

43 Mohammad Shokari
44 Kathryn Evans
45 Kelsey Tate
46 Nicholas Carnicelli
47 Lilian Garcia
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51 The meeting was opened with a roll call and a quorum was established.

52 **III. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

53 Board members reviewed the minutes from October 22, 2025, General Business Meeting.

54 **MOTION:** Mr. Meeks made a motion to approve the minutes.

55 **SECOND:** Mr. Kromhout seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

56 **APPLICATION REVIEW**
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58 **ENDORSEMENT**

59 **Caleb Eldridge**

60 Caleb Eldridge was not present.

61 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

62 **MOTION:** Mr. Meeks made a motion to approve the application for licensure by endorsement.

63 **SECOND:** Mr. Alfieri seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.
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65 **Brandon Thornhill**

66 Brandon Thornhill was not present.

67 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

68 **MOTION:** Mr. Kromhout made a motion to approve the application for licensure by
69 endorsement.

70 **SECOND:** Mr. Meeks seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.
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73 **Benjamin Weide**

74 Benjamin Weide was not present.

75 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

76 **MOTION:** Mr. Meeks made a motion to approve the application for licensure by endorsement.

77 **SECOND:** Mr. Kromhout seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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79 **Jacalyn Gorczynski – 10 years**

80 Jacalyn Gorczynski was not present.

81 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

82 **MOTION:** Mr. Kromhout made a motion to approve the application for licensure by
83 endorsement.

84 **SECOND:** Mr. Meeks seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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86 **Benjamin Walters**

87 Benjamin Walters was not present.

88 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

89 **MOTION:** Mr. Kromhout made a motion to approve the application for licensure by
90 endorsement.

91 **SECOND:** Mr. Alfieri seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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93 **Robert Perkinson**

94 Robert Perkinson was not present.

95 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

96 **MOTION:** Mr. Meeks made a motion to approve the application for licensure by endorsement.

97 **SECOND:** Mr. Alfieri seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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100 **INITIAL BY EXAMINATION**

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102 **Kristopher Esterson – Exam**

103 Leigh Marshallsay was not present.

104 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

105 **MOTION:** Mr. Meeks made a motion to approve the applicant sitting for the Professional
106 Geologists examination.

107 **SECOND:** Mr. Kromhout seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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109 **Kelsey Tate – Upgrade**

110 **Kelsey Tate** was present.

111 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

112 **MOTION:** Mr. Kromhout made a motion to approve the applicant to sit for Practice portion of the
113 examination.

114 **SECOND:** Mr. Alfieri seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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116 **Martina Rogers – Exam – (Intent to Deny)**

117 Martina Rogers was not present.

118 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

119 **MOTION:** Mr. Kromhout made a motion to Deny Application because applicant does not have
120 the required geological work experience. Applicant may elect to withdraw the application within
121 15 days from filing date of Notice of Intent to Deny.

122 **SECOND:** Mr. Meeks seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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124 **Kathryn Evans - Exam**

125 Kathryn Evans was present.

126 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

127 **MOTION:** Mr. Kromhout made a motion to approve the applicant to sit for the Professional
128 Geologists examination.

129 **SECOND:** Mr. Meeks seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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131 **Nikolaos Ilias - Exam**

132 Nikolaos Ilias was present.

133 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

134 **MOTION:** Mr. Meeks made a motion to approve the applicant sitting for the Professional
135 Geologists examination.

136 **SECOND:** Mr. Kromhout seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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138 **Jamie Khawja - Exam**

139 Jamie Khawja was not present.

140 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

141 **MOTION:** Mr. Kromhout made a motion to Deny Application because applicant does not have
142 the required geological work experience. Applicant may elect to withdraw the application within
143 15 days from filing date of Notice of Intent to Deny.

144 **SECOND:** Mr. Alfieri seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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146 **Mohammad Shokri - Exam**

147 Mohammad Shokri was present.

148 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

149 **MOTION:** Mr. Meeks made a motion to approve the applicant sitting for the Professional
150 Geologists examination.

151 **SECOND:** Mr. Alfieri seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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Wesley Mayhew - Upgrade

Wesley Mayhew was present.

The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

MOTION: Mr. Kromhout made a motion to approve the applicant to sit for the Practice portion of examination.

SECOND: Mr. Meeks seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

Nicholas Carnicelli - Upgrade

Nicholas Carnicelli was present.

The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

MOTION: Mr. Kromhout made a motion to approve the applicant to sit for the Practice portion of examination.

SECOND: Mr. Alfieri seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

Ryan Pireaux - Upgrade

Ryan Pireaux was present.

The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

MOTION: Mr. Alfieri made a motion to approve the applicant to sit for the Practice portion of examination.

SECOND: Mr. Meeks seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

Yasmani Llanes Morales - Upgrade

Yasmani Llanes Morales was not present.

The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

MOTION: Mr. Kromhout made a motion to Deny Application because applicant does not have the required geological work experience. Applicant may elect to withdraw the application within 15 days from filing date of Notice of Intent to Deny.

182 **SECOND:** Mr. Alfieri seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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184 **Catalina Castro Sierra - Upgrade**

185 Catalina Castro Sierra was present.

186 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

187 **MOTION:** Mr. Meeks made a motion to approve the applicant to sit for the Practice portion of
188 examination.

