

Georgia State Board of Examiners for the Certification of Water and Wastewater Treatment
Plant Operators and Laboratory Analysts
Board Meeting (Teleconference)
April 24, 2014

A meeting of the Georgia State Board of Examiners for the Certification of Water and Wastewater Treatment Plant Operators and Laboratory Analysts was held on April 24, 2014 at the Professional Licensing Boards Division's office at 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, GA via Teleconference. Margaret Doss, Chair, called the meeting to order at 9:38 a.m.

A quorum was established with members present being: Margaret Doss, Chair; Bill Defino, Michael Whatley, Tony Rojas and Eric Osborne.

Others present were as follows: Steve Lindsey, Executive Director and Amelia Baker, Assistant Attorney General.

Approval of Minutes:

Bill Defino moved, Eric Osborne seconded, and the Board voted to approve the Minutes of the March 7, 2014 Board meeting.

Bill Defino moved, Eric Osborne seconded, and the Board voted to approve to the Executive Session Minutes of the March 7, 2014 Board meeting.

Applications:

Tony Rojas moved, Michael Whatley seconded, and the Board voted to ratify the licenses presented as issued since the March 7, 2014 meeting.

W1-014632	Murphy, Scott Calhoun	Water/Wastewater Board
W1-014633	Beck, Victor Alan	Water/Wastewater Board
W1-014634	O'Connor, Christafer Glen	Water/Wastewater Board
W1-014635	Wilson, Christopher Brad	Water/Wastewater Board
W1-014636	Miltiades, John Arthur	Water/Wastewater Board
W1-014637	Coker, Thomas Gerald	Water/Wastewater Board
W1-014638	Nordan, Garrett Allen	Water/Wastewater Board
W2-014980	Weeks, Robert John	Water/Wastewater Board
W2-014981	Jorgensen, John	Water/Wastewater Board
W2-014982	Sanders, Waymon Michael	Water/Wastewater Board
W2-014983	Taylor, Jay F	Water/Wastewater Board
W2-014984	Johnson, John Wayne	Water/Wastewater Board
W2-014985	Hardeman, Benjamin Bryant	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016101	McDaniel, Matthew Bryan	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016102	McCall, Justin Levi	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016103	Pinder, Jordan Charles	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016104	Barnes, William S, Jr.	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016105	Santos, Kenneth Austin	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016106	Wright, Arthur Patrick	Water/Wastewater Board

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W3-016107	Rowland, Brian Allen	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016108	Cobb, Jacob Adam	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016109	Sutton, Timothy James	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016110	Gay, Michael Anthony, III	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016111	Hornick, Anthony Joseph	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016112	Pepito, William Michael, Jr.	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016113	Merritt, Joshua R	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016114	Prandine, Joshua Leman	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016115	Richardson, Stephanie Annette	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016116	Raven, Jeremy Kenneth	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016117	Bursich, Charles Martin, Jr.	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016118	Boyd, Richard Oliver, Jr	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016119	O'Neill, Raymond John, III	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016120	Harry, Trenton NMN	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016121	Grantham, Matthew Wade	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016122	Brownell, William Ashley	Water/Wastewater Board
W3-016123	McDade, Brian Edward	Water/Wastewater Board
W4-002474	Clark, Allen	Water/Wastewater Board
W4-002475	Carson, Stephen Jeffery	Water/Wastewater Board
W4-002476	smith, james darnell	Water/Wastewater Board
W4-002477	Kenney, Patrick Shane	Water/Wastewater Board
W4-002478	Toole, Darrin Lamar	Water/Wastewater Board
W4-002479	Jones, Terry Alan	Water/Wastewater Board
W4-002480	Linfors, Nils Eric	Water/Wastewater Board
W4-002481	Lester, Paul Howard	Water/Wastewater Board
W4-002482	Barnette, Andrew Mark	Water/Wastewater Board
W4-002483	Scott, Richard Allan	Water/Wastewater Board
W4-002484	Wirth, Thomas Christopher	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015816	Howell, Jefferson Michael	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015817	Campbell, Kelvin Leon	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015818	Russell, Steve Frank	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015819	Davis, Tevia S	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015820	Apperson, David James	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015821	Broadnax, Jason Charlie	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015822	Douglas, Richard William	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015823	Horst, Ryan Quinn	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015824	Anthony, Terry L	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015825	Terrell, Andrew Len	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015826	Hutchins, Randy Gene	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015827	Beck, Brenton Curtis	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015828	Cannell, Michael Stanley	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015829	Edwards, Michael Brent	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015830	Oakley, David Wayne	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015831	Phillips, Chris	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015832	Teague, Matt	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015833	Daniel, Tony Lee	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015834	Clark, Cedric Dwayne	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015835	Landrum, Rodney Eugene	Water/Wastewater Board

