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**Minutes of 4/3/2023**

<b>Board</b>	Joanna Robertson - Chair	<b>Division</b>	Anne Lawler, Bureau Chief
<b>Members</b>	Mary Jo White, D.C.	<b>Staff:</b>	Greg Loos, Legal Counsel
<b>Present:</b>	Anna Larsen		Emily Rough, Board Support Specialist
	Melissa Goldsmith		

The meeting was called to order at 9:31 AM MT by Joanna Robertson.

**Applications**

A motion was made and seconded to approve application MASA-4906. The motion carried unanimously.

**Zero-Based Regulation:** Ms. Lawler restated the purpose of Zero-Based Regulation. The Board reviewed suggested updates designed to eliminate duplicative or outdated requirements, remove unnecessary barriers, and increase the ease of readability in its administrative rules. Ms. Lawler stated that the language presented has not been shared with stakeholders, who will be provided an opportunity to provide written or verbal comments at a later date. Ms. Lawler reminded the Board that the decisions made today are not final and that there will be additional opportunities to further discuss these changes at future Board meetings. Unless otherwise stated, the Board agreed to all suggestions presented.

**Rule 601 – Supervision:** The Board discussed the changes made at the 3/13/23 meeting and decided to delete this rule as duplicative of information covered by the new supervision definition and Idaho Code § 54-4003(2)(d).

**Rule 750 – Standards of Practice:** The Board will review different codes of ethics and standards to determine which one(s) it would like to adopt.

**Rule 500 – Continuing Education:** The Board continued its discussion regarding whether to keep the continuing education requirement. The Board would like to hear from stakeholders before making a final decision.

**Public Comment:** Lydia Benson, licensed massage therapist, asked the Board to consider increasing the minimum educational hours to 625.

**Adjourn**

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 11:23 AM.

The next meeting is on 05/15/2023.