

**GEORGIA COMPOSITE BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS,
SOCIAL WORKERS AND MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS**

Conference Call/Webex Board Meeting Minutes – November 7, 2025 * 10:00 AM

The Georgia Composite Board of Professional Counselors, Social Workers and Marriage and Family Therapists met via teleconference/Webex on Friday, November 7, 2025.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Angie Smith, LPC, Chair
Gregory Moffatt, LPC
Tommy Black, LPC
Deborah Sills, CSW
Sandra Mullings, CSW
Jennifer Vann, MFT
Andrea Meyer Stinson, MFT
Bridget Knowles, MFT
Brent Herrin, Consumer Member

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT:

Endsley Real, CSW

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF PRESENT:

Amanda Allen, Executive Director
Jalaina Fuller, Licensing Supervisor
Linsey Joiner, Board Support Specialist
Kimberly Candler, Licensing Analyst
Kathy Jones, Licensing Analyst
Carmen Beecher, Licensing Analyst

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE

Shiela Guider, AAG

VISITORS PRESENT:

Gale Macke, LPCA-GA
David Markwell
Jan Yates, NASW
Alleah Washington
Alex Allen
Alex Chargois
Alexis Solomon
Amanda Blair
Ather
Call-In User 1, 2, 5, 6, 7
Chalonda Mckinley
Christina
Colin Thomas
Dan Mulloy
Jami Rieffel
JaNeece Hodge
Jaquel Williams
Jaquitta Banks

Jayne Hendricks
Julia
Kimberly D
Laurelle D
Lawson
Morgan Nauman
Nichelle Gause
Patrick Ninienda
Shaunesse Bell
Shaunquisha Leary
Tonya Elium
Christina
Parah Rojas
Casey Bryant-Scruggs
Sherri
Hope
Mallory
Guest

Angie Smith, LPC, Chair, established that a quorum was present and called the Board meeting to order at 10:03 a.m.

Agenda: Approved with no additional late item:

Meeting Minutes:

- October 10, 2025 CC Board Meeting

Recommendation:

Approve as amended

Mr. Moffatt motioned, Ms. Real seconded, and the Board voted to approve the October 10, 2025 CC Board Meeting minutes as amended. None opposed, motion carried.

Petition for Rule Waiver/Variance:

- N. Fulton – Rule 135-5-.02
- T. Canady – Rule 135-5-.02
- S. Wooden – Rule 135-5-.02

Recommendation:

Deny; No proven hardship
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 Grant* Rescind Vote *Withdraw Petition

Ms. Mullings motioned, Ms. Sills seconded, and the Board voted to grant the petition for S. Wooden as presented. Two opposed, motion carried.

After further discussion, Mr. Herrin motioned, Ms. Vann seconded, and the Board voted to rescind the vote to grant the petition for S. Wooden as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Mr. Black motioned, Mr. Moffatt seconded, and the Board voted to request S. Wooden to officially withdraw her submitted petition as it has been deemed unnecessary at this time. None opposed, motion carried.

Mr. Black motioned, Mr. Herrin seconded, and the Board voted to deny the petition request for T. Canady for failure to demonstrate a substantial hardship as required. None opposed, motion carried.

Mr. Moffatt motioned, Mr. Black seconded, and the Board voted to deny the petition request for N. Fulton for failure to demonstrate a substantial hardship as required. None opposed, motion carried.

Application Ratify List - Licenses Issued Between:

License #	Licensee
AMFT000910	Gabrielle Danielle Perez
AMFT000911	Kawahjahlín Che'Chole Rogers
APC010655	Jalisa Adams
APC010656	Thomas Lee Adkins III
APC010657	Kyeisha Barnes
APC010658	Trishawna Bell
APC010659	Zeynep Selin Boz
APC010660	Ansley Brague
APC010661	Kristin Dominick Bryan
APC010662	Dashae Raquel Burge
APC010663	Frank Tony Campos
APC010664	Jamie Campos
APC010665	Hanna Cook
APC010666	Carmen Connie Copu
APC010667	Mary Christen Coule
APC010668	Jessica Nichole Crosby
APC010669	Alexandra Danielle Daniel
APC010670	Brianna Gabrielle Dillard
APC010671	Julia Durst
APC010672	Diana Eraydin
APC010673	William L Feaster
APC010674	Beza Tadesse Fekade

