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CALL TO ORDER

The July 11, 2025, Nebraska Board of Engineers and Architects (NBEA) meeting was held in the Morrill Room at 301 Centennial Mall South, Lincoln, Nebraska. Chair Dvorak called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m. and noted the location of the Open Meetings Act. Notice of the meeting was published in the Lincoln Journal Star in compliance with the Open Meetings Act.

Roll Call: Bruce Dvorak, Chair; Dan Thiele, Secretary; Jan Bostelman; Jim Brisnehan; Brett Foley; Absent: Brian Kelly, Lenora Nelson, Vice-Chair; Jason Suelter

Staff Present: Jon Wilbeck, Executive Director (ED); Amy Habe, Compliance Officer (CO); Jean Lais, Administrative Programs Officer (APO); Allyson Bennett, Public Information Officer (PIO); Lilliana Irvine, Compliance Assistant (CA); Cole Gressley, Administrative Programs Officer (APO)

Public Comment

Jeanne McClure, Executive Director – American Council of Engineering Companies (ACEC) McClure discussed testifying before the Appropriations Committee opposing the \$400,000 transfer from the Board's Cash Fund into the General Fund. She suggested that if the Board is looking to lower the Cash Fund, it consider a fee holiday or discount.

She highlighted some of the projects ACEC is currently working on, which include:

- A mentoring program for freshman and sophomore civil engineering students.
- Partnering with the Engineering Club in Lincoln and Omaha for Bingo events to help raise funds for scholarships. The events have raised over \$90,000 in the last three years.
- Creating videos geared for K-12 with a focus on built projects. Each video is a maximum of five minutes
 and is structured for each age group. The videos will be released on the ACES website and promoted
 through the Nebraska Department of Education's Skilled and Technical Sciences Division.
- Creating PowerPoint presentations on civil engineering, which will be published on ACEC's website.
- Partnering with Lincoln Literacy to assist with employment. The program connects them with licensees
 and resources to work through the licensure process, including the education evaluation process,
 instructing them on what they can and cannot do without a license.

A. CONSENT AGENDA

May 29, 2025, Operational Planning Meeting Minutes

May 30, 2025 Meeting Minutes

NCARB Fast Facts, May 2025

Motion by Bostelman, second by Foley, to approve the consent agenda as amended. Voting Yes: Thiele, Bostelman, Brisnehan, Foley, Dvorak; Voting No: None; Absent: Kelly, Nelson, Suelter

B. MEETING REPORTS

NBEA Subcommittee Reports

Proposed FY2025-26 Board Committees

The proposed FY2025-26 Board Committees makeup and charges were provided.

Legislative Committee: Bostelman – Chair, Suelter, Brisnehan

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- Assist the Executive Director in preparing talking points, public hearing testimony, fiscal notes, and other statements as needed related to bills impacting the Board in FY2025-26
- Evaluate responses from interested stakeholders on the usefulness of "coordinating professional" provisions in the E&A Act.

Guidance Documents: Kelly - Chair, Foley, Nelson

• Develop guidance documents on the topics of: 1) interior design practice and how that interacts with the E&A Act, and 2) clarifying the meaning of "adversely impact" as used in Rule 10.4.

Executive: Dvorak – Chair, Nelson, Thiele

- Meet to review and discuss the Executive Director's performance in November 2025, and
- Meet with the Executive Director in spring 2026 to review and discuss performance, consider
 adjustments in the Executive Director's salary for the upcoming fiscal year, and recommend salary
 adjustments to the Board at the June 2026 meeting.

C. OLD BUSINESS

Feedback related to E&A Act Coordinating Professional Provisions

At the Operational Planning meeting on May 30, 2025, the Board discussed the possibility of removing the requirement for coordinating professionals from the E&A Act and Rules. The members requested ED Wilbeck contact the professional societies and other state agencies to obtain information as to how the requirement has impacted their practices. Responses have been received from the Nebraska Society of Professional Engineers (NeSPE), Nebraska Association of County Officials (NACO), Nebraska State Fire Marshal (SFM), Associated General Contractors, Professional Engineers Coalition (PEC), American Institute of Architects – Nebraska Chapter (AIA-NE), American Council of Engineering Companies (ACEC), and Pat Leahy, Architect.

