

NEW JERSEY MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION

Minutes by Board Secretary Chris Hillmann of actions taken at the Open Session of the Regular Board meeting of the New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission (MVC) Board via TEAMS and conference call on Thursday, June 10, 2021.

Present:

B. Sue Fulton, Chair and Chief Administrator
Vice Chair, DOT Commissioner Diane Gutierrez-Scaccetti
Diane Legreide, Board Member
Steve Scaturro, Board Member
Walter Orcutt, Board Member
Eric Heitmann, AG Designee
Hannah Good, Treasury Designee

Governor's Authorities Unit Associate Counsel Joy Johnson and Deputy Attorney General Jennifer Jarembeck participated.

Chair B. Sue Fulton convened the Open Session at 2:00 p.m. in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act.

Agenda Approval. Board Member Steve Scaturro moved to accept the proposed agenda, Board Member Diane Legreide seconded the motion, and it was unanimously adopted.

Chair Remarks, 6/10/21

Chair B. Sue Fulton presented a power point for online transactions.

Minutes: April 22, 2021. This item is to fulfill the requirements of The Motor Vehicle Security and Customer Service Act and of the Bylaws to approve the Minutes of each MVC Board Meeting, by approving the Minutes of the MVC Board Meeting of April 22, 2021.

Vice Chair Gutierrez-Scacetti moved the resolution, Designee Heitmann seconded it.

2106-01 Final Adoption of driver license suspensions for certain non-moving violations

This is a Final Adoption. The purpose of these regulations is to eliminate driver license suspensions for certain non-moving violations. The impact of losing driving privileges has been found to be far reaching into a resident's life, family, profession, and have other negative impacts. This regulation aims to reverse those trends and allow for drivers to continue to be able to provide for themselves or their families. Megan Mazzoni, Legal and Regulatory Affairs Unit, presented the Final Adoption. Vice Chair Gutierrez-Scacetti moved the resolution, Board Member Orcutt seconded it and it was unanimously adopted.

2106-02 Rule proposal Commercial Driver License (CDL) Entry-Level Driver Training (ELDT)

This is a rule proposal. The Commission proposes these amendments following new rules promulgated by the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration. Megan Mazzoni from our Legal and Regulatory Department presented the Rule Proposal. Board Member Orcutt moved the resolution and Vice Chair Gutierrez Scacetti seconded it and it was unanimously adopted.

2106-03 Rule Proposal Motor Vehicle Inspection and Maintenance Program

This is a Rule Proposal. The Commission proposes these amendments and new rules to allow for inspections and re-inspections to take place at an official inspection facility or licensed private inspection facility. This will also further delineate the inspection processes and specifications used at both types of facilities. Kristen Miller from our Legal and Regulatory Department presented the Rule Proposal. Board Member Scaturro moved the resolution and Designee Heitmann seconded it and it was unanimously adopted.

Public Comments: None at this time

Board Comments:

Diane Legreide – Congratulations on appointment, you'll be missed. Got my Driver License through the mail. Suspensions, I remember when the legislature would pass so many bills to suspend licenses, good work on getting these removed.

Eric Heitmann – Extend thanks to staff. Keep up the good work. Thanks to Communications team in elevating traffic safety message.

Walter Orcutt – Visited the Newton agency in and out in less than 10 minutes System working great.

Steve Scatturo – Congratulations to staff on working so hard.

Hanna Good - Echo comments, staff has gone above and beyond. Happy to see more transactions move online.

Diane Gutierrez-Scaccetti - Ditto, proud and happy for Chief. MVC agencies are tough in normal times, let alone in a crisis. Things have been amazing. Staff has been great to provide services.

Adjournment:

Since there was no further business, a motion to adjourn was made Board member Orcutt and seconded by Designee Heitmann and unanimously adopted at 2:40 p.m.