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WD015836	merz, chris ronald	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015837	Puckett, Thomas Andrew	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015838	Satterfield, Ryan Keith	Water/Wastewater Board
WD015839	Miller, Toby Lee	Water/Wastewater Board
WL014451	Gomadam, Murali Mohan	Water/Wastewater Board
WL014452	Graham, Bridgett L	Water/Wastewater Board
WL014453	Lee, Tabitha R	Water/Wastewater Board
WL014454	Caudle, Renard A	Water/Wastewater Board
WL014455	Highsmith, Jessie Cameron	Water/Wastewater Board
WL014456	Bankston, James Donnie	Water/Wastewater Board
WW1-014995	Dyer, Danny C	Water/Wastewater Board
WW1-014996	Kirkley, Harold Bryant	Water/Wastewater Board
WW1-014997	Turner, Leonadre Alexander	Water/Wastewater Board
WW1-014998	Barker, Robert Kenneth	Water/Wastewater Board
WW1-014999	Cooper, Adna Chaffie, III	Water/Wastewater Board
WW1-015000	Kelly, Brian Todd	Water/Wastewater Board
WW1-015001	Morrow, Benjiman August	Water/Wastewater Board
WW1-015002	Meyers, Michael Charles	Water/Wastewater Board
WW1-015003	Powell, Kenneth James	Water/Wastewater Board
WW1-015004	Muse, Shawn Demarco, Sr.	Water/Wastewater Board
WW1-015005	Young, Jason Ryan	Water/Wastewater Board
WW1-015006	Lowe, Kenneth H.	Water/Wastewater Board
WW2-015080	Simmons, Bethany Ferrell	Water/Wastewater Board
WW2-015081	Sanders, Douglas Lee	Water/Wastewater Board
WW2-015082	Shackelton, Zachary alan	Water/Wastewater Board
WW2-015083	Mayoral, Luis C.	Water/Wastewater Board
WW2-015084	McCallum, Dusty Ronald	Water/Wastewater Board
WW2-015085	Mobley, James Dwight	Water/Wastewater Board
WW2-015086	Sanders, Gregory Rex	Water/Wastewater Board
WW2-015087	Boggs, James A	Water/Wastewater Board
WW2-015088	Flynt, Stephen Wesley	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017038	Green, Glenn Eric	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017039	pafford, james earl	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017040	McHenry, Matthew Jerome	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017041	Mitchell, Anteus Marquan	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017042	Merritt, Joshua R	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017043	Diebold, Jeffrey Allen	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017044	Nation, Jonathan Wynne	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017045	Rowland, Brian Allen	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017046	Marshall, Whitley Cason	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017047	Cobb, Jacob Adam	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017048	Barton, Ryan Bradley	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017049	White, Patrick Craig	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017050	Wagner, Matthew Allen	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017051	Watkins, Bryan Daniel	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017052	Williams, Webster Lee, Jr	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017053	Jarriel, Heath Cole	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017054	Ray, Corey Emmanuel	Water/Wastewater Board

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WW3-017057	Miles, Marvin Joseph	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017058	Jones, Nicholas Brett	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017059	Banks, Mark Anthony	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017060	McHenry, Jerome Alexander	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017061	Hall, Darryl James	Water/Wastewater Board
WW3-017062	Moss, Timothy Tyler	Water/Wastewater Board
WW4-000168	Dozier, Matthew Craig	Water/Wastewater Board
WWC032738	Stockdaile, Burt Preston	Water/Wastewater Board
WWC032739	Williams, Jeffrey Donald	Water/Wastewater Board
WWC032740	Purvis, William A	Water/Wastewater Board
WWC032741	Smith, Johnny T.	Water/Wastewater Board
WWC032742	Irby, Colie A.	Water/Wastewater Board
WWC032743	King, Kevin Dwayne	Water/Wastewater Board
WWC032744	Fortner, Jacob Daniel	Water/Wastewater Board
WWC032745	Maddox, Bruce Cameron	Water/Wastewater Board
WWC032746	Williams, Tyler Aaron	Water/Wastewater Board
WWC032747	Brasser, Michael Joseph	Water/Wastewater Board
WWC032748	Webb, Chris Robin	Water/Wastewater Board
WWC032749	Cathcart, Ray Lamar	Water/Wastewater Board
WWC032750	Williams, Thomas Harold	Water/Wastewater Board
WWC032751	Hamm, John Maurice	Water/Wastewater Board
WWC032752	Franklin, Brian Timothy	Water/Wastewater Board
WWC032753	Mijatovic, Sinisa NMN	Water/Wastewater Board
WWC032754	Stanley, Michael D	Water/Wastewater Board
WWC032755	Tuggle, Dedrick Mauricio	Water/Wastewater Board
WWC032756	Dalrymple, Scott	Water/Wastewater Board
WWID032117	mccoy, shambrey keith	Water/Wastewater Board
WWID032118	Robinson, Michael Blake	Water/Wastewater Board
WWL014609	Hill, Christy Dawn	Water/Wastewater Board
WWL014610	Milam, John Walter, III	Water/Wastewater Board
WWL014611	Conner, Catherine Audet	Water/Wastewater Board
WWL014612	Kersey, Jennifer Robin	Water/Wastewater Board
WWL014613	Dancer, Walter Jeffery	Water/Wastewater Board