Discussion with State Treasurer on Interior Design Registry

Correspondence between ED Wilbeck and the State Treasurer's office was provided. Deputy State Treasurer Jason Walters indicated he would attend the October 24, 2025, meeting to discuss the Board's concerns regarding the interior designer seal.

Potential Changes to E&A Act and Board Rules based on Operational Planning discussion

Per the discussion at the May 30, 2025, Operational Planning meeting, ED Wilbeck provided proposed statutory and Rules revisions. After further discussion, the following revisions were agreed upon. The members directed ED Wilbeck to convey the revisions to the stakeholders for comment.

- **81-3408, 81-3437.02, and Rule 6.3.** The Board considered making changes to coordination professional requirements, however, after receiving feedback from stakeholder groups, the board determined the provision should not be removed or altered.
- 81-3737.01(2) would be rewritten to clarify how a signature is to be applied in conjunction with a licensee's seal. Whenever the seal is applied, the licensee's signature and <u>date shall</u> be <u>either</u> across <u>or</u> <u>adjacent to</u> the seal. If applied across the seal, the signature and date shall not obscure the licensee's name <u>or license number on the seal</u>. The board may adopt and promulgate rules and regulations for application of the seal.
- 81-3449(10) provisions allowing architects who hold a National Council of Architectural Registration Boards (NCARB) certificate to offer to practice in Nebraska upon notifying the Board they intend to do so should be deleted. The provision was added when it was introduced in NCARB model law, and since been removed.

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- 81-3451 would be revised to allow for direct registration with NCEES for PE exam candidates whose results are reported to Nebraska. This will remove the requirement of first requiring Board approval to register and sit for the exam. As a result, the requirements for initial licensure are being revised as they currently point to meeting the requirements of being approved to sit for the PE exam.
- Rule 1.12.1 The provision that an application fee paid and not used for that purpose may be used as a
 credit on another application would be removed as the new database does not have the capability of
 doing so. As a result, if the incorrect application fee is paid, it will be forfeited, and the correct fee must
 still be submitted.
- Rules 2.4.1.2, 2.4.2, and 2.4.4: With the removal of Board approval for the PE exam in Neb. Rev. Stat. § 81-3451, the Board will no longer determine the applicant's eligibility; therefore, the rules should be removed.
- Rule 2.8.1 should be revised to remove the requirement that the exam candidate must pass the exam on the first attempt. The amount of the reimbursement should be increased to \$225. It was further suggested that the amount be removed and replaced with a statement that the reimbursement amount will be set on an annual basis by the Board or the current cost of the FE exam registration with NCEES.
- Rule 3.7.1 should be revised to increase the amount of the reimbursement to \$225. It was further
 suggested that the amount be removed and replaced with a statement that the reimbursement amount
 will be set on an annual basis by the Board.
- Rule 7.3.6 should be revised to clarify when an organization must notify the Board of any changes in contact information or the organization's name. ... Organizations holding a certificate of authorization must notify the board in writing within 30 days after a change in the organization's physical or mailing address, electronic mail address, telephone number, other contact information, or operation, including name changes and dissolution of the organization.
- Rule 8.6.1, regarding collection of in arrears certificate of authorization fees, should be moved to Chapter 7

Discussion was held on the timing of a bill introduction. ED Wilbeck met with Russell Westerhold from Edwards, Westerhold, and Moore (legislative liaison) regarding the introduction. ED Wilbeck will meet with him again to discuss further. The members also directed ED Wilbeck to communicate the revisions to the stakeholders for comment.

As part of the feedback received on coordinating professional requirements, attendees at the June Nebraska Association of County Officials (NACO) conference inquired if they could be notified when a complaint was filed within their jurisdictions. ED Wilbeck will follow up with the attorney general's office to determine what and/or when a building official could be notified of a complaint in their jurisdiction.

