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**ALABAMA PLUMBERS
AND GAS FITTERS EXAMINING BOARD
REGULAR BOARD MEETING
FISCAL YEAR 2026
216 Aquarius Dr. Suite 319
Homewood, AL 35209
February 26, 2026**

I. CALL TO ORDER

A. Roll Call

The meeting was called to order at 10:02 am on February 26, 2026. The following, Board members were present: Scotty Winfrey, Chairman; Isadore Gardner, Vice-Chairman; Charles Robinson, Secretary, Bobby Bulloch, Henry McCoy, Marvin Miller and Vincent Brown. Also, present was Paul Antoine, who arrived at 10:21 am and Janice Warren who arrived at 10:29 am. Staff members present were James Morgan, Executive Director, Kimberly Holifield, and Kristin Ivy. Also, present was Tara Hetzel, Howard Jackson, Chase McGalliard, Angela Brown, and Veronica Cole.

B. Declaration of Quorum

A quorum was declared with 7 Board members present at 10:02 a.m. on February 26, 2026.

C. Statement of Compliance with Open Meetings Act

Prior notice of this meeting was not posted on the Secretary of State's website in accordance with the Alabama Open Meetings Act. It was posted late.

II. REVIEW OF MINUTES

A. November 20, 2025, Board Meeting

Mr. Winfrey called for review of November 20, 2025, board meeting minutes.

Mr. Gardner moved to accept November 20, 2025; minutes as amended. Mr. Bulloch seconded. A roll call vote was taken. The motion carried unanimously with 7 Board members voting. (Ms. Warren and Mr. Antoine were not present)

III. BOARD REQUEST/APPEARANCES

A. Brian Nelson

Brian Nelson sent a request seeking approval to take the Journeyman Plumber exam based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Recommend conditional approval of his request based on verifiable documentation of his experience. He must update his apprentice registration.

B. Joshua Davis

Joshua Davis sent a request seeking approval to take the Master Plumber and Master Gas fitter exam based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Recommend disapproval of his request based on ineligibility due to not holding Journeyman certifications for plumbing and gas.

C. Darrell Chadwick

Darrell Chadwick sent a request seeking approval to take the Master Plumber and Master Gas fitter exam based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Recommend disapproval of his request based on ineligibility due to not holding Journeyman certifications for plumbing and gas.

D. Preston Averitte

Preston Averitte sent a request seeking approval to take the Master Plumber based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Recommend disapproval of his request based on ineligibility due to not holding Journeyman plumbing certification for 1 year.

E. Cody Bouchez

Cody Bouchez sent a request seeking approval to take the Journeyman Plumber/Journeyman Gas Fitter exams based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Recommend approval of his request based on verifiable documentation of his experience.

F. Dawson Hardin

Dawson Hardin sent a request seeking approval to take the Journeyman Plumber exam based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Recommend approval of his request based on verifiable documentation of his experience.

G. Nathan Spears

Nathan Spears sent a request seeking approval to take the Journeyman Gas Fitter exam based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Recommend approval of his request based on verifiable documentation of his experience.

H. Mathew Jackson

Mathew Jackson sent a request seeking approval to take the Master Plumber and Master Gas fitter exam based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Recommend disapproval of his request based on ineligibility due to not holding Journeyman certifications for plumbing and gas.

I. Evan Petriske

Evan Petriske sent a request seeking approval to take the Journeyman Gas Fitter exam based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Recommend approval of his request based on verifiable documentation of his experience.

J. Zachary Taylor

Zachary Taylor sent a request seeking approval to take the Journeyman Gas Fitter exam based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Recommend approval of his request based on verifiable documentation of his experience.

K. Jared Long

Jared Long sent a request seeking approval to take the Journeyman Plumber/Journeyman Gas Fitter exams based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Recommend approval of his request based on verifiable documentation of his experience.

L. Taylyr Peacock

Taylyr Peacock sent a request seeking approval to take the Journeyman Plumber exam based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Recommend approval of his request based on verifiable documentation of his experience.

M. Joshua Brown

Joshua Brown sent a request seeking approval to take the Journeyman Plumber exam based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Recommend conditional approval of his request based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Must first renew his apprentice registration.