APC010675	Rebecca Ann Frantz
APC010676	Taylor Harrison Garrett
APC010677	Paige Lynn Hampton
APC010678	Cedarian Charron Holsendolph
APC010679	Malinda Grace Ingram Weeks
APC010680	Leigh Katharine Karegeannes
APC010681	Kelly Elizabeth Kennedy
APC010682	Annabelle Elizabeth Marks
APC010683	Erin Tara Maurer
APC010684	John Kenneth McCord
APC010685	Jennifer Elizabeth Orr
APC010689	Katherine Erwin Pouliot
APC010686	Maya Owens
APC010687	Britney Wilkinson Paine
APC010688	Yiming Pan
APC010691	Clayton Reese Rountree
APC010690	Christopher M Quirindongo
APC010692	Ashlee Lynn Sperry
APC010693	Jordan Elyse Spurlin
APC010694	Jamillah Deniece Stewart
APC010695	Kayla Troedel
APC010699	Latoya Mae Williams
APC010696	Roxana Elizabeth Urbina-Bautista

APC010697	Allison Hill Ventura
APC010698	Terica Kennon
APC010700	Jashawna Moeasha Bellamy
APC010701	Courtney Glenn Chappell
APC010711	Victoria Anne Smith
APC010702	Dominique Renee Davis
APC010703	Paulee Rachel Charlene Davis
APC010706	Deja Morgan Harris
APC010704	Megan Nicole Foster
APC010705	Jolene Elizabeth Griffin
APC010707	Meagan Leann Hughes
APC010708	Amanda Kay Jeffery
APC010709	Margaret Jane Landers
APC010710	Brent Wayne Sattelmeier
APC010715	Haley Angel Wieszczeinski
APC010712	Antionette Regina Tate
APC010713	Christian Marsalis Woods
APC010714	Kaitlin Lee Arntz Lowey
APC010716	Madeline Rose Robertson
APC010717	Charnae Leonce
CSW009835	Katie Malinda Austin
CSW009836	Megan Steffes
CSW009837	Latricia Nicole May
CSW009838	Jennifer Elizabeth Stracick
CSW009844	Kelly Ann Osborne
CSW009839	Mayra Samantha Alonzo
CSW009843	Shanakay Natasha Osbourne
CSW009840	Emily Moore Haberman
CSW009841	Priya Jabeen Jogia
CSW009847	Juliett francynett St Louis
CSW009842	Quashon Aдаire Johnson
CSW009845	Jalisa Nicole Rumph
CSW009849	Ronald Williams
CSW009846	Julie Michelle Stewart
CSW009848	Ananda Leigh Waddell Nelson
CSW009850	Rachel Noelle Wright
CSW009853	Melody Faye Cuevas
CSW009851	Mary Hathaway Busby
CSW009852	Kayla Nicole Crawford
CSW009854	Christi Barbara Gregory
CSW009855	Kai-McKenzie Wells Harris
CSW009856	Ambrea Dionne Jackson
CSW009857	Erin Paige Bennett
CSW009858	Mattie Elizabeth Adams Telfair
CSW009859	Dwan Natal Bland
CSW009860	Latonia Y Johnson
CSW009861	Andreea Florina Etringer

CSW009862	Corey Anthony Marshall
CSW009863	Brianna Tinia Brooks
MFT002233	Janae Rachelle Crittenden
MFT002234	Joseph Mark DeYoung
MFT002235	Christina Marie Blakely
MFT002236	Yabin Tang
MFT002237	Christina Englehart Vrandopulo
MSW012710	Kara Ann Anand-Gall
MSW012711	Brianna Day
MSW012712	Christian Gorchow
MSW012713	Amari Jefferson
MSW012714	Tekeisha Wilson Goggins
MSW012715	Jodi L'Heureux
MSW012716	Jennifer Holt Guest
MSW012717	Yvonne Kemi Okoruwa
MSW012720	Jaeda Lynette Berry-Wilson
MSW012718	Lauren Aguon
MSW012719	Walter Robb Andersen Jr.
MSW012721	Keyonta Lakeisha Bickley
MSW012722	Annabel Bunton
MSW012723	Jadah Skye Carrera-Publicover
MSW012724	Rany Lor Casey
MSW012725	Laura Marie Coco
MSW012726	Marissa Hope Dogan
MSW012727	Paige Kathleen Holmes
MSW012728	Lequita Wazurie Jackson
MSW012729	Kayla Blalock-Brazile
MSW012730	Alishai Dominique Bryan
MSW012731	Ashley Ann Bullington
MSW012732	Jessica W. Burns
MSW012733	Jabre'la JhiQueen Calloway
MSW012734	Cynthia Carolina Castillo
MSW012735	Karima Olayshia Bre'shun Dukes
MSW012738	Jordan Gross
MSW012736	Maya Forrest
MSW012737	Olivia Brooke Gallman
MSW012739	Kamari Amil James
MSW012740	Sydney Raye Johnson
MSW012741	Kelly Leigh Kennedy Dixon
MSW012742	Christine Teresa Lockwood
MSW012743	Kimberly Lee Tate-Nuwar
MSW012744	Mark Phillip Glaze
LPC016047	Brittany Nicole Wright
LPC016048	Ann Elizabeth Gleason
LPC016054	Yolanda Grandbois
LPC016061	Amanda Carole Primrose
LPC016052	Jer'Nae DeCherl Dickens-Brown

