

South Dakota Board of Addiction and Prevention Professionals
Via Videoconference
July 31, 2026

President Kari Joldersma called the meeting to order at 10:07 a.m. central and determined a quorum.

Board Members Present: Tiffany Butler, Belinda Grave, Jodi Hepperle, Kari Joldersma, Tiffany Kashas, Seanna Regynski, Kari Termansen, and Jennifer Tinguely

Board Members Absent: Kari Johnston

Others Present: Jennifer Stalley, Executive Secretary; Greg Tishkoff, Board Legal Counsel, Department of Social Services; Tracy Mercer, Department of Social Services; Ashley Martin, Kathy White; and Megan O'Brien, members of the public.

Motion to approve the proposed agenda by Grave. Seconded by Tinguely. **Motion carried.**

Joldersma asked for comments from the public. There were no comments offered.

Motion to approve the meeting minutes of June 12, 2026 by Butler. Seconded by Grave. **Motion carried.**

Motion to accept the June 30, 2026 financial report as presented by Regynski. Seconded by Butler. **Motion carried.**

Motion to go into executive session for consultation with legal counsel for consideration of proposed contested cases for litigation and contract negotiations at 10:14 a.m. by Hepperle. Seconded by Regynski. **Motion carried.**

Joldersma declared the Board out of executive session at 10:30 a.m.

Motion to authorize a settlement agreement offer or move the matter to a hearing in Complaint 2025-14 by Hepperle. Seconded by Butler. **Motion carried.**

Motion to accept the settlement agreement and issue a final order in Complaints 2025-15 by Hepperle. Seconded by Kashas. **Motion carried.**

Motion to accept the settlement agreement and issue a final order in Complaints 2025-16 by Termansen. Seconded by Tinguely. **Motion carried.** Butler recused.

Motion to dismiss Complaint 2026-03 by Butler. Seconded by Termansen. **Motion carried.**

Tishkoff provided the Board with an overview of the open meeting laws and provided opportunities for the Board members to ask questions.

Motion by Kashas to acknowledge the Board received the open meetings review as required by SDCL 1-25-13. Seconded by Butler. **Motion carried.**

Stalley provided an office update. Stalley will provide the Board with an implementation plan for rule changes adopted through the rules process at the next meeting.

Mercer provided an update from the Department of Social Services.

Motion to cancel the Board's scheduled meeting in September and set the next meeting date as December 4, 2026, at 9:00 am CT by Tinguely. Seconded by Butler. **Motion carried.**

Motion to adjourn by Kashas. Seconded by Tinguely. **Motion carried.**

The Board adjourned at 10:46 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jodi Hepperle, Secretary