Occupancy Classification Question

Additional clarification has been requested regarding the occupancy classification for townhouses. After the discussion, the members held to the determination at the May meeting that if they share structural elements, regardless of the firewall, and are over 10,000 sq ft or there are five or more units, the project is subject to the E&A Act.

Update on Licensee Database Replacement Project w/NCARB

The database replacement project meeting notes from July 1, 2025, were provided. ED Wilbeck reported that the templates for all engineering credentials are set up in the new database, and he is currently working on setting up the applications. He has also begun work on the architectural credentials.

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D. NEW BUSINESS

Discussion of Motions to be Presented at the 2025 NCEES Annual Meeting

A copy of the action items to be presented at the 2025 NCEES Annual Meeting in New Orleans on August 19-22, 2025, was provided. After the discussion, the members agreed with the NCEES Board of Directors' positions on all action items with the exception of Licensure Motion 1. After review, the Board felt the rubric format may set the competency too high. The result may actually discourage and cause a barrier to licensure. Licensing boards' goal is to determine minimum competency.

Motion by Bostelman, second by Thiele, to remove Licensure Motion 1 from the 2025 NCEES annual meeting consent agenda and to oppose the motion as written. Voting Yes: Thiele, Bostelman, Brisnehan, Foley, Dvorak; Voting No: None; Absent: Kelly, Nelson, Suelter

FY25/26 Health Insurance Increases

A memo from the Department of Administrative Services (DAS) regarding an increase in the agency's share of health insurance premiums was provided. Due to increased costs and higher-than-expected claims in the last biennium, agencies will be required to contribute an additional 18.5% of the premium costs for a total of 81.7%. This results in an additional \$3,100 in health insurance costs for FY25-26.

Certificate of Authorization Exemption Request

A request was received from *Arrow Tank and Engineering Company LLC* to allow the use of the term 'engineering' in the organization's trade name.

Motion by Thiele, second by Bostelman, to deny the request from Arrow Tank and Engineering Company LLC to use the term engineering in its trade name. Voting Yes: Thiele, Bostelman, Brisnehan, Foley, Dvorak; Voting No: None; Absent: Kelly, Nelson, Suelter

Request for Board discussion of rules regarding experience credit for advanced engineering degrees (2.33 and 2.3.3.1)

A request was received from Ross Barron from the Nebraska Department of Transportation (NDOT) to discuss Board Rules 2.3.3 and 2.3.3.1 and how they are interpreted when someone works full-time while earning an advanced degree.

Rule 2.3.3 states Nebraska's experience requirement cannot be met until at least forty-eight months after the completion of the first engineering degree, irrespective of the combination of work experience and education credit that may be available for an advanced degree. Associate degrees are not considered when determining a candidate's first degree.

Rule 2.3.3.1 states that a candidate with an EAC/ABET or CEAB-accredited bachelor's degree and who holds a master's in engineering only needs three years of acceptable work experience.

Discussion was held regarding individuals who may work full-time while earning a master's degree in engineering. Rule 2.3.3 was written to prevent individuals from obtaining experience while also claiming education credit for earning the master's degree. It was also to assist applicants with any issues that may arise when they apply for comity licensure in other jurisdictions, as most require at least four years of experience.

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Alan Wedige Letter to Board

A copy of Wedige's letter to the board thanking it for the recognition of his service was provided.

Outreach & Marketing Update

PIO Bennett updated the members on the Outreach and Marketing Plan. Highlights included:

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- PIO Bennet presented at the Nebraska Society of Professional Engineers' (NeSPE) Summer Annual Meeting on June 5, 2025, in David City.
- CO Habe and CA Irvine presented at the Nebraska Association of County Officials' (NACO) County Board Workshop on June 5, 2025, in Kearney.
- A Lunch and Learn with the American Council of Engineering Companies (ACES) will b held on August 19, 2025.
- Staff will be presenting at the Great Plains Society of Fire Protection Engineers' monthly meeting on September 17, 2025.
- Staff will be presenting at the American Institute of Architects-Nebraska (AIA-NE) 2025 Conference on September 18, 2025.
- Staff will have exhibitor space at the NACO Annual Conference on December 17-19, 2025.
- PIO will be presenting to the Engineers Club Omaha on a date to be determined.
- PIO Bennet conducted a day trip on June 16, 2025, to Seward and Butler Counties.
- New marketing materials have arrived, including retractable banners and promotional items.

