Maryland State Veterinary Board
Veterinary Technician Committee Meeting
June 11th, 2026

Attendance: Jessica Lorey, RVT, Committee Chair; Erin Butler, RVT; Reggie Cox, DVM; Ashley Thomas, RVT
Staff: Nathaniel Boan, Executive Director; Tonya Kendrick-Green, Licensing Administrator; Cynthia Spirt, Assistant Attorney General

Call Meeting to Order:
Jessica Lorey was able to be present but not able to run the meeting. Jessica Lorey asked Nathaniel Boan to run the meeting in her stead.
Nathaniel Boan called the meeting to order at 7:05pm.

Approval of the Minutes:

- In a motion by Dr. Cox, and seconded by Ms. Butler, the Committee voted unanimously to approve the minutes of the May 14th, 2026 meeting of the Veterinary Technician Committee.

Applications for Review:

- **VTNE Applications:**
    - In a motion by Ms. Thomas, and seconded by Dr. Cox, the Committee voted unanimously to approve the following application(s) to take the VTNE:
        - Lauren Georgius
            - Advanced Biology courses accepted for the BIO I & II requirements.

- **Veterinary Technician Applications:**
    - In a motion by Ms. Thomas, and Seconded by Ms. Butler, the Committee voted unanimously to approve the application following application(s) to become Registered Veterinary Technicians.
        - Emma Keller
            - Endorsement Pathway
        - Kerri Quelle
            - Endorsement Pathway
            - School was accredited at the time that she graduated in 2015.

- **Tabled Applications:**
    - In a motion by Ms. Butler, and seconded by Ms. Thomas, the Committee voted unanimously to approve the following application(s) that had been tabled from previous meetings:
        - Michelle Markward
            - Provided updated substantiation of hours worked from each location signed by the supervising veterinarians.

Updates on past applications:

- Lisa Henry Update:
    - The Committee reviewed the additional transcripts showing the grades of the missing courses and the recently passed Microbiology course.
    - The Committee determined that her application can be approved upon receipt of the application and her updated VTNE scores.

- Larraine Lage
    - Was informed that they needed to retake the VTNE.

- Emilee St. Landau
    - Advised that she will need to retake the VTNE.
    - Spoke with her about her business and the limitations in Maryland. At this point she is doing grooming and nail trims only.

- Emery Garner
    - Board approved the SCRA pathway for technicians. I have provided her with the application for SCRA license recognition.

- Katelyn Goodman
    - Erin Butler gave an update on this applicant who was seeking to take the VTNE. A colleague at CCBC had reached out to the Board about being unable to get answers. Emails were reviewed showing that she had been informed that she needed a Biology II course.

Other Business:

- Update on the status of the VTC Membership recruitment.
    - 14 Applications received. (11 Techs, 3 Vets) Will be posted for review at the July Meeting.
    - Apps open until June 30th.

Motion to Adjourn:

- In a motion by Dr. Cox, and seconded by Ms. Thomas, the Committee voted unanimously to adjourn the meeting at 7:36pm.