189 **SECOND:** Mr. Alfieri seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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191 **Ericka McMahan - Upgrade**

192 Ericka McMahan was not present.

193 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

194 **MOTION:** Mr. Kromhout made a motion to Deny Application because applicant does not have
195 the required geological work experience. Applicant may elect to withdraw the application within
196 15 days from filing date of Notice of Intent to Deny.

197 **SECOND:** Mr. Alfieri seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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199 **Raymond Gonzalez - Upgrade**

200 Raymond Gonzalez was not present.

201 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

202 **MOTION:** Mr. Kromhout made a motion to approve the applicant to sit for the Practice portion of
203 examination.

204 **SECOND:** Mr. Meeks seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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206 **Jade Walker Greene - Upgrade**

207 Jade Walker Greene was present.

208 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

209 **MOTION:** Mr. Kromhout made a motion to approve the applicant to sit for the Practice portion of
210 examination.

211 **SECOND:** Mr. Alfieri seconded the motion. Mr. Meeks disagreed; however, it passed
212 nonunanimous.

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214 **Lilian Garcia - Upgrade**

215 Lilian Garcia was present.

216 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

217 **MOTION:** Mr. Meeks made a motion to approve the applicant to sit for the Practice portion of
218 examination.

219 **SECOND:** Mr. Alfieri seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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221 **Bradley Buselli - Upgrade**

222 Bradley Buselli was not present.

223 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

224 **MOTION:** Mr. Kromhout made a motion to approve the applicant to sit for the Practice portion of
225 examination.

226 **SECOND:** Mr. Alfieri seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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228 **GEOLOGIST IN TRAINING**

229 **Hayden Backus - GIT**

230 Hayden Backus was present.

231 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

232 **MOTION:** Mr. Kromhout made a motion to approve the applicant to sit for the Fundamentals
233 portion of examination.

234 **SECOND:** Mr. Alfieri seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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238 **Yadira Lambert - GIT**

239 Yadira Lambert was present.

240 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

241 **MOTION:** Mr. Meeks made a motion to approve the applicant to sit for the Fundamentals portion
242 of examination.

243 **SECOND:** Mr. Kromhout seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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245 **Brett Hepler - GIT**

246 Brett Hepler was not present.

247 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

248 **MOTION:** Mr. Kromhout made a motion to approve the applicant to sit for the Fundamentals
249 portion of examination.

250 **SECOND:** Mr. Meeks seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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252 **Jacob Ruhkick - GIT**

253 Jacob Ruhkick was not present.

254 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

255 **MOTION:** Mr. Kromhout made a motion to approve the applicant to sit for the Fundamentals
256 portion of examination.

257 **SECOND:** Mr. Alfieri seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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259 **Josh Crissey – GIT**

260 Josh Crissey was present.

261 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

262 **MOTION:** Mr. Kromhout made a motion to Conditionally Approve the applicant to sit for the
263 Fundamentals portion of examination pending Official Transcript is submitted including
264 graduation date.

265 **SECOND:** Mr. Meeks seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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267 **Thomas Twomey - GIT**

268 Kathryn Evans was not present.

269 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

270 **MOTION:** Mr. Kromhout made a motion to approve the applicant to sit for the Fundamentals
271 portion of examination.

272 **SECOND:** Mr. Meeks seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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274 **Juan Serna Lopez - GIT**

275 Juan Serna Lopez was not present.

276 The Board reviewed the application and after discussion, the following motion was made:

277 **MOTION:** Mr. Kromhout made a motion to Conditionally Approve the applicant to sit for the
278 Fundamentals portion of examination pending applicant submit an Official Translation of
279 Transcript from an accredited Translation Services.

280 **SECOND:** Mr. Meeks seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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282 The Board reviewed the applications and after discussion, the following motion was made:

283 **MOTION:** Mr. Kromhout made a motion to approve the applicants sitting for the Fundamentals
284 portion of examination. (All listed below)

285 **SECOND:** Mr. Alfieri seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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- 287 • Alyssa Pascoe
 - 288 • James Lachterman
 - 289 • Hailee Belcher
 - 290 • Sabrina Tribble
 - 291 • Ivy Burton-Akright
 - 292 • Erika Rodriguez Pena
 - 293 • Naomi Boerner
 - 294 • Kyle Borske
 - Kristopher Leonard Jerry

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298 **CHAIR'S REPORT**

299 No Report

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301 **ATTORNEY GENERAL'S REPORT**

302 No rules made or proposed

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304 **MOTION:** Mr. Meeks made a motion to approve ratification of 2025-2026 Annual
305 Regulatory Plan.

306 **SECOND:** Mr. Kromhout seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

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309 **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

310 Mr. Morrison discussed the financial report.

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313 **DISCUSSION ITEMS**

314 Chair and Vice Chair election.

315 Michael Alfieri made a motion to elect Norman Meeks as Chair.

316 Clint Kromhout seconded the motion, and the motion was approved unanimously.

317 Norman Meeks made a motion to elect Michael Alfieri as Vice Chair.

318 Clint Kromhout seconded the motion, and the motion was approved unanimously.

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322 **NEW BUSINESS**

323 **Upcoming Board Meetings**

324 • April 22, 2026 – Boca Raton, FL – FAU

325 • July 15, 2026 – Fort Myers, FL - FGCU

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327 **ADJOURNMENT**

328 Meeting adjourned at 1:41 pm

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