

MINUTES
March 13, 2024

Members Present: Tom Laliberte (Co-Chair), Kimberly Yarlott (Co-Chair), Beth McClure, Andra Hall, Stephen Appleby, Jeni Laliberte, Erin Cayer, Christina O’Hara, and Cynthia Lucero (Zoom)

Guests: Tyler Restuccia, Bill Ross, Julie Shea, Laura Stoneking, Amy Martel, and Ann Wallace

Absent: Christina White, Tim Broadrick, Donna Couture

CALL TO ORDER

Tom Laliberte, Co-Chair, called to order the regular meeting of the Professional Standards Board at 12:05 p.m.

I. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. Draft February 14, 2024, Meeting Minutes

Motion: Christine O’Hara made the motion, seconded by Jeni Laliberte, that the Professional Standards Board approve the February 14, 2024, meeting minutes as written.

Vote: The motion was approved by the Professional Standards Board.

II. OPEN BOARD DISCUSSION AND UPDATES

A. In-depth discussion

None.

B. Votes Needed

None.

C. Current Committee Updates

1. Ed 507.07 – School Counselor (Exp. 2/20/2025)

Cynthia Lucero, Donna Couture, and Christina O'Hara
Contributors: Bill Ross, Tim Broadrick, and Pam Comeau

First meeting planned 12/6.

2. Ed 507.08 – School Psychologist (Exp. 2/20/2025)
Andra Hall, Donna Couture, and Erin Cayer
Contributor: Steve Appleby

Meeting with OPLC recap.

3. Ed 507.16 – Physical Education Teacher (Exp. 10/25/2025)
Christina White, Tom Laliberte, and Kimberly Yarlott
Contributor: Laura Stoneking

Meeting scheduled for February 15.

4. Ed 507.15 – Health Teacher (Exp. 5/2/2026)
Christina White, Tom Laliberte, and Kimberly Yarlott
Contributor: Bill Ross

Need more contributors.

5. Ed 507.11 – Elementary Education Teacher (Exp. 10/2034)
Andra Hall, Beth McClure, and Jeni Laliberte

6. Ed 507.05 – Technology and Engineering Teacher (Exp. 10/2034)
Steve Appleby, Donna Couture, and Kimberly Yarlott

III. DEPARTMENT REPORT

A. Update on Rulemaking/State Board – Julie Shea, Steve Appleby <https://www.education.nh.gov/who-we-are/state-board-of-education>

1. Ed 507.09 – Visual Arts Teacher (Exp. 1/17/2024)
 - a. Interim rule will be adopted at March 14 meeting, will go into effect 3/15. Looking at regular rules now.
2. Ed 507.21 – School Librarian/Library Media Specialist
 - a. Holding pattern; was voted at April 2022 SBE meeting to form a subcommittee to investigate further.

3. Ed 507.02 – Career and Technical Education Teacher
4. Ed 507.03 – Career and Technical Specialty Certification
5. Ed 507.11 – Elementary Education Teacher (Exp. 3/27/2024)
 - a. Being published to register on 3/14, public hearing at April State Board meeting.
6. Ed 507.52 – Reading and Writing Teacher
 - a. Possibly could move forward as an initial proposal at the March SBE meeting; however, based on the State Board feedback we may want to revisit based on the State Board feedback received.
 - b. No immediate expiration date, and there are rules in other areas that have impending July expirations.
7. Ed 508.09 – Reading and Writing Specialist
 - a. Possibly could move forward as an initial proposal at the March SBE meeting; however, based on the State Board feedback we may want to revisit based on the State Board feedback received.
 - b. No immediate expiration date, and there are rules in other areas that have impending July expirations.
8. Ed 508.10 - Elementary Mathematics Specialist
 - a. Possibly could move forward as an initial proposal at the March SBE meeting; however, based on the State Board feedback we may want to revisit based on the State Board feedback received.
 - b. No immediate expiration date, and there are rules in other areas that have impending July expirations.

B. Council for Teacher Education (CTE) – Laura Stoneking
<https://www.education.nh.gov/who-we-are/council-for-teacher-education>

IV. OLD BUSINESS

- 1) PSB Document update – organization, process, etc. for members.

V. NEW BUSINESS

VI. TABLED ITEMS

1. Master Teacher License Update - Tabled pending legislative action.

2. Ed 513.01, Ed 513.03, Ed 513.04, Ed 513.05, and Ed 513.06 (Exp. 10/2030) – Basic Requirement, Criteria for State Approval of Local Professional Development Master Plan, Individual Professional Development Plan, Criteria for License Renewal of Educators Under the Professional Development Master Plan, Criteria for License Renewal of Educators Not Under the Local Professional Development Master Plan, Licensed Paraeducators and Educational Interpreter/Transliterators
Co-Chair: Kim Yarlott, Beth McClure

VII. ADJOURNMENT

Tom Laliberte adjourned the meeting at 12:56 p.m.

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