

LIMITED PRACTICE BOARD
Meeting Minutes for August 12, 2025
In-Person Meeting
9:00 a.m.

LPB Members Present

- ☒ Angela Balconi
- ☒ Kim Chose
- ☐ Carla Higginson
- ☒ Jeff Leghorn
- ☒ Tom Peterson, Chair
- ☒ Nate Scott
- ☐ Lori Smith
- ☒ Ursula Jennings
- ☒ Lisa Hamilton

Liaisons and Staff Present

- ☒ Cathy Biestek, WSBA Staff Liaison
- ☐ Renata de Carvalho Garcia, RSD Director
- ☐ Bobby Henry, RSD Associate Director
- ☐ Todd Bloom, BOG Liaison
- ☐ Katherine Skinner, RSD Lead
- ☒ Anne Trent, RSD Paralegal

PUBLIC SESSION

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 9:14 a.m. The Chair confirmed that a quorum was present.

June 10, 2025, Meeting Minutes

The Limited Practice Board (Board) approved the June 10, 2025, meeting minutes.

LPB Nominations for FY2026

The Board voted to recommend that the Court appoint Angie Balconi as Chair for FY26.

The Board voted to recommend that the Court appoint Robert Sargeant to the open attorney member position beginning October 2025 (FY2026). Destinee Sanders, a member of the public with a real estate background was approved to serve as an alternate for the public-member position for FY26 in case a current public member serving on the LPB is unable to complete their term and steps down during this year.

FY2026 Meeting Schedule

The meeting schedule for FY26 was voted on and approved.

Study-Topics List Update

The revised Study Topics List was submitted to the court in July 2025 and is pending court approval.

Amendments to APR 15

An amendment to APR 15 was suggested to remove reference to LPOs in connection with CPF fees. It was noted that such an amendment may not be necessary.

Public Comments

None.



EXECUTIVE SESSION

Summer 2025 LPO Exam

The Board completed grading the Summer 2025 LPO Exam.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 10:54 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Cathy Biestek
WSBA Staff Liaison to the Limited Practice Board