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Board Meeting Minutes of 05/20/2026

Board Members Present:	Tilden Sokoloff, Chair Lynn Hansen, Vice Chair Mark Dunlap Christy Perry, Public Member	**Division Staff:**	Nicki Chopski, Executive Officer Greg Loos, General Counsel John Price, Bureau Chief Investigations Pam Rebolo, Board Support Supervisor

The meeting was called to order at 1:00 PM by Tilden Sokoloff, Chair.

Approval of Minutes
A motion was made and seconded to approve the 02/25/2026 minutes. The motion carried.

DIVISION BUSINESS
Financial Update: Dr. Chopski presented the Board's financial reports from FY26 Quarter 3 and stood for questions from the Board members.

Legislative Update: Dr. Chopski briefly reviewed the legislative tracker to the Board, providing a summary of the legislative status through sine die, including updates on Rules, Executive Agency Legislation (EAL), and bills affecting DOPL. The overview covered HB703 concerning Universal Discipline, HB777 related to Uniform Controlled Substances Act, HB935 regarding the merger of Denturitry into the Board of Dentistry, and HB787 concerning the integration of Board of Podiatry into the Board of Medicine. Following the presentation, she addressed questions and comments from Board members.

BOARD BUSINESS
DOPL Complaint Process – John Price: Mr. Price provided an overview of the Division's complaint process, including the steps from public submission of complaints to the investigative procedures and the board's review of formal complaints.

APA Presentation – Greg Loos: Mr. Loos reiterated the complaint process and also covered HB703 regarding Universal Discipline. He stated that the legislation establishes a unified, division-wide disciplinary framework for all boards and committees by consolidating duplicative and inconsistent disciplinary provisions currently dispersed across various practice acts. He indicated that the bill creates a single procedural section that standardizes complaint processing, investigation procedures, applicable due process protections, and sanction implementation. While substantive grounds for discipline will continue to be defined within each profession's governing statute or standards of practice, this new framework ensures consistent enforcement processes

across all licensed professions regulated by the Division. He also mentioned that the bill is scheduled to take effect on July 1, 2026.

Naturopathic Health Care Formulary Committee Recommendations: A motion was made and seconded to accept the recommendations from the Naturopathic Health Care Formulary Committee to remove the NIOSH list of drugs from the formulary restrictions. The motion carried.

Delegated Authority Review: The Board reviewed the current authority delegated to staff. Following discussion, a motion was made and seconded to delegate authority to allow DOPL investigative staff to close unwarranted or unfounded cases following investigation. The motion carried.

Public Comment: There was no public comment.

Adjourn
There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 2:22 PM.

The next meeting is on 08/26/2026.