

FLORIDA | Board of Clinical Lab Personnel

DRAFT MINUTES

August 21, 2020

Department of Health
4042 Bald Cypress Way
Tallahassee, Florida 32399



Carleen Van Siclen, MSHA, MLS (ASCP) *Chair*
Linda Valdes, MS, MT (ASCP) *Vice-Chair*
Anthony Spivey, DBA, *Executive Director*

43 The Florida Board of Clinical Laboratory Personnel held a meeting on Friday, August 21,
44 2020, commencing at 9:02 a.m. This meeting was held at the Department of Health, 4042
45 Bald Cypress Way, Tallahassee, Florida at meet me number (888) 585-9008, participant
46 code 136-103-141, to which all persons were invited to attend. Participants in this public
47 meeting were made aware that these proceedings were being recorded and that an audio
48 file of the meeting will be posted to the board's website.

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AGENDA

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Section I began: 9:02 a.m.

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I. CALL TO ORDER (Roll Call):

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Board Members Present:

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59 Carleen P. Van Siclen, MS, MLS (ASCP), Chair

60 Linda Valdes, MS, MT (ASCP), Vice-Chair

61 Beatriz E. Montoya, MBA, BS, MT, AMT

62 Michele Morgan, D.B.A.

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Board Members Absent:

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66 Yvette McCarter, Ph.D.

67 Excused by Chair, Ms. Van Siclen

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Board Staff Present:

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71 Dr. Anthony Spivey, DBA, Executive Director

72 Gail Curry, Program Operations Administrator

73 Sherri Carmichael, Regulatory Specialist II

74 Alisha Mughal, Regulatory Specialist II

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Board Counsel:

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78 Timothy Frizzell, Assistant Attorney General

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Prosecution Services:

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82 Christina Shiver, Assistant General Counsel

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Court Reporter:

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86 For the Record

87 850-222-5491

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89 **Section II began: 9:04 a.m.**

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91 II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

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93 a. June 12, 2020

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95 **Action:** Motion to approve the June 12, 2020 meeting minutes made by Ms. Van
96 Siclen. Second made by Dr. Montoya.

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98 **Vote:** 4 yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

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100 **Section III began: 9:05 a.m.**

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102 III. PROSECUTION REPORT

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104 **Action:** Motion to continue prosecuting cases older than one year made by Ms.
105 Van Siclen. Second made by Ms. Morgan.

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107 **Vote:** 4 yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

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109 SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

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111 Maria Eugenia Canetti

112 Ms. Morgan is recused

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114 **Action:** Motion to accept the settlement agreement made by Ms.
115 Van Siclen. Second made by Dr. Montoya.

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117 **Vote:** 3 yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

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119 **Section IV began: 9:14 a.m.**

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121 IV. PETITION FOR VARIANCE/WAIVER

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123 a. Ahmed Al-Attar

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126 **Action:** Motion to approve petition made by Ms. Van Siclen. Second made by Ms.
127 Morgan.

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129 **Vote:** 4 yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

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131 b. Mavis Masuecos

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134 **Action:** Motion to deny petition doesn't meet the requirement for Supervisor
135 licensure made by Dr. Valdes. Second made by Ms. Van Siclen.

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137 **Vote:**4 yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

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139 **Section V began: 9:41 a.m.**

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141 V. PETITIONS WITH APPLICATIONS:

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143 a. Grace Kim

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145 **Action:** Motion to deny petition to waive the National Certification exam made by
146 Ms. Van Siclen. Second made by Ms. Valdes.

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148 **Vote:**4 yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

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150 **Action:** Motion to require an appearance at one of the next two board meetings in
151 accordance with Florida statute 456.013 made by Ms. Van Siclen. Second made by Ms.
152 Valdes.

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154 **Vote:**4 yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

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156 **Section VI began: 9:45 a.m.**

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158 VI. APPLICANTS PRESENTED FOR BOARD REVIEW:

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160 a. TRAINEE
161 Andrew Valdes
162 Not Present

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164 **Action:** Motion to approve application made by Ms. Morgan Second made by Ms.
165 Van Siclen.

