

Nebraska State Board of Landscape Architects  
**Peer Review Committee Meeting Minutes**  
**January 8, 2021**  
**215 Centennial Mall South, Large Conference Room, Lincoln, NE**

**CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was held at 215 Centennial Mall South, Fifth Floor, Lincoln, Nebraska. Chair Bentley called the meeting to order at 12:14pm and informed the public of the location of the Open Meetings Act. Notice of the meeting was published in the Lincoln Journal Star in accordance to the Open meetings Act.

**Roll Call:** Tom Bentley, Kristina Engle, Ronald Poe

**Public Comment/Appointments**

No members of the public were present

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**A Professional Development Hours (PDH) for 2021 Renewal Period Review**

See attached letter to the Board with the Committee's recommendations.

**Adjournment:** Chair Bentley adjourned the meeting at 1:08pm.

The Committee Chair will submit the Committee's recommendations for approval, additional information requests, and/or denial to the Board for review and final action at the Board's scheduled annual meeting on January 26, 2021.

Date: January 8, 2021

Gail Paris  
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Dear Gail

The NSBLA Peer Review Committee with all members present, Engler, Poe, Bentley, convened on January 8, 2021. The meeting was called to order at 12:14 pm and was adjourned at 1:08 pm. In review of submitted Professional Development Hours in the respective NE Licensed Landscape Architect renewal process, the committee has identified the following 4 applicants who the committee recommends request of additional clarification to validate the PDH content submitted.

- Hal J Ebevikdsen, Cert#177: Program title of 18 PDH credits submitted is noted as 'Pond Management'. Sponsor being Penn State (assuming university). Recommendation is to request further information regarding the content of the program to confirm alignment with the professional development definition of the State Board.
- Corey D. Haselhorst, Cert#386: Program title of 19 PDH credits submitted is noted as 'Investigative and Forensic Engineering Training'. Sponsor being Investigative Engineers Association. Recommendation is to request further information regarding the content of the program to confirm alignment with the professional development definition of the State Board.
- Nicholas L. Staib: Submitted renewal application is not signed/dated and does not identify Cert #. Recommend requiring signature and cert# be provided. All PDH credits listed are acceptable as received.
- Gene D. Svensen, Cert#79: Program title of 7 PDH credits submitted is noted as 'Winter Education Seminar and Trade Show'. Sponsor being Joland Sprinkler and Fireplace Patio and Stone. Recommendation is to request further information regarding the content of the program to confirm alignment with the professional development definition of the State Board.

Submitted on behalf of the NSBLA Peer Review Committee.

Sincerely,



Thomas Bentley  
NSBLA Peer Review Committee Chair 2021