Executive Session:

Michael Whatley moved to enter into Executive Session to deliberate on applications and complaints, as authorized by O.C.G.A. § 43-1-2 (k) and 43-1-19 (h). Bill Defino seconded the motion. The motion was carried by Margaret Doss, Chair, Bill Defino, Michael Whatley, Tony Rojas and Eric Osborne. The Board concluded Executive Session in order to vote on the matters discussed and to continue with the public session.

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Tony Rojas moved, Michael Whatley seconded, and the Board voted to approve the following applications for licensure:

- 2306465 Cary Charles Jones Water Distribution
- 2309548 Victoria Custodio Wastewater Lab Analyst
- 2324564 Kevin J Roper Water Operator 4
- 1853511 Randi L Wells Wastewater Operator 3

Tony Rojas moved, Michael Whatley seconded, and the Board voted to deny the following applications for licensure:

- 2441016 W M K Water Operator Class 3
- 2441012 M J M Waste Water Operator Class 3
- 2447965 J D P Water Lab Analyst
- 2447967 Y Y Water Lab Analyst

Tony Rojas moved, Michael Whatley seconded, and the Board voted to table the following applications for licensure:

- 2447963 J T B Water Lab Analyst
- 2447969 D L J Water Lab Analyst

Tony Rojas moved, Michael Whatley seconded, and the Board voted to refer to Attorney General's Office for Consent Order to license on probation concurrent with criminal probation:

- 228670 D B H Waste Water Operator 4

Eric Osborne moved, Michael Whatley seconded, and the Board voted to approve the following courses submitted for continuing education:

<u>Program Provider/Sponsor</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Points Approved</u>
BOX ENVIRONMENTAL INC 712 Utay Circle SW Atlanta, GA 30331 Joseph Porter Jr. jsphptr1960@gmail.com 404-310-4179	Wastewater Chemical Usage & Optimization	6
	Optimizing the Activated Sludge Process	6
	Phosphorous Removal Process	6
	Nitrogen Removal Process	6
CedarChem	Active Sludge Concepts	4

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<p style="text-align: center;">Dennis Brown P. O. Box 271 Cedartown, GA 30125 770-883-0366 770-748-3887 Fax dennis.brown@cedarchem.com</p>		
	Active Sludge BNR Concepts	4
	Active Sludge Process Control	4
	Jar Testing Dynamics Application	6
	Keys to Clarifier Optimization	3
	Keys to Dewatering Optimization	4
<p style="text-align: center;">CH2MHill Dede DeMarks 1600 Abernathy Rd Ste 1600 Atlanta, GA 30346 dede.demarks@ch2m.com</p>	Operations & Maintenance of Water Distribution Systems: Basic Course	
	Water Distribution Systems Workshop	
<p style="text-align: center;">Chattahoochee Technical College Glen Rasco 980 S Cobb Dr. Marietta, GA 30060 clarence.williamson@chattahoocheete ch.edu</p>	Environmental Technology	40 BAS, 12 CE
	Water Quality Course: ESCI 1120	
	Introduction to Water Treatment	
	Environmental Technology	40 BAS, 12 CE
	Water Quality Course: ESCI 1140	
	Introduction to Wastewater Treatment	
	Wastewater Collections Systems Operator	27 BAS/12 CE 27 BAS WWC/12 CE WW

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	Water Distribution Systems Operator	
City of Gainesville Bacle D. Fowler, Plant Manager Linwood WRF 500 Linwood Dr. Gainesville, GA 30501 770-535-0134 bfowler@gainesville.org	2014 GE Wastewater User Group Conference	9
"Environmental Business Specialists, LLC Marie Tranchina 1930 Surgi Dr. Mandeville, LA 70448 985-674-0660 X 114 tranchina@ebsbiowizard.com"	EBS Wastewater Treatment Seminar for Activated Sludge Systems	12
	EBS Wastewater Treatment Seminar for ASBs	12
Floyd County Government 217 Calhoun Ave. (PO Box 1169) Rome ,GA 30162 Tracy Hardy or John Boyd boydj@floydcountyga.org 706-233-0062	CPR Class	2
Georgia Rural Water Association Fred Finley P. O. Box 383 Barnesville, GA 30204 770-358-0221 770-358-4379 Fax brentgrwa@aol.com	Air Valves	4
	Annual Fall Conference	
	Utility Safety For Water & Wastewater Operators	6
	Water & Wastewater Operator Handbook	6