Discussion was held regarding the annual new licensee ceremony. Bostelman and Thiele were selected to read the engineers' names. Chair Dvorak will be the emcee. The member to read the architects will be determined at the August meeting.

ED Wilbeck noted that PE Day is on August 6, 2025.

Board Member Travel and Per Diem Requests

Brian Kelly	June 25, 2025	NCARB Region 5 Executive Committee (Virtual)
Brett Foley	July 10, 2025	ICOR Practice Overlap Steering Committee (Virtual)
Jan Bostelman	August 7, 2025	NCEES EPE Committee (Virtual)
Brett Foley	August 8-9, 2025 (travel: August 7)	NCARB DEI Committee (Denver, CO)

Motion by Thiele, second by Brisnehan, to approve the travel and per diem requests. Voting Yes: Thiele, Bostelman, Brisnehan, Foley, Dvorak; Voting No: None; Absent: Kelly, Nelson, Suelter

Motion by Thiele, second by Brisnehan, to go into executive session for the purpose of discussion of compliance investigations and partner-agency processes, not a matter of public information, to prevent needless injury to the reputation of those involved. Voting Yes: Thiele, Bostelman, Brisnehan, Foley, Dvorak; Voting No: None; Absent: Kelly, Nelson, Suelter

Executive session began at 10:32 a.m.

E. COMPLIANCE

Cases 24.04, 24.05, 24.12, 24.37, 24.49, 24.50, 24.52, 25.02, 25.03, 25.04, 25.05, 25.07, 25.08, 25.10, 25.12, 25.13, 25.14, and 25.15 were discussed in executive session.

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Other Compliance Issues

Project Review 01 was discussed in executive session.

Partner-Agency processes were discussed in executive session.

Motion by Thiele, second by Foley to close the executive session for the purpose of discussion of compliance investigations and partner-agency processes, not a matter of public information, to prevent needless injury to the reputation of those involved. Voting Yes: Thiele, Bostelman, Brisnehan, Foley, Dvorak; Voting No: None; Absent: Kelly, Nelson, Suelter

Executive session ended at 11:48 a.m.

Motion by Thiele, second by Foley, to amend the settlement agreement in Case 24.05 to reduce the suspension period to six months. Voting Yes: Thiele, Bostelman, Brisnehan, Foley, Dvorak; Voting No: None; Absent: Kelly, Nelson, Suelter

Motion by Thiele, second by Bostelman, to dismiss Case 24.49 without disciplinary action based on the successful completion of architectural remediation. Voting Yes: Thiele, Bostelman, Brisnehan, Foley, Dvorak; Voting No: None; Absent: Kelly, Nelson, Suelter

Motion by Thiele, second by Foley, to approve the settlement agreement in Case 25.08 and authorize the Chair to execute. Voting Yes: Thiele, Bostelman, Brisnehan, Foley, Dvorak; Voting No: None; Absent: Kelly, Nelson, Suelter

Motion by Thiele, second by Bostelman, to dismiss Case 25.10 based on satisfying the settlement agreement terms. Voting Yes: Thiele, Bostelman, Brisnehan, Foley, Dvorak; Voting No: None; Absent: Kelly, Nelson, Suelter

Motion by Thiele, second by Foley, to authorize architectural and engineering remediation in Case 25.15 on the entire project, which includes all enclosed, potentially habitable areas on any level, and request a response within 30 days and a remediation plan within 90 days. Voting Yes: Thiele, Bostelman, Brisnehan, Foley, Dvorak; Voting No: None; Absent: Kelly, Nelson, Suelter