N. Orion Ferus

Orion Ferus sent a request seeking approval to take the Journeyman Plumber exam based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Recommend approval of his request based on verifiable documentation of his experience.

O. Daniel Hall

Daniel Hall sent a request seeking approval to take the Journeyman Plumber/Journeyman Gas Fitter exams based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Recommend conditional approval of his request based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Must provide documentation from his former employer that his experience included both trades.

P. Drini Cenko

Drini Cenko sent a request seeking approval to take the Journeyman Plumber exam based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Recommend disapproval of his request based on lack of verifiable documentation of his experience

Q. Keiono Huffer

Keiono Huffer sent a request seeking approval to take the Journeyman Plumber exam based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Recommend conditional approval of his request based on verifiable documentation of his experience. Must register as an apprentice.

Mr. Robinson moved to approve the recommendations. Mr. Garnder seconded. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried unanimously with 7 Board members voting.

IV. REVIEW OF FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Financial Statement

Mr. Winfrey called for review of the January 31, 2026, financial statement.

Mr. Bulloch moved to accept the January 31, 2026, financial statement. Mr. Brown seconded. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried unanimously with 7 Board members voting. (Ms. Warren and Mr. Antoine were not present)

V. COMMITTEE REPORTS

A. Investigative committee report

The committee reports of the Investigative Committee were given by Mr. Bulloch. The investigative Committee reviewed 11 cases. The committee opened 9 new cases with probable cause, issue 1 criminal complaint on unlicensed case, issue 1 cease & desist on unlicensed case.

Mr. Miller moved to accept the report given by the Investigative Committee, Mr. Brown seconded. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried unanimously with 7 Board members voting (Ms. Warren and Mr. Antoine were not present) and one recusal (Mr. Bulloch)

B. Consent & Settlement Agreements to be closed

The Board voted to close 3 cases. Detail listing is attached.

Mr. Gardner moved to close 3 cases. Mr Robinson seconded. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried unanimously with 7 Board members voting. (Ms. Warren and Mr. Antoine were not present)

B. CE Committee Recommendations

- A. The committee report was given by Mr. Winfrey. The committee recommended Approval for the following CE providers: 1st Choice CE, !RocketCert, HBAA, IgnitED Training Solutions, LLC.

Mr. Bulloch moved to accept the report given by the CE committee, Mr. Miller seconded. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried unanimously with 7 Board members voting. (Ms. Warren and Mr. Antoine were not present)

VI. REPORT ON FEES WAIVED

A. Waiver of Annual Fees & Penalties

A Total of 4 licensees were approved for waiver of annual fees and penalties.

Mr. McCoy moved to accept the approval of the waiver of annual fees and penalties. Mr. Antoine seconded. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried unanimously with all 9 Board members voting.

VII. NEW BUSINESS

A. Kimberly Holifield Pay Increase

The Board discussed a yearly 5% increase for Kimberly Holifield.

Mr. Gardner moved to grant Kimberly Holifield a yearly 5% increase. Mr. Robinson seconded. Motion carried unanimously with all 9 Board Members voting.

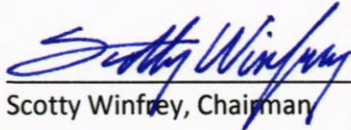
The next Board meeting will be held May 14, 2026, at 10:00 a.m.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

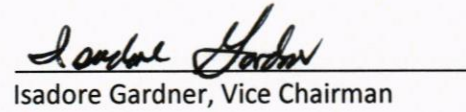
Mr. Gardner moved to adjourn. Mr. Brown seconded.

Motion carried unanimously.

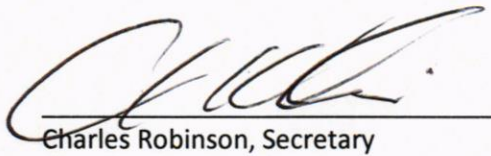
Meeting adjourned at 11:03 a.m. on February 26, 2026.



Scotty Winfrey, Chairman



Isadore Gardner, Vice Chairman



Charles Robinson, Secretary