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### MINUTES

DATE/TIME: July 24, 2024 9:30 a.m.

PRESENT: Mel Baher, President  
James Riley, Vice President  
Frank Pocci, Secretary  
Lenon Wright, Commissioner  
Feronne Williams, Deputy Director  
Mary Kitko, Executive Secretary

EXCUSED: Bob Potts, Commissioner  
Jon Reiss, Executive Director

VISITORS: None.

PURPOSE: TO DISCUSS LEVEL III BOARD APPEALS

President Mel Baher opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance and stated that the Board would be hearing two (2) client appeals today. Secretary Frank Pocci called roll.

A motion was made by Frank Pocci to go into Executive Session to discuss a client cases and appeals. Motion seconded by Jim Riley.

AYES: Baher, Pocci, Riley, Wright. NAYS: None. Motion carried. (9:31 a.m.)

The Board came out of Executive Session and returned to the regular order of business at 11:20 a.m.

The votes for further assistance, recorded by the Secretary, of the client appeals that were discussed in Executive Session, are attached. The Deputy Director was instructed on how to proceed.

With no further business, a motion was made by Jim Riley to adjourn the meeting at 11:21 a.m. Motion seconded by Lenon Wright. Discussion: None.

AYES: Baher, Pocci, Riley, Wright. NAYS: None. Motion carried.



Mel Baher, President



Frank Pocci, Secretary