Motion by Thiele, second by Foley, to open a case against the plan preparer in Case 25.15 for the unlicensed practice of engineering and architecture. Voting Yes: Thiele, Bostelman, Brisnehan, Foley, Dvorak; Voting No: None; Absent: Kelly, Nelson, Suelter

F. APPLICATIONS

Administratively Approved

Licensure of Professional Engineers by NCEES MLE Designation

E-21374 Shaun Kristopher Andres, Mechanical; E-21422 Brogan Hunter Andrews, Civil; E-21457 Travis Mitchell Berry Bailey, Civil; E-21373 Alexandre Manuel Batista, Mechanical and Electrical and Computer; E-21383 Michael Riley Baugh, Civil; E-21452 Richard Dale Becker, Electrical and Computer; E-21380 Michael John Bowker, Civil; E-21384 Garett Brady Bowmaster, Mechanical; E-21385 Philip Gabriel Casso, Mechanical; E-21370 Ethan Scott Clark, Electrical and Computer; E-21438 David Lincoln Cochran, Agricultural; E-21454 Travis Scott Courtney, Electrical and Computer; E-21460 Brandon Lee Cox, Civil; E-21423 Andrew Michael Creel, Civil; E-21376 Steven Charles Dame, Civil; E-21386 Matthew Lawernce Danielson, Civil; E-21459 Albert Anthony Dawkins, Civil; E-21455 Reid Eric DeBaun, Electrical and Computer; E-21436 Thomas Emmett DeJong, Civil; E-21445 Richard Edward Donaldson, Mechanical; E-21446 James Daniel Driscoll, Civil; E-21463 Andrew Len Eversole, Mechanical; E-21466 Alex Michael Garr, Electrical and Computer; E-21467 James Brandon Gillespie, Control Systems; E-21433 Reed Isaias Gonzalez, Mechanical; E-21458 Kathleen Marisa Graham, Civil; E-21439 Matthew Scott Gray, Electrical and Computer; E-21424 Shaun Michael Grimm, Electrical and Computer; E-21427 Steven Thomas Gyarmaty, Structural; E-21435 Peter Jason Hall, Electrical and Computer; E-21440 Joshua Karl Harrison, Mechanical; E-21442 Ross Allen Haugen, Environmental; E-21387 Kevin Patrick Heffern, Structural; E-21456

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Andrew Spangler Hilgenkamp, Civil; E-21462 Drake Bradley Hudson, Electrical and Computer; E-21379 Matthew Alexander Hurley, Civil; E-21453 Robin Ann Isaac, Mechanical; E-21448 Haris Jasarevic, Civil; E-21434 Farhan Khatri, Mechanical; E-21381 Debbie Ann Klisis, Civil; E-21468 Kurt Allen Kutter, Civil; E-21378 Jacob Christian Lengquist, Electrical and Computer; E-21444 Nathan Joe Liggett, Civil; E-21428 James Caldwell Martin, Electrical; E-21371 Richard Thomas McCoy Jr, Mechanical; E-21425 Kevin Matthew Meredith, Electrical and Computer; E-21375 Travis Allen Miller, Civil; E-21461 Zachary Lee Morris, Civil; E-21429 Michelle Miyako Ondrejka, Civil; E-21382 Chansothi Oum, Civil; E-21449 Anthony Karl-Fredrick Pyymaki Perros, Mechanical; E-21451 Joshua Michael Perry, Civil; E-21437 Matthew Tyler Palhemus, Civil; E-21369 Cody Deal Porter, Civil; E-21426 Kelly Renee Riley, Civil; E-21430 Travis Rein Rounsaville, Civil; E-21369 Cody Deal Porter, Civil; E-21426 Kelly Renee Riley, Civil; E-21430 Travis Rein Rounsaville, Civil; E-21389 Geoffrey Trent VanAllen, Civil; E-21431 Lindsey Leigh Vielma, Civil; E-21432 Brendan Michael Walsh, Civil; E-21390 Christopher Lee Warshaw, Civil; E-21377 Steven William Wheeler, Civil; E-21465 Andrew Tim Willard, Civil; E-21441 Kendall Dean Zimmerman, Electrical and Computer

