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DEPT. OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES



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## NOTICE OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICINE AND SURGERY IN PERSON AND WEBEX MEETING Date Posted April 11, 2024

Hampton Inn & Suites Husker Conference Room 7343 Husker Circle Lincoln, NE 68504-9816

Wednesday April 24, 2024 9:00 a.m.

This meeting will be held by WebEx conference and In-Person. The public is welcome to attend any Open Session discussion at the Hampton Inn & Suites. A WebEx line has also been established for the public to call in rather than visit the open meeting location. If you wish to attend the meeting by WEBEX please let Jan Gadeken-Harris know by April 23, 2024 via email at janis.gadeken-harris@nebraska.gov or you can join by using the below WebEx link:

https://sonvideo.webex.com/sonvideo/j.php?MTID=m10d20d218e2f9501d9412e807c9702f8

or call in information is: 1-408-418+9388 using meeting number of: 2497 481 9539 Here is a link to the Open Meetings Act:

https://nebraskalegislature.gov/laws/display\_html.php?begin\_section=84-1407&end\_section=84-1414 Here is a link to a copy of all the Open Session discussion items:

https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Board-Meeting-Documents.aspx

For information, contact Jan Harris, Health Licensing Coordinator, at 402/471-2118, or <u>Janis.Gadeken-Harris@nebraska.gov</u> AGENDA

- 1. Roll Call & Announcement(s): There is a current copy of the Open Meetings Act available in the meeting room.
- 2. Adoption of Agenda
- 3. Approval of Minutes January 26, 2024
- 4. Department of Agriculture Updates Dr. Fritts, Deputy NE State Veterinarian
- 5. Legislation Updates
- 6. Regulation Updates:

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A. Continuing discussion regarding Vet Techs in large animal veterinary medicine – NVMA Survey Results

(Approx. time to go into Closed Session: 9:30 am) Investigational Reports – CLOSED SESSION pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. §38-1,105 (The Deard will go into closed according for the purpose of review and discussion of investigative reports...)

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- A. Investigation Cases
- B. AG 4th Quarter 2023 Status Report
- C. Proposed Agreed Settlement
- D. Probation Compliance Monitoring Report
- 8. Application Review CLOSED SESSION pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. §84-1410
  - A. Veterinary Medicine and Surgery Reinstatement after Discipline Application(s) (1)

(Approx. time to reconvene Open Session: 10:30 am)

9. Application Review - OPEN SESSION

- A. Veterinary Medicine and Surgery Reinstatement after Discipline Application(s) (1)
- 10. Board Discussion(s):
  - A. AABP (American Association of Bovine Practitioners) Guideline for Credentialed Vet Techs in Bovine Practice
  - B. RVMA (Relief Veterinary Medical Association) Temporary license for DVM's for relief purposes
  - C. NAVLE (North American Veterinary Licensing Examination) program updates
- 11. Practice Question(s):
  - A. What is the scope of practice regarding "Pulsed Electromagnetic Field Therapy" for animals
- 12. Public Comments
- 13. Schedule Next Meeting Date
- 14. Adjournment
  - \*\*\*The Board will work through LUNCH\*\*\*

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