

Maryland Public Employee Relations Board
Public Meeting – IN PERSON – June 20, 2025
11:00 a.m.

Chair Solomon called the meeting to order at 11:04a.m.

In attendance: L. Solomon, H. Cooperman, L. Ohman, J. Rivlin, R. Steyer

Staff: E. Snipes, C. Franzoni, W. Suggs, N. Coffing

1. Approve minutes from 5.5.25 meeting

Moved: J. Rivlin

2nd: H. Cooperman

No objection

2. Regulations

a. Final adoption of changes to COMAR 14.30.13.01 *Negotiations*

Chair Solomon indicated the amendments that were made in this regulation, stated that there were no comments received during the notice posting period, and that the regulations were now available for final adoption, asking for motion from Board members.

Executive Director will give timeline of publication and final effective date.

Moved for final adoption: unanimous

2nd: NA

No objection

Chair Solomon asked Executive Director Snipes to give the Board member the publication timeline and effective date of the regulation amendments. E. Snipes told Board members that the publication date for the Board's final adoption of the regulations would be on July 11, 2025, and that the effective date would be July 21, 2025.

3. Updates/New Business

a. Next public meeting:

The next Public meeting will be on Friday, July 11, at 9:30 a.m.

4. Question & Answer

None.

5. Recognize service from Board Members Lynn Ohman & Richard Steyer

Chair Solomon noted that this was the last meeting for Lynn Ohman. He thanked her for being of valiant public service, and that she will be missed. The Chair also thanked Board member Richard Steyer for his service, noting his appreciation for Mr. Steyer's work in chairing the former State Labor Relations Board as well.

6. New Board member

Chair Solomon stated that newly appointed Board member, Jennifer Epps, will start as of July 1, and that she will be here for the July 11 public meeting.

Motion to adjourn, 11:08 am: Lynn Ohman
2nd: H. Cooperman

All in favor.