LPC016073	Rand Khalil Basma
LPC016060	Danielle S. Patton
LPC016055	Keena Raynell Grimes
LPC016066	Alicia M Thomas
LPC016056	Christina Antoinette Indriolo
LPC016074	Anna Mae Beck
LPC016068	Kristen Marie Williamson
LPC016049	Amber Danielle Beal
LPC016059	Tolulope Atinuke Osemwegie
LPC016064	Elizabeth Ann Roethling
LPC016050	Erika Brasington
LPC016051	Michelle E. Binion
LPC016072	Lisa Marie Anderson-Akine
LPC016053	Karen Lizette Feliciano
LPC016057	Tymarria Kendall
LPC016076	Eshani K Brahmbhatt
LPC016058	Meghan Kelsea Mulligan
LPC016063	Marina Read
LPC016062	Carla Lee Rawls
LPC016065	Lee Anne Smith
LPC016067	Jessica Walden
LPC016069	Keiana L Winters
LPC016070	Victoria Antoinette Wright
LPC016079	Tina Ann Cason
LPC016071	Ashley Linda Albertson
LPC016075	Jacquelin Nicole Beharelle
LPC016077	Bailee Eleanor Bunn
LPC016078	Lauren Elizabeth Butler
LPC016080	Sheila Ferris Compitello
LPC016081	Bailey Rose Foster
LPC016097	Autumn Joy Simpson
LPC016107	Courtney Day Woodworth
LPC016095	Hannah-Elizabeth Sanford
LPC016086	Amber Nicole Maxwell
LPC016082	Leah Kelley Goodson

LPC016083	Stephanie Lynn Hart
LPC016090	Kelly Jacqueline Parsons
LPC016084	Elizabeth Lauren Kendrick
LPC016085	Marika Lashaun Long
LPC016087	Mehak Sohail Merchant
LPC016088	Mary Kathryn Francis Minno
LPC016089	Randell Armond Morgan Sr
LPC016091	Stefanie S Poole
LPC016092	Keri Elizabeth Ray
LPC016100	Hollie Krystal Suggs
LPC016093	Jennicele Denise Rivas
LPC016101	Melissa Michele Tyson
LPC016103	Darius Marquin Washington
LPC016094	Amanda Renee Salerno
LPC016096	Kevin James Sevcik
LPC016098	Veronica Ruth Slater
LPC016099	Ebony LeShae Stinson
LPC016102	Stephany Speicher Underwood
LPC016104	Sierra Macy Watkins
LPC016105	Natarsha Shawntell Williams
LPC016108	Georgia O'Neil Young
LPC016106	Angelina Caroline Wilson
LPC016109	Mikell Shawn Rozier
LPC016110	Melissa Ann Seldon
LPC016111	Solomon Eugene Stretch
LPC016112	Jaleesa L. Williams
LPC016114	Chimnemerem Jennifer Neal
LPC016113	Frances Fazio
LPC016115	Tyler Kent Shelton
LPC016116	Megan Danielle Ross
LPC016117	Crystal Marie Tuck
LPC016118	Cally Taylor Short
LPC016119	Angie Marie Luttrell
LPC016120	Alicia Marie Shawler
TOTAL:	208

Ms. Vann motioned, Mr. Moffatt seconded, and the Board voted to accept the Application Ratify List of licenses issued between Board meetings as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Associations – Board Updates: Association updates were provided by Gale Macke, LPCA-GA and Jan Yates, NASW-GA

Mr. Herrin motioned, Ms. Mullings 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 conduct the denied applicant interviews, receive and review information pertaining to applications, receive reports from the Assistant Attorney General, the Professional Practices (Complaints), the Professional Standards (Applications) Committees and review prior meeting executive session meeting minutes. Voting in favor of the motion were Board members present Smith, Moffatt, Black, Mullings, Vann, Sills, Meyer-Stinson, Knowles and Herrin.

At the conclusion of Executive Session on Friday, November 7, 2025, Ms. Smith declared the meeting into “open” session pursuant to the Open and Public Meeting Act O.C.G.A. § 50-14-1 et seq. No votes were taken in the Executive Session.

Applicant Interviews Conducted:

- J.W.
- M.M.
- B.R.

