

TALBOT COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTRICAL EXAMINERS
Minutes of the March 20, 2025 Monthly Meeting
215 Bay Street, Easton, MD Suite 1-Conference Room 1 at 1pm

Attendees

Chris Kleppinger – Chair
Tim Fluharty – Vice Chair
Bob Jump – Secretary
Don Ewing -Member

Grace Davis-Note taker
Olman Lopez – Guest

Meeting was called to order at 1:00 p.m. by Mr. Chris Kleppinger.

OLD BUSINESS

- Change of Contractor policy
- Board Vacancy

NEW BUSINESS

Minutes from the February meeting were read by all. A motion was made to accept the minutes. All were in favor.

Discussed old business. Joe Nordike's appointment to the Board had not been completed at the time of this meeting. Grace will follow up with Joe's application.

Olman Lopez of Velocity Electric was invited to join the meeting to discuss his business, Velocity Electric, and whether he is licensed to work as an electrician. Mr. Lopez is currently an apprentice and has been advertising electrical work on social media. He did not have a Master's license or Journeyman license issued by the State of Maryland nor is a journeyman employed by his company or even present on job sites where Mr. Lopez is working. Mr. Lopez maintains that he has not done any electrical work in Talbot County but has worked in surrounding Eastern Shore counties and has had his work inspected. He offered the Board a copy of an Operating Agreement between himself and Andreous Thomas, who holds a State of Maryland Master's license but was not registered with our County at the time of this meeting. As a result of this meeting, a complaint was filed by the Board to the State of Maryland. Mr. Thomas' application for registration, which includes the name Dreams Electric, is on hold pending the results of the complaint filed with the State Board.

Applications for limited licenses and master electrical registrations were reviewed.

A motion was made to adjourn and the motion was seconded. All were in favor. The meeting was adjourned at approximately 2:32 pm.

Next meeting will take place on April 17, 2025 at 1:00 pm in Conference Room 1.