

ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS

BOARD MEETING MINUTES



Date & Time:
June 9, 2023 | 9 am

Meeting Called to Order by:
Dr. C. Garrett Taylor, President

Board Members in Attendance:

Robert Carlisle, DDS (Secretary/Treasurer)
Marcia Cook
Dwight Duckworth, DDS (Vice-President)
Cara Jones, DDS

C. Garrett Taylor, DDS (President)
Allen Williams, DDS
Jeffrey Wisener, DDS

Board Staff in Attendance:

Meredith Rogers (Executive Director), Corneshia Harrison (Administrative Analyst), & Sara Farris (Attorney)

Approval of Minutes

The minutes from the May 5, 2023 meeting were reviewed and approved.

Fictitious Name Request

The following name was reviewed and approved by the Board:

REQUESTED FICTITIOUS NAME(S)	DENTIST
<i>Glenwood Family Dentistry</i>	Dr. Clayton Sorrells

Committee Report

- **Complaint Committee (Corneshia Harrison)**

The Committee met on June 8, 2023 at 6 pm in the Board office and reviewed nine complaints – eight were found to have no apparent violation and were dismissed, and one complaint was found to have an apparent violation. The Committee recommended that a hearing be held for Drs. Robert Dalby, David Hiebert and Justin Bethel for alleged patient abandonment. A motion was made, seconded and passed to issue a *Notice of Hearing* to each of the dentists. The next meeting is scheduled for September 2023 at 6 pm in the Board office.



Approval of 2023-2024 Meeting Dates

The following board meeting dates were approved:

- September 15, 2023
- November 3, 2023
- January 12, 2024
- March 15, 2024
- May 3, 2024
- June 7, 2024

Election of ASBDE Officers for 2023-2024

The following officers were elected:

President – Dr. Dwight Duckworth

Vice-President – Dr. Robert Carlisle

Secretary/Treasurer – Dr. Cara Jones

Other Business

The Board discussed its jurisdiction in handling tooth whitening complaints involving persons who are not licensees. The discussion concluded with Sara Farris agreeing to contact the director of the public protection division of the Arkansas Attorney General's office for advisement.

Next Meeting

September 15, 2023 – 9 am | Cox Conference Room (Main Street Mall – 101 E. Capitol Avenue in Little Rock AR 72201)

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Meredith Rogers'.

Meredith Rogers, Executive Director