

## Arkansas Department of Health Arkansas State Board of Acupuncture & Related Techniques

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# ASBART Arkansas State Board of Acupuncture and Related Technique

Board Meeting Minutes February 6, 2024 12:00 pm CST

Jana Brady L.Ac., President / Professional Member Michael Buffington M.D. / Ex-Officio Michael Sims / Public Member Wendy Poole / Public Member

#### **Members Present**

Jana Brady Wendy Poole Michael Sims Dr. Michael Buffington Other Attendees

Russell Burns (ADH)

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order by Board President Jana Brady at 12:02 pm CST.

**Review/Approval of December 14, 2023 Minutes:** The minutes from the previous board meeting were unanimously approved.

Motion: Wendy Poole 2<sup>nd</sup>: Jana Brady

**Financial Report:** December, 2023 – January, 2024 Financial Reports were presented to the board by Russell Burns (Board Director). A motion was made and unanimously approved to accept the reports.

Motion: Michael Sims 2<sup>nd</sup>: Wendy Poole

#### **Licensure Report & Application Vote:**

- 1. 38 Active Licenses \*Timothy M. Green's and Lance E. Gram's licenses were placed on Inactive Status\* The licensure report was presented to the board by Russell Burns (Board Director).
- 2. Lance D. Johnson's additionally submitted documentation for application for licensure was discussed. The Board recognized twenty-three (23) of the required thirty (30) science college credit hours for licensure. A motion was made and unanimously approved to deny the application based on Board Rule: Title III, C.1, (2). Russell Burns was to contact the applicant to request information on the content of the "Science and Pseudoscience" course and any other courses that the applicant might feel should be considered that the board had not already applied toward the requirement.

Motion: Jana Brady 2<sup>nd</sup>: Wendy Poole

### **Board Office Control Self Assessment:**

1. Russell Burns (Board Director) presented the Control Self Assessment to the Board.

Next Meeting: Thursday, May 9, 2023 at noon.

Adjournment: Jana Brady adjourned the meeting at 12:22 p.m.