SEXUAL OFFENDER MANAGEMENT BOARD

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Certification/QA Sub-Committee
April 10, 2026
Idaho Department of Corrections

Members present (subcommittee):
Brian Marx, Chair
John Dinger, Vice Chair
Paula Garay, Member
Janece Geisel, Member
Kirk Nelson, Member

Others Present:
Nancy Volle, Program Manager
Jamie Lundy, AA2

Guest:

Excused:
Gabriel Hofkins, Member
Cory Barrier, Member

Call to Order:
Mr. Dinger, Vice Chair called the sub-committee meeting to order at 8:14 a.m.

Certification and QA Sub-Committee:

Mr. Dinger, Vice Chair moved that the subcommittee convene in executive session at 8:14 a.m. to: Consider records that are exempt from public disclosure [I.C. § 74-206(1)(d)] chapter 1, title 74, Idaho code see I.C. § 74-106(9). The purpose of the subcommittee executive session is to consider applications for SOMB certification and to inquire into a person's fitness for certification. It was seconded by Ms. Geisel, Member. The vote was Mr. Marx, Chair, Ms. Garay, Member, aye and Mr. Nelson, Member; aye.

Ms. Geisel recused herself from the meeting at 9:11a.m.
Ms. Geisel rejoined the meeting at 9:22a.m.

Ms. Geisel, Member motioned to come out of executive session at 9:46 a.m., the motion was seconded by Mr. Dinger, Vice Chair. The vote was Mr. Marx, Chair, aye; Ms. Garay, Member aye and Mr. Nelson, Member, aye.

Regular Meeting Minutes
April 10, 2026
Idaho Department of Correction

Members present:
Brian Marx, Chair
John Dinger, Vice Chair
Paula Garay, Member
Kirk Nelson, Member
Darin Burrell, Member
Janece Geisel, Member
Matthew Thomas, Member
David Birch, Member

Others Present:
Nancy Volle, Program Manager
Jamie Lundy, AA2
Karin Magnelli, DAG

Guest:
Chris Colson, Proxy for Cory Barrier (in Person)
Breanne Speas (via Zoom)
Sandy Jones (via Zoom)
Kristen Donovan (via Zoom)
Daniel (via Zoom)

Excused:
Gabriel Hofkins, Member
Cory Barrier, Member

Call to Order:
Mr. Dinger, Vice Chair called the full board meeting to order at 10:03 a.m.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Mr. Dinger, Vice Chair motioned at 10:03 a.m. that the Board convene in Executive Session to consider records that are exempt from public disclosure [I.C. § 74-206(1)(d)] chapter 1, title 74, Idaho code see I.C. § 74-106(9). The purpose of the subcommittee executive session is to consider applications for SOMB certification and to advise the board. It was seconded by Mr. Burrell, Member. The vote was: Mr. Marx, Chair, aye; Ms. Geisel, Member, aye; Ms. Garay, Member, aye; Mr. Thomas, Member, aye; Mr. Birch, Member, aye and Mr. Nelson, Member, aye.

Mr. Dinger, Vice Chair motioned at 10:09 a.m. to come out of Executive Session. It was seconded by Mr. Birch, Member. The vote was: Mr. Marx, Chair, aye; Mr. Thomas, Member, aye; Ms. Garay, Member, aye; Ms. Geisel, Member, aye; Mr. Burrell, Member, aye and Mr. Nelson, Member, aye.

Board Business:

1.) **Certification Applications (Action Item)**

- Motion to deny Feb. 2026-2 Advance to Associate Level Adult Treatment Provider was made by Mr. Marx. Motion was seconded by Mr. Dinger and all members present voted aye. **Motion Carried.**

- Motion to deny Feb. 2026-3 Advance to Associate Level Juvenile Treatment Provider was made by Mr. Marx. Motion was seconded by Mr. Dinger and all members present voted aye. **Motion Carried.**

2.) **Renewal/Initial Application approvals.**

  1) Feb. 2026-1: Senior Level Polygraph Examiner

3.) **Meeting Minutes approval: February 27, 2026 (Action Item)**

- Motion to approve the February 27, 2026 minutes with corrections was made by Mr. Burrell. Motion seconded by Ms. Geisel and all members present voted aye. **Motion Carried.**

4.) **Future Meeting Dates. (Action Item)**

- Motion to approve future board meeting dates was made by Mr. Dinger. Motion seconded by Mr. Birch and all members present voted aye. **Motion Carried**

5.) **Chair/Vice-Chair Appointment (Action Item)**

- Motion to approve Brian Marx as Chair and John Dinger as Vice-Chair was made by Mr. Burrell. Motion seconded by Mr. Birch and all members present voted aye. **Motion Carried**

6.) **Budget (Action Item)**

  a. **COSOMB Annual Conference.** Ms. Volle gave a brief description of the conference.

- Motion to approve attendance of 4 Board members was made by Mr. Marx. Motion seconded by Mr. Dinger and all members present voted aye. **Motion Carried**

7.) Risk-based tiered registry discussion (Rep. Handy)

- Full discussion was postponed to June meeting when Mr. Handy can attend.
- Need to determine if Governor's office will need to sponsor.
- Mr. Birch, Mr. Thomas, Mr. Burrell and Mr. Dinger will sit on the tiered registry subcommittee.

8.) Subcommittee scheduling (review)

- Mr. Marx reviewed the SOMB Bylaws with the emphasis on the need for subcommittees to meet at least once a year.
- Mr. Nelson will chair the subcommittee to review the Polygraph Standards.
- Ms. Geisel will chair the subcommittee to review the Psychosexual Evaluator Standards,
- Mr. Hofkins will chair the subcommittee to review the Treatment Provider Standards.
- Community members are welcome to participate in the reviews.
- Reviews to be complete by August 2026 Board meeting.

Adjourned at 10:40 a.m.
Submitted by Jamie Lundy, SOMB AA2