The South Dakota Board of Technical Professions held a public hearing at 8:30 a.m. MT on Friday, September 18, 2020 in its Board Room and via Zoom and Conference Call.


Hearing Officer: Steven O. Thingelstad, Chairman, Rapid City, South Dakota

Members of the Board in Attendance: Chairman Steven O. Thingelstad; Steven K. Williams; and Catherine Dekkenga in the Board Room. Others present via Zoom Vice-Chairman Colby Flynn; Ryan Callaghan; and Steve Peters.

Member of the Board absent: Mike Albertson was unable to attend.

Others in attendance: Guests Nancy Hoines, SDES, DPC, ACEC; Tanya Olson, SD Chair of ASLA Nebraska/Dakotas; Angela Lammers, Executive Director, AIA/SD; Gene Fennell, AR; Thomas Hurlbert, AR; Allison Dvorak, AR; Sienna Wegehaupt, AR; Leap Chear, AR; Keith Neuharth, AR; Kim Otten, AR; Elizabeth Meyer, Associate, AIA; Robin Miller, AR; Terri Miller, AR; Ryan Krantz, Intern; Marty Christensen, PE; and Mike Fisher, PE; Board Counsel, Graham Oey; Staff members; Kathryn Patterson and Lorrie Thompson.

Written Testimony: None

Oral Testimony: Nancy Hoines spoke to the changes and thanked the Board for the clarification of the rule changes. It was also requested to modify the wording in 20:38:35:11 to reflect that PDH earned could only be carried over from the previous renewal biennium. Tanya Olson thanked the Board for their work and spoke in favor of the rule changes. Tom Hurlbert and Angela Lammers both mirrored the comment on thanking the Board.

Williams made a motion to approve rules with the modification to 20:38:35:11 as proposed by Legal Counsel concerning carryover of PDH. Dekkenga seconded the motion. MOTION PASSED.

Adjournment: 9:04 a.m. MT.

Callaghan made a motion to adjourn the rules hearing. Williams seconded the motion. MOTION PASSED.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kathryn Patterson
Executive Director