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167 **Vote:** 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

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169 b. TECHNICIAN
170 Richard Oost
171 Present

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173 **Action:** Motion to approve application contingent upon a PRN evaluation made by Ms.
174 Morgan. Second made by Ms. Van Siclen.

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176 **Vote:** 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

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178 c. TECHNOLOGIST
179 Alisa Tinkham

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Action: Motion to require an appearance at one of the next two board meetings made by Ms. Van Siclen. Second made by Ms. Valdes.

Vote: 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

d. Janet Ray
Not Present

Action: Motion to deny petition to waive the National exam made by Ms. Van Siclen
Second made by Ms. Valdes.

Vote: 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

Action: Motion to require an appearance at one of the next two board meetings made by Ms. Van Siclen. Second made by Ms. Valdes.

Vote: 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried

d. SUPERVISOR

Freddy B. Bravo
Not Present

No action taken. He has failed to meet the time to supply the additional six hours.

Brook Delnista
Not Present

Action: Motion to accept the Master of Science in Veterinary made by Ms. Valdes.
Second made by Ms. Van Siclen.

Vote: 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

Christopher Reeder
Present

Action: Motion to approve Supervisor application made by Ms. Van Siclen. Second made by Ms. Valdes.

Vote: 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

James Redding
Present

226 **Action:** Motion to approve Technologist to Supervisor made by Ms. Valdes. Second
227 made by Dr. Montoya.

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229 **Vote:** 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

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231 Keyla Quezada
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234 **Action:** Motion to approve made by Ms. Morgan Second made by Ms.
235 Van Siclen.

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237 **Vote:** 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

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239 Larry Curtis-Madrigal
240 Not Present

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242 **Action:** Motion to approve made by Ms. Morgan Second made by Ms.
243 Van Siclen.

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245 **Vote:** 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

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247 Ricardo Rodriguez Viera
248 Not Present

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250 **Action:** Motion to require an appearance. Move this to the next meeting made by
251 Ms. Van Siclen. Second made by Ms. Valdes.

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253 **Vote:** 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried

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255 Roland Coichy

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257 **Action:** Motion to approve application made by Ms. Morgan Second made by Ms.
258 Van Siclen.

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260 **Vote:** 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

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262 Yafei Xu

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264 **Action:** Motion to deny, doesn't meet the requirements. Allow 14 days to withdraw the
265 application made by Ms. Van Siclen Second made by Dr. Montoya.

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267 **Vote:** 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

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269 **BREAK 10:48 a.m.**

270 **Resume 11:04**
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Roll Call:

Carleen P. Van Siclen, MS, MLS (ASCP), Chair
Linda Valdes, MS, MT (ASCP), Vice-Chair
Beatriz E. Montoya, MBA, BS, MT, AMT
Michele Morgan, D.B.A.

e. DIRECTOR
Elisa Wagner

Action: Motion to approve made by Ms. Van Siclen. Second made by Ms. Valdes.

Vote: 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

Jenna Evans
Present

Action: Motion to appear at one of the next two board meeting with additional documentation made by Ms. Van Siclen Second made by Dr. Montoya.

Vote: 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

Jiyeon Lee
Not Present

Action: Motion to deny doesn't meet the requirements. Allow 14 days to withdraw the application made by Ms. Van Siclen Second made by Dr. Montoya.

Vote: 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

Shonetta Smith
Not Present

Action: Motion to appear at one of the next two board meeting made by Ms. Van Siclen Second made by Dr. Montoya.

Vote: 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

Section VII began: 11:39 a.m.

VII. PUBLIC COMMENT:

None

Section VIII began: 11:40 a.m.

318 VIII. RATIFICATION:

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a. Licensure

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Clinical Laboratory Personnel

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Action: Motion to approve Clinical Laboratory Personnel made by Ms. Morgan.

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Second made by Dr. Montoya.

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Vote: 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

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Clinical Laboratory Personnel Trainees

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Action: Motion to approve Clinical Laboratory Personnel made by Ms. Morgan.

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Second made by Dr. Montoya.

