

The Alabama State Board of Social Work Examiners

Board Meeting Minutes

May 28, 2026

The regular meeting of the Alabama State Board of Social Work Examiners was held on May 28th, 2026, at the Montgomery office. Board Chair, Dr. Sherrod, called the meeting to order at 10:02am.

There was a quorum of members present including:

District I representative Lori McKibben

District II representative Marcia Logel

District III representative

District IV representative Angela Bishop

District V representative Dr. Shalunda Allen-Sherrod

District VI representative Wendy Peek

District VII representative Alvin Reed

Unless otherwise specified, all votes were taken by verbal yes or no. Proper notice for the meeting was provided to the Secretary of State and posted on the Secretary of State website.

Approval of Minutes

The minutes of the March meeting were presented for review. A motion to accept the March minutes was made by Mr. Reed, seconded by Ms. Bishop. All moved in favor to approve the March minutes.

Old Board Business

- a. The director identified there are 14 open complaints at this time.
- b. Board reviewed the newly licensed social workers. Ms. Peek made a motion to accept all newly licensed social workers, seconded by Mr. Reed. All moved in favor to approve.

New Board Business

- A. Ms. Peek discussed the potential to allow LMSW's the opportunity to have a PIP. States that allow LMSW's to have a private practice are fewer than ten. It was noted that it does seem as though LMSW's are only pursuing their LICSW to be able to have a private

practice. The Board decided to table this idea until further information could be reviewed.

Requests

B. Williams request reconsideration of revoked license. A motion was made by Mr. Reed at 10:18am to go into execution session for fifteen minutes to discuss the request, seconded by Ms. Peek. All voted in favor. At 10:28 a motion was made by Ms. McKibben to extend the executive session for an additional 10 minutes, Ms. Logel seconded the motion. All voted in favor. At 10:38 a motion was made by Dr. Sherrod to extend the executive session an additional 10 minutes; Mr. Reed seconded the motion. All voted in favor. At 10:51am a motion was made by Dr. Sherrod to close the executive session, Ms. Logel seconded the motion. All voted in favor of closing the executive session.

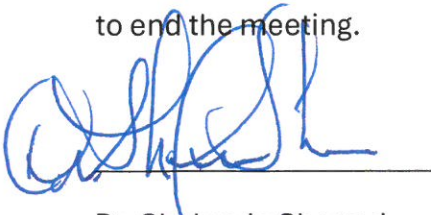
Once the regular meeting was resumed Dr. Sherrod made a motion to not approve the request at this time, but to wait until Ms. Williams pardon request had been granted. At that time, Ms. Williams could request in writing to be reconsidered for licensure. Ms. Bishop seconded the motion, and all voted in favor.

PIP Applications

The Board reviewed all PIP applications submitted. Ms. Peek made a motion to accept all PIP applications. Ms. Bishop seconded the motion. All voted in favor.

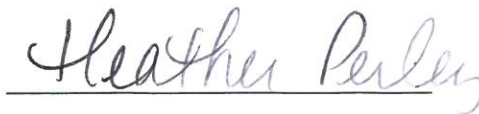
The date for the next board meeting was discussed, and the next meeting will be held July 15th, 2026 at 10:00am.

Ms. Peek motioned to close the meeting at 11:15am; Mr. Reed seconded the motion. All voted to end the meeting.



Dr. Shalunda Sherrod

Board Chair



Heather Perley

Secretary