

BEFORE THE OREGON MORTUARY AND CEMETERY BOARD

<p>In the Matter of the Funeral Establishment License of</p> <p>THREADGILL MEMORIAL SERVICES, LLC, OMCB LICENSE NO. FE-8747</p> <p style="text-align: center;">LICENSEE</p> <p>And</p> <p>In the Matter of the Funeral Service Practitioner License of</p> <p>RON L. THREADGILL, OMCB LICENSE NO. FS-0464</p> <p style="text-align: center;">LICENSEE</p> <p>And</p> <p>In the Matter of the Funeral Service Practitioner License of</p> <p>DEBORAH WARDROP-THREADGILL, OMCB LICENSE NO. FS-0543</p> <p style="text-align: center;">LICENSEE</p>	<p>CONSENT ORDER</p> <p>CASE NO. 14-1057A</p> <p>CASE NO. 14-1057B</p> <p>CASE NO. 14-1057C</p>
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The Oregon Mortuary and Cemetery Board (Board) initiated an investigation of Threadgill Memorial Services, LLC (TMS), OMCB License No. FE-8747; Ron L. Threadgill (Threadgill), OMCB License No. FS-0464; and Deborah Wardrop-Threadgill (Wardrop-Threadgill), OMCB License No. FS-0543, after it received a complaint regarding authorization of a cremation.

The Board finds it has grounds to issue a Notice of Proposed Disciplinary Action, upon which the parties would be provided with the opportunity to request a hearing. In lieu thereof, the parties wish to resolve this matter informally by entering into this Consent Order on the terms set forth below, pursuant to ORS 183.417(3).

The Board and TMS, Threadgill, and Wardrop-Threadgill agree to the following:

1. On or about August 1, 2013, TMS, Threadgill, and Wardrop-Threadgill failed to verify if a higher class of person with the right to control final disposition existed, and obtained written cremation authorization from a lower class of person with the right to control disposition which constitutes a failure to abide by the minimum standards of the Death Care Industry in violation of OAR 830-030-0090.

2. TMS, Threadgill and Wardrop-Threadgill did later become aware of living children, and did attempt to secure written authorization after the fact.
3. Violations of the Board’s rules are cause for disciplinary action under ORS 692.180(1)(g).
4. TMS, Threadgill, and Wardrop-Threadgill acknowledge that they have read, understand, and agree to the terms of this Consent Order.
5. TMS, Threadgill, and Wardrop-Threadgill understand that they have the right to a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedures Act (ORS Chapter 183), and hereby fully and finally waive any and all right to a hearing and any rights to appeal or otherwise challenge this Consent Order.
6. TMS, Threadgill, and Wardrop-Threadgill agree the Board may issue the Order set forth below.
7. This Consent Order is a public document.
8. This Consent Order shall be effective when signed by the Executive Director of the Board.

ORDER

The Board issues the following final order:

1. Threadgill Memorial Services, Ron Threadgill, and Deborah Wardrop-Threadgill are reprimanded for violation of OAR 830-030-0090.

It is so agreed.

DATE December 9 2014 _____ <signed> _____
 Authorized Representative of Threadgill Memorial
 Services, LLC

DATE December 9 2014 _____ <signed> _____
 Ron L. Threadgill

DATE December 9 2014 _____ <signed> _____
 Deborah Wardrop-Threadgill

DATED this 15 day of December 2014.

OREGON MORTUARY AND CEMETERY BOARD

By: <signed>

Michelle Gaines
 Executive Director