

February 24th, 2022 ND Board of Barber Examiners Meeting

The Board met via telephone conference on February 24th, 2022 at 8:13pm to discuss website development. Present were Matt Ellerkamp (President), Trevor Thompson (Vice President), and Ashley Johnson (Sec./Treasurer).

Matt Ellerkamp made a motion to begin the meeting and Trevor Thompson seconded.

The board received a new bid from Pro-Tech services adding a portal to the new Barber Board website. The new website still is waiting to be okayed by the board pending further questions about adding the portal. The portal would be used for online submissions made to the board for license renewals, barber board forms, and current license holders' data.

The new bid which includes the new website and portal is estimated to cost \$9,800. The Board feels that the cost is too steep. Matt asked to make more inquiries to other entities that have used portals on their websites. Matt agreed to contact the cosmetology board about their startup cost. Trevor agreed to reach out the owners of Dakota Barber Academy. Ashley was going to get in touch with Tim from Pro-Tech services to discuss the new bid and other questions the board has with the website and portal.

The Board agreed that the website portion needs to move ahead hopefully after meeting with Pro-Tech the new website could begin development.

Matt made a motion to move ahead with these decisions and meet up again in March to further discuss possible ideas for the portal. Trevor seconded and the motion passed.

Matt made the motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:34pm. Ashley seconded meeting was adjourned.