Licensure of Architects by NCARB Certification

A-5816 Joshua Michael Abbey, A-5824 Nelly Augustyn, A-5813 Keith Eugene Carlson, A-5826 James Robert Clarke, A-5821 Nathan Perry Coombs, A-5812 Daniel Lee Drendel, A-5819 Shawn Patrick Evans, A-5806 Ronald David Lloyd, A-5807 William Joseph Ludwig, A-5805 Joshua Nathaniel Mandell, A-5814 Gabriel John Massa, A-5817 Terri Lee Miller, A-5804 Nathan Michael Morton; A-5825 Ryan Patrick Murphy, A-5818 Kenneth Adam Newberry, A-5822 Aimee Christina Sanborn, A-5823 Danika Rae Sleeger-Dallam, A-5820 Robert Crosby Stickles

Temporary Permits - None

Engineer Intern Enrollment Certificates

Kyle Reagan Fitch, Jonathan Scott Keller, Abdirahman Mohmed Madobe, Isaac David Misebach, Nhat Huy Ngo

Certificates of Authorization

CA5485 Staff Design PLLC, CA5486 Optimized Energy & Facilities Consulting Inc, CA5487 HTW & Associates PA, CA5488 Crossroads Consulting LLC, CA5489 Spruce Structural Engineering LLC, CA5490 Waskey Bridges Inc, CA5491 CDG Engineers Inc, CA5492 Cornerstone Engineering Inc, CA5493 Gnich Architecture Studio LLC, CA5494 BHGM Engineers, CA5495 Aria Engineering Group Inc; Ca5496 William J Ludwig and Associates Ltd, CA5497 B Squared Engineering LLC, CA5498 Preload LLC, CA5499 PDDM Solutions LLC, CA5500 RDL Architects Inc, CA5501 Byers Engineering Company, CA5502 GH2 Architects LLC, CA5503 Zadina Consulting LLC, CA5504 IPS Professional Engineers and Architects PC, CA5505 StructureCraft Builders Inc, CA5506 Hailey Architects LLC, CA5507 Stand Structural Engineering Inc, CA5508 UCI2 Construction Services LLC

PE Exam Applications

Nicholas Alan Abbott, Civil; David Paul Beauclair, Civil; Jordan Alexander Camenzind, Mechanical; Daniel Edward Dunn, Civil; Ahmed Saber Awad Ahmed Al-Ashwah, Civil; Adam Jacob Elwood, Mechanical; Nicole Alexandria Fiebiger, Structural; Morris John Hagge, Civil; Matthew James Huntwork, Electrical and Computer; Abed-nego Kyungu Kime, Structural; Tessa Elizabeth Lancaster, Civil; Aaron Michael Lechtenberger, Civil; Andrew James Martinez, Architectural; Anthony Carl Meusch, Agricultural and Biological; Kokeum Park, Mechanical; Cameron Hewitt Port, Civil; Zachary John Smedley, Mechanical; Matthew Jason Taylor, Civil; Benjamin Miller Wagner, Structural; Brandt Yannone Walla, Civil

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Licensure/Examination

Licensure of Professional Engineers by Comity and Initial

Initial Licensure, Staff Recommendation to Approve: Payton Elizabeth Best, Civil; Cameron Paul Bretsen, Mechanical; Ryan Joseph Brockman, Control Systems; David Elijan Clay, Civil; Caleb Coleman Craven, Civil; Brady Lance Darrough, Control Systems; James Rosslyn Dykes, Civil; Brian Jacob Goodbarn, Civil; Patrick Michael Gregg, Civil; Thomas Richard Gremel, Civil; Justin Craig Hagerman, Civil; Ethan Thomas Hall, Civil; Caleb Christian Krouse, Civil; Jonathan Mark Magill, Mechanical; Russell William Sunberg Masterson, Civil; Edward Stephen McNamara, Electrical and Computer; Kevin Michael O'Connell, Electrical and Computer; Kyle Matthew Otto, Civil; Martin Jacob Rink, Civil; Riley Joseph Ruskamp, Civil; Adelicia Lane Schrader, Electrical and Computer; Benjamin Daniel Stodola, Electrical and Computer; Brock Yannone Walla, Civil; Tory Alexander Weeder, Mechanical; Saleasha Jaray Elizabeth Zenon, Civil

Initial Licensure, Staff Recommendation to Defer: Kalilullah Sultani, Civil – defer until meets experience requirement in Board Rule 2.3.3.

