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# POST Board Meeting Agenda

*Friday, March 11, 2022*

**SME Committee Meetings: 8:00 am – 10:00 am**

**Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST) Board Meeting:  
10:00 am - 12:00 pm**

**Board Members**  
**Philip J. Weiser**  
Attorney General  
*Chair*  
**Sheriff Anthony Spurlock**  
*Douglas County  
Vice Chair*  
**Donald Addy**  
*Public Member*  
**Sr. Investigator Tonya Barnes**  
*Eighteenth Judicial District*  
**Ashley Beck**  
*Public Member*  
**Chief Gregory Daly**  
*Town of Avon*  
**Laura Daniels**  
*Public Member*  
**Chief George Dingfelder**  
*City of Monte Vista*  
**Officer Rachel Esters**  
*City of Ouray*  
**Sharletta Evans**  
*Public Member*  
**Chief Debra Funston**  
*Town of Palisade*  
**Chief Terrence Gordon**  
*City of Thornton*  
**Executive Director Stan Hilkey**  
*Department of Public Safety*  
**Sheriff Robert Jackson**  
*Alamosa County*  
**Scott Levin**  
*Public Member*  
**Deputy Shannon Lofland**  
*Arapahoe County*  
**Sheriff David Martin**  
*Morgan County*  
**Sheriff Anthony Mazzola**  
*Rio Blanco County*  
**Chief John Minor**  
*Town of Silverthorne*  
**Sheriff Shawn Mobley**  
*Otero County*  
**Chief Clinton Nichols**  
*City of Commerce City*  
**Sheriff Steve Nowlin**  
*Montezuma County*  
**Special Agent in Charge Michael Schneider**  
*Federal Bureau of Investigation*  
**Councilmember Wayne Williams**  
*City of Colorado Springs*

1. **Welcome** Attorney General Phil Weiser
2. **Pledge of Allegiance** Attorney General Phil Weiser
3. **Introduction of Board Members, SME Members, Staff and Guests**
4. **In memoriam of Dan Griffin** Attorney General Phil Weiser
5. **Roll Call** Director Erik Bourgerie
6. **Approval of Minutes From December 3, 2021** Attorney General Phil Weiser
7. **Subject Matter Expert Committee Reports**
  - a. **Arrest Control** Sergeant Ike Beers  
Chair
  - b. **Curriculum** Janet Larson  
Chair
    - Recommended Revision  
(See supplemental materials)
  - c. **Driving** Commander Karl Smalley  
Chair
  - d. **Firearms** Div. Chief Paul Gregory  
Chair

**POST Director**  
**Erik J. Bourgerie**

8. **Peace Officer Certification  
Revocation Actions**  
*(See supplemental materials)*

Director Erik Bourgerie

**POST Rule 9 - Revocation of Peace Officer Certifications:** Pursuant to § 24-31-305(2)(a), C.R.S., a Colorado peace officer certification issued pursuant to subsection (1) or (1.3) of this section or 24-31-308 shall be suspended or revoked by the POST Board if the certificate holder has been convicted of a felony at any time, or has been convicted on or after July 1, 2001, of any misdemeanor described in subsection (1.5) of § 24-31-305, C.R.S. A Colorado peace officer certification may also be suspended or revoked if pursuant to § 24-31-305(2.5), C.R.S., a law enforcement agency has found, by clear and convincing evidence, that the certificate holder has knowingly made an untruthful statement concerning a material fact while testifying under oath, or during an internal affairs investigation or comparable administrative investigation; or knowingly omitted a material fact on an official criminal justice record, or has otherwise failed to meet the certification requirements established by the Board. A Colorado peace officer certification may also be surrendered pursuant to § 24-31-305. For purposes of this Rule 9, a deferred judgment and sentencing agreement, deferred prosecution agreement, or pretrial diversion agreement concerning a felony or any misdemeanor described in (1.5) of § 24-31-305, whether pending or successfully completed, also support the suspension or revocation of a Colorado peace officer certification.

