

Kentucky Board of Embalmers & Funeral Directors
November 2022 Meeting
U of L Shelby Campus, Founders Union, Room 136-B
450 N Whittington Pkwy
Louisville, KY

Tuesday, November 8, 2022

Present:

Danny Percell, Chairman
Jonathan Rideout, Vice Chair
Jack "Sonny" Meyer
Robert Garner-arrived at 10:

Ronald Raymond, Consumer Representative
John Blevins, Board Attorney
Kanetha Dorsey, Executive Director
Elise Stevenson, Administrative Assistant

Chairman Percell called the meeting to order at 10:00 am.

Minutes

The minutes as presented were approved with the following changes. Reference to Bridgett Dennison of O.D. White Funeral Home were removed as she was passed to the November meeting.

Ronald Raymond made the motion to approve the minutes as amended, that motion was seconded by Robert Garner and passed 5-0.

Apprenticeship Applications- Mr. Rideout, Mr. Meyer, Mr. Raymond, Mr. Garner and Chairman Percell all charged the applicants prior to the vote approving the applications.

The following applications were approved after a motion by Mr. Myer; Mr. Rideout seconded. It carried 5-0.

Dual:

- Phillip Cundall- Frank Giles, Hughart, Beard & Files Funeral Home
- Misty Lewis- Tim Crowe, Scobee Funeral Home
- Ashley Ulrich- Samuel Lange, Conley Brothers Funeral Home

Funeral Director only:

- Donald Pearson- Jamie Renfrow Maiden, William L. Danks Funeral Home
- Troy Hollowell- Brandon Orr, Milner & Orr Funeral Home & Cremation Services

After discussion a motion to approve the Funeral Director Apprenticeship for Don Chiles- James Hill, Newcomer Funeral Home was made by Mr. Rideout and seconded by Mr. Meyers.

FDAK came to discuss trade embalming with the Board. Mr. Percell thanked the members of FDAK for coming and speaking of the importance of issues facing the industry and the board. Mr. Percell also thanked FDAK for working with the board for the betterment of the profession.

Establishments

- Mr. Meyer made a motion to approve the establishment license of Tony Ratterman Funeral Services, that motion was seconded by Mr. Rideout and passed 5-0/

Examination Applications

Dual

- Bridgett Dennison- O.D. White & Sons Funeral Home
- Paul Harris-Reciprocal
- Cari Domitian-Kerr Brothers Funeral Home

Funeral Director Only

- Brad Epperson-Wells Funeral Home
- Terrell Broady-Reciprocal

Embalmer Only

- Kyle Cherrington-Reciprocal

The board discussed the upcoming FDAC meeting in Louisville on January 16-18 in Lexington, Kentucky and holding the January meeting during FDAC. Motion was made to do so by Mr. Raymond and seconded by Mr. Rideout. The motion carried 5-0.

Mr. Garner made a motion to allow attorney John Blevins to formalize an Order resolving the lawsuit filed by Jason Lewis against the board. That motion was seconded by Mr. Rideout and passed 5-0.

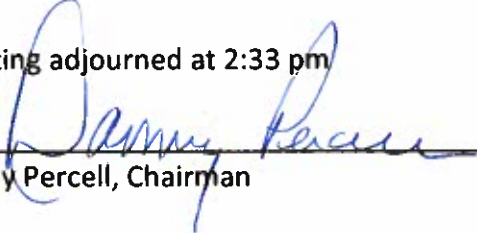
Mr. Garner left the meeting at 1:26 to attend a medical appointment.

A motion was made to hire Bill Bisceglia as a temporary investigator for Jefferson County, Hardin County and Bullitt County by Mr. Meyer, that motion was seconded by Mr. Rideout and passed 4-0.

A discussion as held on allowing live webinar meetings to count as in person CEU's. A motion was made by Mr. Meyer to allow live webinar meetings to count as in person CEU's if the webinar included an active participation element to ensure the license holder is engaged in the CEU, that motion was seconded by Mr. Rideout and passed 4-0.

A motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Miracle and was seconded by Mr. Rideout. That motions passed 4-0.

Meeting adjourned at 2:33 pm



Danny Percell, Chairman