Recommendation:

Approve for licensure
Approve for licensure
Approve for licensure

Mr. Moffatt motioned, Ms. Mullings seconded, and the Board voted to accept the recommendations for the above applicant interviews as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Applications:

The separate Professional Standards Committees reviewed and made recommendations on all applications presented by the administrative staff. A total of 400 applications were presented for Board review this month.

Mr. Black motioned, Ms. Mullings seconded, and the Board voted to refer C.G. to the AG’s office for Public Consent Order for reinstatement as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Mr. Moffatt motioned, Ms. Mullings seconded, and the Board voted to accept the recommendations of the Professional Standard Committees made for the Associate and Professional Counselor applications, the Clinical and Master Social Worker applications, and the Associate and Marriage and Family Therapy applications as presented. In addition, the Board voted for licenses to be issued upon receipt of an official exam score report of passage of the exam if all other requirements for licensure have been met. None opposed, motion carried.

Assistant Attorney General’s Report:

Ms. Sheila Guider, AAG, provided a status report, which included information on any cases referred for action, requests for advice and /or requests for authority for proposed rules.

- J.O. – Counterproposal –Refer to AG’s office for amended Board Order as discussed

Mr. Black motioned, Mr. Moffatt seconded, and the Board voted to refer J.O. to the AG’s Office for an amended Private Board Order as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Mr. Black motioned, Mr. Moffatt seconded, and the Board voted to accept the Assistant Attorney General’s report as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Professional Practices Committee/Complaints Report:

❖ **Investigative Interviews Conducted:**

COMP250385

Recommendations: Close Case

COMP250122

Recommendations: Refer to AG’s office for Private Board Order for 12 months, 12 hours of supervision with Board approved supervisor; quarterly supervisor and personal reports, 5 CE hours of ethics and 5 CE hours of mandated reporting to be completed synchronously and cannot be counted towards next renewal.

COMP250227

Recommendations: Close Case w/ LOC

COMP2501154

Recommendations: No Show; Reschedule

COMP250244

Recommendations: Refer to AG's office for Public Board Order for 2 years, required supervision for duration of Board order with Board approved supervisor, meeting 3 hours per month, quarterly supervisor and personal reports, 10 preapproved synchronous CE hours in ethics/boundaries that cannot be counted towards renewal.

COMP250014

Recommendations: Tabled; Pending receipt of additional information

COMP260113

Recommendations: Table final decision 6 months requesting licensee to complete 12 total preapproved, synchronous CE hours; 6 in ethics and 6 in scope of practice. Hours cannot be counted towards next renewal.

COMP260169

Recommendations: Refer to AG's office for issuance of C&D

COMP250008

Recommendations: Refer to Investigations

COMP220165 *J. Vann Recused

Recommendations: Refer to Investigations

COMP240024

Recommendations: No Show; Reschedule

COMP240170

Recommendations: Tabled; Pending receipt of additional information within 30 days

COMP250040

Recommendations: No Show

Mr. Moffatt motioned, Ms. Mullings seconded, and the Board voted to refer COMP220165 to Investigations as discussed and presented. None opposed, 1 recusal, motion carried.

Mr. Moffatt motioned, Mr. Black seconded, and the Board voted to refer COMP250122 to the AG's office for a Private Board Order as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Ms. Mullings motioned, Mr. Black seconded, and the Board voted to refer COM250244 to the AG's office for a Public Board Order as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Mr. Moffatt motioned, Mr. Black seconded, and the Board voted to refer COMP260169 to the AG's office for issuance of a C&D as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Ms. Mullings motioned, Ms. Vann seconded, and the Board voted to refer COMP250008 to Investigations as discussed and presented. None opposed, motion carried.

- ❖ **Recommend Closure:** COMP230174, COMP240182, COMP240202, COMP250024, COMP250082, COMP250085, COMP250186, COMP250380, COMP260002, COMP260003, COMP260005, COMP260008, COMP260015, COMP260016, COMP260023, COMP260026, COMP260028, COMP260038, COMP260042, COMP260044, COMP260060, COMP260061, COMP260067, COMP260068, COMP260069, COMP260072, COMP260074, COMP260100, COMP260102, COMP260108, COMP260119, COMP260131, COMP260157, COMP260168, COMP260172
- ❖ **Schedule for Investigative Interview:** COMP260033, COMP260103, COMP260148
- ❖ **Tabled - Pending Receipt of Additional Information:** COMP260090, COMP260115, COMP260138, COMP260141, COMP260144, COMP260146/260084 (Same R), COMP260150/260152/260158/260161 (Same C), COMP260156, COMP260162