*The certificate holders in the following matters did **not** appear at the show cause hearing or indicate any intent to oppose the revocation. Unless any member objects and asks to consider one or all of these matters separately, they will all be presented to this Board as a group.*

Felony Convictions:

1. No. F21-08, Christopher Ramirez, Certification PID CO-7083-2284. On September 7, 2021, Respondent was sentenced after pleading guilty to one count of §18-4-502, First Degree Criminal Trespass, a felony, in Case No. 20CR146 in the District Court of Otero County. *The respondent was not employed as a peace officer on the date of the offense (Date of Offense: August 30, 2020).* The respondent has not complied with POST Show Cause Order No. F21-08 by failing to appear at the scheduled Show Cause Hearing on December 14, 2021. POST Director Erik J. Bourgerie recommends revocation of Christopher Ramirez's Colorado Peace Officer Certification, PID CO-7083-2284.
2. No. F21-09, Crystal Eileen Velasquez, Certification PID CO-2473-4935. On September 27, 2021, Respondent was sentenced after pleading guilty to one count of §18-8-112, Impersonating a Peace Officer, a felony, and one

- count of §18-9-111(1)(a), Harassment-Strike/Shove/Kick in Case No. 20CR126 in the District Court of Clear Creek County. *The respondent was not employed as a peace officer on the date of the offense (Date of Offense: October 24, 2020).* The respondent has not complied with POST Show Cause Order No. F21-09 by failing to appear at the scheduled Show Cause Hearing on December 14, 2021. POST Director Erik J. Bourgerie recommends revocation of Crystal Eileen Velasquez's Colorado Peace Officer Certification, PID CO-2473-4935.
3. No. F21-10, Thomas George Mohan, Certification PID CO-129150. On September 29, 2021, Respondent was sentenced after pleading guilty to one count of §18-3-203(1)(c), (2)(a), Assault 2, a felony, in Case No. 21CR329 in the District Court of Larimer County. *The respondent was employed as a peace officer on the date of the offense (Date of Offense: February 20, 2021, Division of Revenue – Marijuana, Separated September 7, 2021).* The respondent has not complied with POST Show Cause Order No. F21-10 by failing to appear at the scheduled Show Cause Hearing on December 14, 2021. POST Director Erik J. Bourgerie recommends revocation of Thomas George Mohan's Colorado Peace Officer Certification, PID CO-129150.
  4. No. F21-12, Adam Christopher Lunn, Certification PID CO-5389-5285. On November 4, 2021, Respondent was sentenced after being found guilty of one count of §18-3-104(1)(a), Manslaughter-Reckless, a class 5 felony, in Case No. 19CR232 in the District Court of Boulder County. *The respondent was employed as a peace officer on the date of the offense (Date of Offense: September 9, 2018, Boulder County Sheriff's Office, Separated February 25, 2019).* The respondent has not complied with POST Show Cause Order No. F21-12 by failing to appear at the scheduled Show Cause Hearing on January 18, 2022. POST Director Erik J. Bourgerie recommends revocation of Adam Christopher Lunn's Colorado Peace Officer Certification, PID CO-5389-5285.
  5. No. F21-13, James E. O'Brien, Certification PID CO-114069. On November 4, 2021, Respondent was sentenced after being found guilty of one count of §18-3-104(1)(a), Manslaughter-Reckless, a class 5 felony, in Case No. 19CR234 in the District Court of Boulder County. *The respondent was employed as a peace officer on the date of the offense (Date of Offense: September 9, 2018, Boulder County Sheriff's Office, Separated February 25, 2019).* The respondent has not complied with POST Show Cause Order No. F21-13 by failing to appear at the scheduled Show Cause Hearing on January 20, 2022. POST Director Erik J. Bourgerie recommends revocation of James E. O'Brien's Colorado Peace Officer Certification, PID CO-114069.

