

TEXAS BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL GEOSCIENTISTS

General Issues Committee Meeting (Mathewson, Krenz-Doe, Knobloch, DeWoody)

> October 15, 2015 at 1:00 p.m. 333 Guadalupe Street, Room 102 Austin, Texas 78701

AGENDA

The Committee may discuss and take action regarding any of the following agenda items.

- A. Call to order, roll call and certification of quorum, order of business
- B. Approval of minutes from General Issues Committee meeting held on July 16, 2015
- C. Public comment (limited to five minutes per person; more time may be allotted as needed at the discretion of the Committee Chair)
- D. Status of Attorney General Opinion Request submitted to the Office of the Attorney General regarding whether the TBPG has the authority to accept a license resignation and whether the TBPG may impose conditions on a license resignation
- E. Review of license statuses and recommendation to the full Board regarding how they should be displayed on TBPG website, and the feasibility of showing only licenses with "current" status
- F. Proposal of amendment to 22 TAC §851.156 Professional Geoscientist Seals and Geoscience Firm Identification for recommendation to full Board for posting to the Texas Register for public comment.
- G. Review and recommendation of response to the Appointed Board regarding Advisory Opinion Request #13, received September 17, 2015, regarding the requirements of firm registration on a firm located in Texas that does not perform geoscience in Texas
- H. Review and update of applicable Frequently Asked Questions on TBPG website
- I. Date and agenda items for next meeting
- J. Adjournment

The Committee may meet in closed session on any agenda item listed above as authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Gov. Code Chapter 551.

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