❖ **Misc. Cases:**

COMP260033

Recommendations: Schedule for Investigative Interview next available PPC Meeting

COMP240080

Recommendations: Close Case as discussed

COMP240152

Recommendations: Tabled; Follow-up with requested information via certified mail

COMP 230181

Recommendations: Tabled; Request additional information to be submitted by 11/24/2025

Mr. Moffatt motioned, Mr. Black seconded, and the Board voted to approve the Professional Practices Committee report and accept the recommendations as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Executive Session Minutes:

- October 9, 2025 PPC Meeting
- October 10, 2025 CC Board Meeting

Recommendation:

Approve as presented
Approve as amended

Ms. Sills motioned, Mr. Black seconded, and the Board voted to approve the October 9, 2025 C.C. Professional Practices Committee Executive Session minutes as presented. None opposed, motion carried. Ms. Sills motioned, Mr. Black seconded, and the Board voted to approve the October 10, 2025 C.C. Executive Session Board meeting minutes as amended. None opposed, motion carried.

Open Records Request:

- T.H.

Recommendation:

Deny as discussed

Mr. Herrin motioned, Mr. Black seconded, and the Board voted to deny the Open Records Request for T.H. as discussed and presented. None opposed, motion carried.

With no additional Board business requiring discussion, the Board meeting was adjourned at 12:27 p.m.

Minutes recorded by:

Linsey Joiner, Board Support Specialist

Minutes reviewed and edited by:

Amanda Allen, Executive Director, HC-1

ANNJEANEN "ANGIE" SMITH

Chair

AMANDA M. ALLEN

Executive Director

Minutes approved: **December 5, 2025**

**AFFIDAVIT SUPPORTING CLOSING
OF PUBLIC MEETING**

The Georgia Open Meetings Act, O.C.G.A.50-14-1 et seq., requires that all meetings of an entity covered by the statute must be open to the public unless there is some specific statutory exception which permits the closing of the meeting. If such a meetings to be closed, the law requires that the presiding person execute a sworn affidavit stating that the subject matter of the meeting or the closed portion thereof was devoted to matters within the statutory exceptions and identifying those specific exceptions relied upon. O.C.G.A.50-14-4(b). A copy of this affidavit must be filed with the minutes of the meeting in question:

Comes now AnnJeanen "Angie" Smith, the presiding officer identified below and, before an official duly authorized to administer oaths, makes this affidavit in satisfaction of the statutory requirements outlined above.

1. I am the presiding officer of the Georgia Composite Board of Professional Counselors, Social Workers, and Marriage and Family Therapists.
2. I am over the age of 18 and in all other aspects competent to make this sworn statement. I acknowledge that I am giving this statement under oath and penalty of perjury and that I have read the contents of this affidavit prior to signing it.
3. On November 7, 2025, this entity, which is subject to the Open Meetings Act, met. A majority of the quorum of the members present voted to close the meeting or a portion thereof for the following indicated reason(s). I hereby certify that during the closed portion of the meeting, only those subjects indicated below were discussed. I also certify that I have reviewed the exceptions provided under the Open Meetings Act that may permit the closing of a meeting and that, to the best of my knowledge, the reasons I have described in detail below meet the requirements for closing this public meeting.

The legal authority for the closure of this meeting was O.C.G.A. 43-1-2(k) and 43-1-19(h).

4. The subject(s) discussed and the underlying facts supporting the closing of this meeting are:

SUBJECT DISCUSSED:	LEGAL AUTHORITY
Investigations including reports and deliberations	O.C.G.A. Sect. 43-1-19(h)(2)&(4)
Applications	O.C.G.A. Sect. 43-1-2-(k)(1)(2)
Exams (including questions, materials and deliberations)	O.C.G.A. Sect. 43-1-2(k)(3)(4)
Attorney General's Report (certain matters of attorney/client privilege)	O.C.G.A. Sect. 50-14-2(1)
Investigative Interviews if part of disciplinary	O.C.G.A. Sect. 43-1-19(4)
Probation Report (employer and self report)	O.C.G.A. Sect. 50-18-72(G)(2)
Probation Reports (medical information)	O.C.G.A. Sect. 50-18-72(G)(2)
Executive Session Minutes	O.C.G.A. Sect 50-14-4
Cognizant Member's Report	O.C.G.A. Sect. 43-1-2(k)(4)
Voting	None (must be in open session)

FURTHER THE AFFIANT SAYETH NOT

PRESIDING OFFICER Angie Smith

with Express Permission
 Amanda Allen, Executive Director

Sworn and subscribed before me
 This 7 day of November, 2025

Linsey Joiner
 Notary Public
 My commission expires:

