



WEST VIRGINIA STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR FORESTERS

The WV Board of Registration for Foresters met March 3, 2023 via Zoom to discuss the per diem paid to James Schuler, proctor of the bi-annual exam. Those in attendance were Chad Westfall, Dave McGill, Denzil Linton, Jr., Todd Lotter and clerical support Hope Pulliam. Dan Hackett was absent for this discussion.

The meeting was called to order by President Chad Westfall at 8:05 am.

President Chad Westfall asked Dave McGill to give a synopsis of why we needed this meeting. Dave McGill then referred to clerical support Hope Pulliam to address the board.

Hope Pulliam explained that pre-covid, the board would hire a proctor from the schools to attend the meeting and provide all documents to them for the participants and supplies to mail back to the board for grading. This person was paid \$150.00 for this service. Since covid, the board has opted to hire someone to proctor/grade exam. This person is Jamie Schuler. Jamie inherited the \$150.00 rate, but with the WV-48, no other expenses can be reimbursed, such as travel & postage.

The board discussed a new rate for the proctor. President Chad Westfall proposed a \$500.00 per exam rate. Todd Lotter made the motion to pay Jamie Schuler \$500.00 per exam. Denzil Linton seconded. Motion carried.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:16 am.