

Board of Vocational Rehabilitation (BVR)
Executive Committee
November 2, 2022

Present: Cole Uecker, Brad Konechne, and Eric Weiss. Absent: Kevin Barber. Others present: Colette Wagoner, BVR staff.

Meeting was convened at 10:00 am central time via Zoom.

The Executive Committee met to discuss the agenda for the upcoming December meeting. Staff reviewed the draft agenda and timeframes.

If new members are appointed and if arrangements can be worked out, there could be a possibility of conducting the new member orientation the morning prior to the start of the regular BVR meeting. As such, the BVR meeting is scheduled to start at 10:00 am central time.

Discussion followed on the draft December meeting agenda and allowing more time during introductions for the benefit of new members, i.e., name, role on board, where they are from, etc. Time will also allow for information to be added about the Board (Board overview, its purpose and role, and how it fits in with the Division of Rehabilitation Services). Cole, Eric, and Colette can speak to various information under this item.

Review and discussion of remaining agenda items included consideration of time and appropriateness. Cole asked about possible legislative items that the Department might be considering, and if Eric could address these. Eric spoke to potential changes impacting interpreter certification. Eric will include this information under the Directors Report.

A revised Zoom meeting invite will be sent to the full board with the new start time of 10:00/central time.

There was no other business at this time for discussion.

The Chair adjourned the meeting at 10:30 am.