jenkins reported that the Board will sending out a new flash to supervisors advising them of the need to have new hires in their organizations be fully licensed in the District before starting to practice. This is to avoid sanctions to new grad and to the supervisors for unlicensed practice. She also introduced Ms. Aisha Nixon as the new health licensing specialist in the unit who will be working on special projects and be helping her out with sitting in Board meetings etc.</p>	RJ
	<p><u>Chairperson’s Report:</u> Ms. Spriggs updated the Board that she and the Board staff were at the ASWB spring meeting in Halifax Nova Scotia on mobility. She also welcomed Ms. Danielle Nelson to the Social Work Board and excited that she was willing to serve and be a part of the Board.</p>	VS
	<p><u>Board’s Attorney’s Report:</u> Ms. VONGJAROENRAT introduced the legal intern, Ms. Holloway, to the Board and advised that is currently working on the NSA’s for the social workers who failed the CE audit.</p>	
0604-01	<p><u>MINUTES</u> The Board approved the open session minutes from the April 23, 2018 meeting.</p>	
	<p><u>Adjournment Motion</u> Upon conclusion of the open session meeting pursuant to the DC Official Code 2-575B and for the purposes set forth therein, the Board will move into the closed executive session portion of the meeting to consult with the Board attorney, discuss disciplinary matters and hear reports concerning violations of the law or regulations.</p>	

The next meeting is scheduled for July 23, 2018.