

**GEORGIA BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY**  
**Board Meeting Minutes**  
**Professional Licensing Boards**  
**237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, GA**  
**Thursday, April 27, 2017 - 9:00 a.m.**

The Georgia Board of Massage Therapy met on Thursday, April 27, 2017. The following members were present:

**Board Members Present**

Craig Knowles, Board Chair  
Pam Nichols, Board Member  
Donald Wood, Board Member

**Administrative Staff Present**

Adrienne Price, Executive Director  
Michelle Foster, Board Support Specialist  
Kathy Osier, Licensing Supervisor

**Board Members Absent**

Jennifer Clay, Vice Chair

**Attorney General's Office Present**

David Stubins, Sr. Assistant Attorney General

**Visitors Present**

None were present.

**Call to Order** Mr. Knowles established that a quorum was present and called the meeting to order at 9:01 a.m.

**OPEN SESSION**

**Agenda**

Ms. Nichols motioned, Mr. Wood seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion to accept the agenda as presented.

**Mr. Wood motioned, Ms. Nichols seconded, and the Board voted to enter into Executive Session in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 43-1-2(k) (1) (2), O.C.G.A. § 50-14-2(1). O.C.G.A. § 43-1-2(k) (4), O.C.G.A. § 43-1-19(h) (2) & (4) to receive and review information pertaining to Applications. Voting in favor of the motion were those present who included the Board members: Craig Knowles, Pam Nichols and Donald Wood.**

**OPEN SESSION**

**Executive Discussion**

The Board received information and discussed the extent of discretion the Board law permits the Board to have when considering rules in light of new practices.

**At the conclusion of the Executive Session of Thursday, April 27, 2017, Mr. Knowles declared the meeting to be "open" pursuant to the Open and Public Meeting Act O.C.G.A. § 50-14-1 et seq. No votes were taken during Executive Session.**

**Adjournment** With no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned at 5:28 p.m.

**Minutes recorded by:**

Michelle Foster, Board Support Specialist

**Minutes reviewed and edited by:**

Kathy Osier, Licensing Supervisor, Adrienne Price, Executive Director

**Minutes approved on:**

June 23, 2017

**CRAIG KNOWLES**  
**BOARD CHAIR**

**ADRIENNE PRICE**  
**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**