

# GUAM BOARD OF SOCIAL WORK

Thursday, May 05, 2022, 11:00 A.M.

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Meeting ID: 815 8137 8869; Passcode: 984737

Item		Discussion	Responsible Party	Reporting Timeframe	Status	
I	Call to Order	A. Confirmation of Public Notice	Chair	1108	Confirmed	
II	Determination of Quorum	<p>GBSW:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Angelina-Marie C. Lape, LMSW, Chair</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Diana Calvo, Vice-Chair</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Jesse Baleto, Treasurer</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Maureen San Nicolas, Secretary, ASWB Member</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Pete Meno, Member</p>	<p>Other Present:</p> <p>Breanna Sablon, Acting HPLO Administrator</p> <p>Baltazar Hattori, HPLO</p> <p>Kaitlynn Calma</p> <p>Lynnette Arriola</p> <p>Antoinette Latson</p> <p>Joanna Naputi</p> <p>Eddy Reyes, FLAME TREE Freedom Center</p>	Chair	1109	Quorum established
III	Adoption of Agenda		GBSW	1110	Adopted	
IV	Review & Approval of Minutes	A. April 07, 2022. <i>Motion to approve: D. Calvo; 2<sup>nd</sup>: A. Lape</i>	GBSW	1111	Approved	
V	HPLO Administrator's Report	B. Sablan informed the GBSW of the mandatory Ethics training, which will be offered by the Ethics Commission on Fridays, May through September. Upon registration, GBSW members are requested to inform HPLO (B. Sablan and D. Borja) . Since the GBSW does not have any funds, the GBSW members will be required to pay the training fee. The fee could also be paid by their agency.	B. Sablan	1111	Register for Ethics Training	
VI	Committee Reports	A. Finance & Budget. The GBSW noted that there have been no meetings; zero balance of funds.	J. Baleto Treasurer	1113	Noted	
		B. Disciplinary Investigation. No Report.	Chair	1113	No Report	
		C. Statutes, Rules and Forms 1. Update on Rules and Regulations. The Chair reported that comments were received from the NASWB on the first draft and it is anticipated that a second draft will be distributed to the GBSW prior to the next meeting.	GBSW	1114	2 <sup>nd</sup> Draft to be Submitted to GBSW	
VII	Old Business	A. ASWB Meetings and Events. J. Baleto and D. Calvo reconfirmed their intent to attend the ASWB meetings. The Chair stated that she would determine the registration deadlines for attendance of the delegate assembly and inform the ASWB of the GBSW intention to participate virtually.	GBSW	1115	Confirmed GBSW member participation	
		J. Complaint: GBSW-CO-2022-001. The Chair informed the GBSW that she successfully contacted the complainant and will now issue a Notice of Complaint to the concerned licensee. The licensee will have 15 days to respond to the GBSW regarding the complaint.	GBSW	1116	Notice of Complaint to be Sent	