Misdemeanor Convictions:

1. No. M21-08, Kent Everett Eddy, Certification PID CO-135107. On June 1, 2021, Respondent was sentenced after pleading guilty to one count of §18-9-111(1)(a) Harassment - strike/shove/kick, a misdemeanor, in Case No. 21M189 in the County Court of Montrose County. *The respondent was employed as a peace officer on the date of the offense (Date of Offense: February 27, 2021, Delta County Sheriff's Office, Separated March 3, 2021).* The respondent has not complied with POST Show Cause Order No. M21-08 by failing to appear at the scheduled Show Cause Hearing on August 17, 2021. POST Director Erik J. Bourgerie recommends revocation of Kent Everett Eddy's Colorado Peace Officer Certification, PID CO-135107.
2. No. M21-09, Amanda Marie Martinez, Certification PID CO-134010. On April 14, 2021, Respondent was granted a deferred sentence after pleading guilty to one count of §18-3-204(1)(a) Assault 3 – know/reckless Cause Injury, a misdemeanor, in Case No. 20CR6476 in the County Court of El Paso County. *The respondent was not employed as a peace officer on the date of the offense (Date of Offense: November 19, 2020).* The respondent has not complied with POST Show Cause Order No. M21-09 by failing to appear at the scheduled Show Cause Hearing on August 18, 2021. POST Director Erik J. Bourgerie recommends revocation of Amanda Marie Martinez' Colorado Peace Officer Certification, PID CO-134010.

Untruthfulness:

1. No. U21-25, Robert Paul Lyons, Certification (PID CO-6055-8838). On November 18, 2021, Aurora Police Department notified Colorado Peace Officer Standards & Training that the Respondent knowingly made an untruthful statement concerning a material fact or omitted a material fact during an internal affairs investigation and during an administrative investigation and/or disciplinary process on September 14, 2020 (Date of Separation: February 17, 2021). The respondent did not request a Show Cause Hearing regarding this matter. POST Director Erik J. Bourgerie recommends revocation of Robert Paul Lyons' Colorado Peace Officer Certification (PID CO-6055-8838).

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| 9.  | <b>Vice Chair Selection</b>                       | Attorney General Weiser                               |
| 10. | <b>Grants Subcommittee Opening</b>                | Grants Mgr. Kim Hernandez                             |
| 11. | <b>Rulemaking</b><br>(See supplemental materials) | Director Erik Bourgerie<br>Board Counsel Jody Haskins |

12. **Commission on Improving First Responder Interactions With Persons With Disabilities Recommendations**  
*(See supplemental materials)* Deputy Chris Smith
13. **Appeal Subcommittee Findings: Damien Esparza Joshua Wood**  
*(See supplemental materials)* Chief George Dingfelder
14. **SME Member Policy Update**  
*(See supplemental materials)* Compliance Mgr. Cathy Rodriguez
15. **Grant Plaque Samples** Grants Mgr. Kim Hernandez
16. **Academy Review Policy**  
*(See supplemental materials)* Sheriff Tony Spurlock  
Compliance Mgr. Cathy Rodriguez
17. **Approval of 2023 Meeting Dates** Director Erik Bourgerie  
  
March 9 Work Session  
March 10 Board Meeting  
June 2 Board Meeting  
September 7 Work Session  
September 8 Board Meeting  
December 1 Board Meeting
18. **Comments From Others on POST Issues**
19. **Executive Session** Attorney General Phil Weiser  
*(Legal advice and discussion on statutory authority related to use of safety patrol officers)*  
*(Legal advice on active criminal investigation)*  
*(Legal advice on pattern and practice investigation)*
20. **Adjournment** Attorney General Phil Weiser

**Next POST Board Meeting**

Friday, June 3, 2022

*SME Meetings – 8 a.m. to 10 a.m.*  
*POST Board Meeting – 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.*