

Applicant Review Committee Minutes

March 24, 2021

The Applicant Review Committee of the Board on Public Safety Standards and Training held a regular meeting on March 24, 2021, at the Oregon Public Safety Academy in Salem, Oregon. Chair, Greg Martin called the meeting to order at 1:00 pm.

Committee Members:

Chris Davis, Portland Police Bureau; Police Policy Committee (Webex)
Mark Rauch, Public Member; Police Policy Committee (Webex)
Andre Lindauer, Public Member; Telecommunications Policy Committee (Webex)
Erica Stolhand, APCO; Telecommunications Policy Committee (Webex)
Greg Martin, DOC AOCE; Corrections Policy Committee
Rob Persson, DOC Superintendent; Corrections Policy Committee (Webex)

Committee Members Absent:

None

Guests:

None

DPSST Staff:

Marsha Morin, Criminal Justice Certification Program Manager
Wendy Nunez, Criminal Justice Office Specialist
Jordan James-Largent, Professional Standards Case Manager
Melissa Lang, Professional Standards Case Manager
Linsay Hale, Professional Standards Division Director/Interim Training Division Director (Webex)

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1. Introductions

Introductions of members, guest and staff were presented.

2. Approve February 24, 2021 Meeting Minutes

Mark Rauch moved to approve the minutes from the 2/24/2021 with minor changes, Applicant Review Committee meeting. Andre Lindauer seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

3. **Bolen, Bradley (61372) Application Review:**

Presented by Jordan James Largent

Reason for Discretionary Review

DPSST received an Application for Training (F5) and a Criminal History Reporting form (F28) for Bradley Bolen, where he disclosed a 4/3/15 criminal disposition for *Property-Malicious Injury to Property* and *Driving-Operating Vehicle Without Owner's Consent* in Payette, Idaho. On 11/8/14, Bolen, with others, took golf carts from a local golf course and caused significant damage to the golf carts and the golf course's grounds. Bolen admitted to *Property-Malicious Injury to Property* and *Driving-Operating Vehicle Without Owner's Consent* and both were dismissed as a result of completing a juvenile Informal Adjustment. Bolen also disclosed a 2020 disposition of *Vehicle-Windshield Tint Violation* that was a non-criminal infraction that does not require review.

Staff determined that Bolen's actions related to the golf cart and his subsequent untruthfulness to the officer violates the Board's pre-employment moral fitness standards.

| <i>Applicant Review Committee Discussion/Vote</i> | <i>Second</i> | <i>Vote</i> | <i>Outcome</i> |
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| Option 1: March Rauch moved that the Applicant Review Committee adopt the staff report. | Chris Davis | 6 ayes; 0 nays. | Motion Passed Unanimously |
| <p>The committee discussed the moral fitness violation and identified the following aggravating and mitigating factors specific to this case:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Aggravating<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Bolen attempted to minimize his behavior on F28 by only reporting "Joy Riding".○ Bolen intentionally damaged the golf cart by kicking the window and attempting to remove the governor.○ The officer noted in their report, that Bolen "smirked" during the interview.○ Of the three involved in the incident that were interviewed, Bolen was not forthcoming and was caught in multiple lies.• Mitigating<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Bolen has obtained a degree in Criminal Justice.○ The time that has passed since the incident and his age at the time.○ Bolen paid the ordered restitution.○ Bolen was not employed at the time of the criminal disposition.○ Bolen has been hired by the Department of Corrections, who is aware of the criminal disposition. | | | |
| Mark Rauch moved, after considering the identified violations of the Board's moral fitness | Rob Persson | 6 ayes; 0 nays. | Motion Passed Unanimously |

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| standard and weighing the aggravating and mitigating circumstances unique to this case that no action should be taken against Bolen's application for training and subsequent certification. | | | |
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4. Inquiry Closure – Information Only

Presented by Jordan James Largent

DPSST presented the list of applicants for public safety training/certification who had engaged in pre-employment criminal conduct that was determined to not require committee review. This information was presented as information only and required no action by the committee

5. Next Applicant Policy Committee Meeting: April 28, 2021 at 1:00 p.m.

Administrative Notes:

These minutes reflect the order of the discussion/voting items as they appear on the official meeting agenda. The actual order in which they were discussed may vary.

All documents reviewed and discussed in this meeting are subject to Oregon Public Records Law (ORS 192.410 to ORS 192.505). These documents can be requested by contacting DPSST at dpsst.records@state.or.us.