

Survey Committee Meeting

December 7, 2022

9:00 AM

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In person:

Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors
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Shanan Gillespie, Regulatory Program Manager
Vonna Cramer, Licensing Lead
Mackenzie Wherrett, Executive Assistant
Elizabeth Lagerberg, Advising AAG

Discussion Topics

- Review/discussion: WAC 196-29 *Professional practices*
- NCEES PLS exam EPS request
- Review 2-year LS programs in Washington
- Review of strategic planning items
- Review of previous action items

Strategic Planning Items

- Determine the pathways to state specific PLS exam
- Work with DNR on the Survey Recording Act and associated WACs to determine our regulatory direction for “intelligent interpretation” and other items

Previous Action Items

10/15/2020 (In progress)

Meet with DNR regarding issues affecting the investigation process.

- Wengler, Blaisdell, Larson

4/21/2021 (in progress)

Provide summary of what has worked and what hasn't worked during the last few state specific exams, e.g. COVID-19 impacts, security of exams, and grading.

- Staff