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Vote: 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

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b. Continuing Education

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CE Providers & Courses approved by CE Committee Chair

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Action: Motion to approve all Continuing Education Provider and Courses made by

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Ms. Valdes. Second made by Ms. Van Siclen.

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Vote: 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

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Section IX began: 11:42 a.m.

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IX. BOARD COUNSEL REPORT:

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a. August Rules Report

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b. 64B3-6.002

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Discussion among counsel, Timothy Frizzell, and board members to add list of degrees

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accepted. Would this still allow for board review and approval of degrees that are not

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listed?

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c. 64B3-5.003 Technologist

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Option two should reflect changes to the technologist application.

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Action: Motion to approve the changes to the technologist application made by Ms. Van

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Vote: 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

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Statement of Estimated Regulatory Costs (SERC) Question

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Will the proposed rule amendments have an adverse impact on small business?

Ms. Van Siclen responded no.

Vote: 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

Will the proposed rule amendments be likely to directly or indirectly increase regulatory costs to any entity (including government) in excess of \$200K in the aggregate in Florida within 1 year after the implementation of the rule?

Action: Motion to move that the approved revisions to the rules would not require preparation of a SERC by Ms. Van Siclen seconded by Ms. McCarter.

Vote: 4 yeas / 0 opposed; motion carried

Should a violation of this rule or any part of this rule be designated a minor violation?

Ms. Van Siclen responded no.

Vote: 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

d. Annual Regulatory Plan
Must be filed by September 1.

Action: Motion to approve the Annual Regulatory Plan made by Ms. Van Siclen. Second made by Ms. Morgan.

Ms. Van Siclen gave Mr. Frizzell permission to file the Annual Regulatory Plan.

Vote: 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

Section X began: 11:58 a.m.

X. CHAIR/VICE CHAIR REPORT:

Ms. Valdes asked for clarification of the Emergency Order. Dr. Spivey gave details of the Emergency Order.

Action: Motion to approve Public Health Laboratory Scientist applications made by Ms. Van Siclen. Second made by Ms. Morgan.

Vote: 4yeas / 0 opposed. Motion carried.

Section XI began: 12:02 p.m.

XI. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT:

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411 Dr. Spivey addressed the Board concerning the appointment of new board members.
412 Addressed staff changes.

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414 **Section XII began: 12:04 p.m.**

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416 XII. OLD BUSINESS:

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420 **Section XIII began: 12:04 p.m.**

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423 XIII. NEW BUSINESS:

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425 Gary Santigio addressed the board to request to add Histology to 64B3-10.005

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427 **Section XIV began: 12:06 p.m.**

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429 XIV. COMMITTEE REPORTS:

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431 **a. Budget – Dr. Morgan**

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433 Nothing to report.

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435 **b. Continuing Education – Ms. Valdes**

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437 Nothing to report.

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439 **c. Credentials – Ms. Van Siclen**

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441 Ms. Van Siclen commended the staff on their efforts to decrease the
442 amount of credential files.

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444 **d. Disciplinary Compliance – Ms. Montoya**

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446 Nothing to report

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448 **e. Examination – Ms. Montoya**

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450 Ms. Van Siclen asked that this committee be eliminated.

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452 **f. Healthiest Weight – Dr. McCarter**

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454 Nothing to report.

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- 456 **g. Legislation – Dr. McCarter**
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458 Nothing to report.
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460 **h. Probable Cause – Dr. Morgan**
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464 **i. Professional Association – Ms. Valdes**
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468 **j. Rules – Ms. Van Siclen**
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470 See Section XIV. Nothing else to report.
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472 **k. Training Program – Dr. McCarter**
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474 Nothing to report.
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476 **l. Unlicensed Activity – Ms. Valdes**
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478 Nothing to report.

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481 **Section XV began: 12:07 p.m.**
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483 XV. NEXT MEETING DATE – November 20, 2020
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485 **Section XVI began: 12:10 p.m.**
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487 XVI. ADJOURNMENT:
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489 **Adjourned at 12:10 p.m. by Ms. Van Siclen.**
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