

Minutes of the January 20, 2026

Board of Athletic Training

Emergency Virtual Meeting

1. Roll Call

Jessica Roberts, Chair called the emergency meeting of the Board of Athletic Training to order at 4:03 pm. on January 20, 2026, in the Morrell Conference Room at the Nebraska State Office Building located at 301 Centennial Mall South, Lincoln, Nebraska. In accordance with Neb. Rev. Stat. § 84-1411 of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act, copies of the agenda were e-mailed to the Board members and other interested parties, posted on the DHHS website at <https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Agendas-and-Minutes.aspx>, and posted in the Nebraska State Office Building East Vestibule on January 15, 2026.

Wyrens announced that this is an open meeting, and the Open Meetings Act is posted.

Members Present: The following members answered roll call:

Jessica Roberts, MS Ed, ATC, Board Chair (via Webex)
Jennifer Krueger, MA, LAT, ATC, Board Secretary (via Webex)
Denise Marshall, MA, ATC, LAT (via Webex)
Vanetta Early, BA, MAL (via phone)

Staff Present:

Claire Covert-ByBee, DHHS Program Manager (via Webex)
Kim Hitzel, DHHS Health Licensing Coordinator
Marley Sandberg, DHHS Attorney (via Webex)
Abigail Nissen (via Webex)

2. Adoption of Agenda

Motion: Marshall moved, seconded by Krueger to adopt the agenda. Voting aye: Krueger, Early, Marshall, and Roberts. Voting nay: none. Motion carried.

3. LB 736- Athletic Trainer Compact

The Board had discussion about LB 736.

Motion made by Marshall, seconded by Krueger for Jennifer Krueger to craft a letter from the Board of Athletic Training in support of LB 736. Voting aye: Krueger, Early, Marshall, and Roberts. Voting nay: None. Motion carried.

4. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 4:50 pm. The next meeting will be held virtually January 27, 2026, at 9:00 am.

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