

MILITARY AND VETERANS LAW SECTION

JUNE 2022 MEETING MINUTES

The JUNE 2022 meeting of the Military and Veterans Law Section was held at 12:00 P.M. on June 21, 2022, by Zoom Video Conference with virtual attendance by the Oregon State Bar Center in Tigard, Oregon. In attendance at the meeting was:

In Person	By Zoom	Unable to Attend	Position	Name
	*		Chairperson	Ms. Leah Eccles Watson
			Past Chair	Mr. Michael Hajarizadeh
			Chair-Elect	Ryan Adams
	*		Secretary	Ms. Leslie A. Nelson
			Treasurer	Mr. Ross Neher
	*		Member-At-Large and CLE Committee Chair	Ms. Tracy E. Connor
			Member-At-Large and Legislative Committee Chair	Mr. Trevor R. Caldwell
			Member-At-Large	Ms. Rowan C. Hardenbrook
			Member-At-Large	
			Member-At-Large	Mr. Daniel O. Schmidt
	*		Member-At-Large	Mr. Joel W. Stevens
	*			<i>Bik Na Han</i>
				Josh Yanov
			Advisory Member	Mr. Jesse Wm Barton
	*		Advisory Member	Mr. Mark John Holady
			Advisory Member	Mr. James 'Jim' Gordon Rice
			Advisory Member	Mr. Wesley A. Hill
			Law School Liaison	
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			Bar Liaison	Ms. Natalie Batiste
	*		Bar Liaison	Mr. Troy J. Wood
			BOG Representative	

Opening Remarks: Briefed by Chairperson, Leah Watson

- Welcome

Roll of Attendees: Brief by Secretary, Leslie Nelson

- 7 people in attendance by mid-meeting to include 5 voting members and 1 OSB Liaison.
- Minutes for May of 2022 were approved unanimously.

Standing Committee Reports:

Membership Report: No report on this today, but we do not expect any big changes.

CLE & Events: Briefed by Leslie

We are working on a date for September and a date for October for CLEs.

Trevor – has volunteered to do a Veteran’s Choice CLE in September. Follow up with Trevor on this.

Family law CLE – still in the works and October 4th is tentatively set as the date.

Social event shooting for September.

Website: Minutes have been uploaded.

Legislative /Update: Trevor out for this meeting. Will bring this issue up next month.

Law School Representatives:

- None present to brief for the schools
 - University of Oregon Law
 - Willamette Law
 - Lewis & Clark Law

New Business/Announcements:

Discussion of ideas for including students and others to our group.

Stand Down Multnomah County – September 9th. Volunteers needed.

Discussed possibility of changing the time for this meeting to increase attendance and a google poll will be sent out to the group.

Closing Remarks: Briefed by Leah

- Thank you all for attending
- Next meeting is July 19th time to be determined, via Zoom

Wrap-Up/Adjourn

- Meeting adjourned at 12:32 pm