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	<p>K. Consideration of Applications for Renewal of Licensure</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Carolyn S. Zieber – LMSWE. Reviewed by D. Calvo. Met all requirements. <i>Motion to approve: D. Calvo; 2<sup>nd</sup>: A. Lape</i></li> <li>2. Benalyn Mari Reyes Naputi – LBSWE. Reviewed by D. Calvo, A. Lape: Pending submission of Ethics hours. The reported that the hours submitted did not meet the NASW requirements.</li> <li>3. Mariecar Valera Patino – LBSWE. D. Calvo, <i>Motion to approve: D. Calvo; 2<sup>nd</sup>: J. Baleto</i></li> <li>4. Barbara Michelle Gaza Bernardo – LBSWE. Reviewed by D. Calvo: pending submission of Ethics and Cultural Competency hours</li> <li>5. Josielynn Nauta San Nicolas – LBSWE. Reviewed by D. Calvo; pending submission of Ethics and Cultural Competency hours</li> <li>6. Rosalind Santos Reyes – LBSWE. Reviewed by D. Calvo: Pending submission of Ethics, Cultural Competency and Disability hours.</li> <li>7. Joanna Garrido Naputi – LBSWE. Reviewed by D. Calvo: pending submission of Ethics, Cultural Competency and Disability hours. Requested the applicant to keep the GBSW informed of her progress; a failure to provide updates could result in a requirement to submit a new application.</li> </ol> <p>NOTE: D. Calvo informed applicants, who attended the meeting, that some of the trainings that are available may not meet the licensing requirements; therefore, suggested that they communicate with HPLO to obtain clarification on training courses being offered on-line. In addition, the Chair suggested that training certificates include the number of training hours, otherwise, only one (1) credit hour will be accepted. In addition, the required 30 CEU hours are available on the NASW portal at a cost.</p>	GBSW	1117	<p>Approved</p> <p>Tabled</p> <p>Approved</p> <p>Tabled</p> <p>Tabled</p> <p>Tabled</p> <p>Tabled</p> <p>Noted</p>
	<p>D. Consideration of Applications for Licensure</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Antoinette L. Latson – LCSWE. Reviewed by D. Calvo. Met all requirements. <i>Motion to approve: D. Calvo; 2<sup>nd</sup>: J. Baleto</i></li> <li>2. Evelyn Sibucan Alicante – LCSWE. Reviewed by D. Calvo. Met all requirements; however, although applicant is licensed in Hawaii, the applicant did not submit verification of clinical hours. Once Rules and Regulations are approved and promulgated, the GBSW will consider approval of LCSWE, as long as applicant's Hawaii licensed remains current.</li> <li>3. <i>Motion to approve at LMSW only: D. Calvo; 2<sup>nd</sup>: A. Lape</i></li> <li>4. Klein Mark P. Mallare – LBSWE. Reviewed by D. Calvo. Met all requirements. <i>Motion to approve: D. Calvo; 2<sup>nd</sup>: A. Lape</i></li> <li>5. Kaitlynn P. Calma – LBSWE. Reviewed by D. Calvo. Met all requirements. <i>Motion to approve: D. Calvo; 2<sup>nd</sup>: A. Lape</i></li> <li>6. Mary Ann A. Macasero – LBSWE</li> </ol>	GBSW	1127	<p>Approved</p> <p>Approved LMSW</p> <p>Approved</p> <p>Approved</p> <p>Tabled</p>

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		Reviewed by D. Calvo: noted that two of the three letters of recommendation were dated in 2019. The Chair recommended to table the application to allow more time to investigate the accreditation status of the school and to ensure compliance with the Social Work Act.			
VIII	New Business	A. Consideration of Applications for Renewal of Licensure	GBSW	1134	
		1. Lynnette Mendiola Arriola – LCSWE. Reviewed by A. Lape. <i>Motion to approve: A. Lape; 2<sup>nd</sup> J. Baleta</i>			Approved
		B. Consideration of Applications for Licensure			Approved
		1. Christopher James Francisco – LCSWE Reviewed by A. Lape. <i>Motion to approve: A. Lape; 2<sup>nd</sup>: J. Baleta</i>			
		2. Eileen Dador – LBSWE Reviewed A. Lape, who reported that the applicant provided information regarding Attestation, items #9 (past discipline) and #10 (medical history). Upon review, recommended approval. <i>Motion to approve: A. Lape; 2<sup>nd</sup>: J. Baleta</i>			Approved
3. Rosario L. Perez – LMSWE. A. Lape reported that the GBSW already approved this application; however, the license will be changed to accurately reflect the first and last name.	Noted				
IX	Announcements	A. GBSW Members are reminded to register for the mandatory Ethics in Government Program (EIGP) Training following the hyperlinks provided by HPLO.	GBSW	1139	Noted
		B. Next Meeting: The Guam Board of Social Work next regularly scheduled board meeting, June 02, 2022 at 11:00AM.	GBSW	1140	Noted
X	Adjournment	<i>Motion to Adjourned: J. Baleta; 2<sup>nd</sup>: A. Lape</i>	GBSW	1143	Adjourned

Reviewed by:

Secretary / Date

Approved by:

*Angelina - Marie C. Lape*  
Chairperson / Date

6/02/2022

Minutes By: FLAME TREE Freedom Center, Inc.