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<p>Gwinnett County Department of Water Resources Lisa Robbins 684 Winder Highway Lawrenceville, GA 30045 678-376-6762 lisa.robbsins@gwinnettcountry.com</p>	<p>Nutrient Recovery</p>	<p>2</p>
<p>GWVI Rebecca Mansour Project Coordinator 511 Stadium Dr. Carrollton, GA 30117 rmansour@gwwi.org</p>	<p>Maintenance Technologist Level IV</p>	<p>16 BAS, 8 ADV, 12 CE</p>
<p>Henry County Water & Sewage Authority Eric S. Osborne 199 Preservation Dr. McDonough, GA 30233 678-480-5254 eric.osborne@hcwsa.com</p>	<p>Henry County Water Authority Spring 2014 CE Symposium</p>	<p>6</p>
<p>Severn Trent Services 1657 Commerce Drive South Bend , IN 46628 Adam Rogensues adam.rogensues@stservices.com 574-903-9568</p>	<p>Module 1: Liquid Stream Treatment Process</p>	<p>3</p>
<p>Stallings Industries, Inc. 869 Pioneer Rd Jasper, GA 30143 404-307-1889 craig@stallingsindustries.com</p>	<p>Basic Mechanical Seal Training</p>	<p>1</p>
<p>Target Solutions lauren.crosby@targetsolutions.co</p>	<p>2013 Advanced Hazwoper Awareness Mod 1</p>	<p>2</p>

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	2013 Advanced Hazwoper Awareness Mod 2	2
	2013 Advanced Hazwoper Awareness Mod 3	2
	2013 Advanced Hazwoper Awareness Mod 4	2
	2013 Coagulation Flocculation and Sedimentation	1
	2013 Combustible and Flammable Liquids	1
	2013 Confined Space Entry	1
	2013 Disinfection Basics	
	2013 Distribution Service to Customers	
	2013 Distribution System Materials and Equipment	
	2013 Effective Meter Reading	
	2013 Emergency Response to Terrorism Mod 1	1
	2013 Emergency Response to Terrorism Mod 2	1
	2013 Emergency Response to Terrorism Mod 3	1
	2013 Emergency Response to Terrorism Mod 4	1
	2013 Eye Safety	1
	2013 Fall Protection	1
	2013 Filtration Basics	1
	2013 Fire Extinguisher Safety	1
	2013 Infectious Disease Control	1
	2013 Laboratory Safety	1
	2013 Mathematics Applied	
	Water Industry Fire Prevention Safety	
	Water Industry Hydraulics	
	Water Industry Water Main Installation	
Technical Learning College Melissa Durbin PO Box 420 Payson, AZ 85547 928-468-0665 info@tlch20.com	Water Treatment 404	6
Texas A&M Engineering Extension	MGT342-Senior Officials Disaster	4

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Service - 200 Technology Way College Station, TX 77845 979-458-2902 David Spruiell David.Spruiell@teex.tamu.edu	Management for Water and Wastewater	
	MGT343-Disaster Management for Water and Wastewater Utilities	8
"Water Solutions Inc. Bill Gerber 299 Two Point Trail Lane Thomasville, GA 31757 229-227-3273 229-227-4006 fax gerber@rose.net"	Basic Water Treatment	12
	Basic Wastewater Treatment	
	Water Math	12
	Wastewater Math	
	Advanced Wastewater Treatment	
	Advanced Water Treatment	12
"Brandon Lewis ESG Operations, Inc. 108 Frank Satterfield Rd. Perry, GA 31069 478-988-2777 blewis@esginc.net"	Laboratory Meeting	4
"Leigh Ross North Georgia Water Resources Partnership 100 Vaughn Road Rome, GA 30161 706-236-4567 lross@rome.ga.us"	Educational Seminar	4
Annual GA Environmental	9th Annual GA Environmental Conference	6

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Conference		
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Don Johnson and Gary Hill from Dalton Utilities discussed with the board their breakdown of the basic operator course for Continuing Education in several modules.

Other Business:

The Board reviewed questions concerning qualifying experience from Charlemagne Apia. The Board agreed that the experience qualifies for certification in Georgia.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 11:11 a.m.

The next meeting of the Board will be June 26, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. at the Professional Licensing Boards Office in Macon, GA.