



Meeting Minutes
April 22, 2026
Hybrid In-Person/Remote Meeting
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Practice of Law Board Members in Attendance:

- ☒ Lesli Ashley, Chair
- ☒ John Dirgo Deweese
- ☒ Rory Hardy
- ☐ Cindy Kim
- ☐ Melissa Kover
- ☐ Ellen Reed

- ☐ Ronald Satterthwaite
- ☒ Craig Shank
- ☐ Leah Snyder
- ☐ Murugeshwari Subramanian
- ☒ Michael Terasaki
- ☐ Aaron Vanderpol
- ☐ Shainna Xi

Liaisons in Attendance:

- ☒ Bobby Henry, WSBA Staff Liaison
- ☒ Kevin Fay, BOG Liaison

Other WSBA Staff in Attendance:

- ☐ Renata de Carvalho Garcia, Chief Regulatory Counsel
- ☒ Anne Trent, RSD Paralegal
- ☐ Cathy Biestek, Managing Regulatory Counsel
- ☐ Terra Nevitt, Executive Director

PUBLIC SESSION

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 1:00 p.m. by Chair Lesli Ashley.

Meeting Minutes for Approval

The March 18, 2026 meeting minutes were approved.

Entity Regulation Application Committee

The Entity Regulation Application Committee recommended the approval of the Law on Call, Inc. application as set forth in the proposed order in the meeting materials. The Board heard public comment and approved the application for consideration by the Washington Supreme Court.

The Committee reported that it is reviewing an application from Wrk Legal, LLC.

GR 25 Board Duties and Legal Technology Subcommittee

The Supreme Court asked the Board to examine its potential role in possibly overseeing the use of legal technology in the legal profession as was recommended by the WSBA's Legal Technology Task Force. The GR25 committee met and discussed what that role could look like. The subcommittee will consult with WSBA staff and gather additional information.

Unauthorized Practice of Law Complaints Summary

The Board reviewed a summary of UPL complaints received and referred.

POLB Press, Update, & Information Sheet

Board members reviewed recent articles and upcoming events.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at approximately 2:00 p.m.