Comity Licensure, Staff Recommendation to Approve: Annia Alvarez Nodarse, Civil; Eduardo Hidalgo-Reyes, Electrical and Computer; Hunter Russell Jackson, Civil; James Allen Kollbaum, Civil; Moujtaba Abdalla Mohammed, Civil; Guillermo Antonio Rojas, Civil; Adam Matthew Ruud, Civil; Said Tamimullah Said Lal Shah, Civil

Licensure of Professional Engineers by Experience

Staff Recommendation to Approve: Darwin Lee Bishop, Civil; Jeffrey Thomas Lansink, Civil; Jayendra Raojibhai Patel, Civil

Licensure of Professional Engineers by Reinstatement

Staff Recommendation to Approve: E-14528 Robert John Smith, Civil

Licensure of Architects by Comity and Initial - None

Licensure of Architects by Experience - None

Licensure of Architects by Reinstatement - None

Motion by Thiele, second by Bostelman, to accept the staff recommendations on applications. Voting Yes: Thiele, Bostelman, Brisnehan, Foley, Dvorak; Voting No: None; Absent: Kelly, Nelson, Suelter

Other Issues/Information

Request for NCEES Credentials Evaluation

A request was received from Jacob Lucas to request a credentials evaluation of his education from NCEES. He graduated from Loras College in Dubuque, IA, with a Bachelor of Science in Engineering in May 2010. The program was not accredited at the time of graduation, but became accredited in October 2011.

Motion by Foley, second by Thiele, to approve the request from Jacob Lucas to have NCEES conduct a credentials evaluation of his education. Voting Yes: Thiele, Bostelman, Brisnehan, Foley, Dvorak; Voting No: None; Absent: Kelly, Nelson, Suelter

Completed Application Statistics

Charts and statistics regarding the number of applications, certificates of authorization, and other application types were provided.

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G. FINANCIAL MATTERS

Historical Expenditures, Last Six Fiscal Years

ED Wilbeck provided historical data on financials for the last six fiscal years.

Financial Reports - May, June

FY2024-25 Financial Profile

Budget Status

Fund Summary

MTD General Ledger Detail

Motion by Thiele, second by Foley, to approve the financial reports as presented. Voting Yes: Thiele, Bostelman, Brisnehan, Foley, Dvorak; Voting No: None; Absent: Kelly, Nelson, Suelter

Other Financial Matters - None

H. GENERAL INFORMATION

A schedule of upcoming meetings and national events was provided. The next regular board meeting is scheduled for August 8, 2025, at 8:30 a.m., at the Nebraska State Office Building – Lancaster Room, 301 Centennial Mall S, Lincoln, Nebraska.

Licensure and Certificate Trends

Numbers as of July 2, 2025
Professional Engineers......9,510

Temporary Permits12

Examination Information/Statistics

June and July 2025 ARE Open Eligibility Reports, May 2025 ARE Pass/Fail Report were provided. 2025 Q3 FE and PE Pass Rate Histories were provided.

Other Information

The FY2024-25 Marketing Plan was provided.

Facebook analytics for May and June 2025 were provided:

Views: 5,566Reaches: 534

Content Interactions: 82

Link Clicks: 10Visits: 171New Follows: 10

Posts: 31

May and June 2025 Website Analytics report was provided:

 Visits
 New Users

 May 2,400
 1,900

 June 3,000
 2,300

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The Board's approved policies as of October 25, 2024, were provided.

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Dvorak adjourned the meeting at 12:27 p.m.

Dan Thiele, Secretary