

Final Meeting Minutes  
Law Enforcement Committee  
Board of Wildlife Resources  
7870 Villa Park Drive, Board Room  
Richmond, Virginia 23228

March 23, 2022  
9:00 am

**Present:** Mr. G. K. Washington, conducted the meeting, and Mr. Brian Vincent attended Virtually; **Board Members in attendance:** Mr. Leon Boyd, Ms. Karen Terwilliger arrived at 9:30 am, **Director:** Mr. Ryan J. Brown; **Deputy Directors:** Ms. Becky Gwynn and Mr. Gary Martel; **Director's Working Group:** Mr. Darin Moore, Ms. Paige Pearson, Mr. Bob Smet, Dr. Mike Bednarski, Dr. Gray Anderson, Mr. Tom Guess, Colonel John Cobb.

The Chair called the meeting to order at 9:00 am and welcomed everyone to the meeting. The Chair noted for the record that there was a quorum present for the meeting.

**Meeting Minutes:** The Chair called for a motion to approve the minutes of the January 19, 2022 committee meeting. Mr. Vincent made a motion to approve the minutes of the January 19, 2022 meeting minutes. It was seconded by Mr. Washington. The Board secretary took a roll call vote: Ayes: Washington and Vincent.

**Public Comment – Non Agenda Item:** The Chair called for Public Comment – Non Agenda Item, hearing none, the Chair continued with the meeting

**Office of Professional Standards - Academy Update:** The Chair called on Major Milt Robinson for an Update.

Major Milt Robinson gave an update on the Law Enforcement Professional Standards and the Academy and the upcoming graduation.

After comments and questions, the Chair thanked Major Robinson for his updates.

**Operations - Waterfowl Game Warden Experience:** The Chair called on Major Ryan Shuler for a presentation.

Major Ryan Shuler presented the Waterfowl Game Warden Experience.

After comments and questions, the Chair thanked Major Shuler for his presentation.

**Law Enforcement Chief Update:** The Chair called on Colonel John Cobb for an update.

Colonel John Cobb gave a Law Enforcement Update on Retired Law Enforcement Officers.

**Director's Report:** The Chair called on Executive Director Ryan Brown for his Director's Report.

The Director reported:

- The Recruit graduation on April 8, 2022 will be a great time for the agency, the Recruits, and their families
- Excited for a new Recruit academy to start up in the future
- Been to several conferences recently and Law Enforcement is a big topic around the country on compensation, DWR working with the new Administration on Law Enforcement issues and compensation.

After comments and questions, the Chair thanked Mr. Brown for his report.

**Chair's Report:** The Chair appreciates all the hard work Law Enforcement staff accomplishes every day and thanks staff for all of their work. The Chair enjoyed the topics for today's meeting.

The Chair announced the next Law Enforcement committee meeting will be May 18, 2022 and asked if there were any additional comments, hearing none, he adjourned the meeting at 9:40 am.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Frances Boswell