Commission Meeting Date and Location: June 16, 2021, Microsoft Teams Live Event (Virtual)

Commission Members Present: Mr. Randy McPeek, Mr. Terry Myer, Mr. Mike Staley, Mr. Anthony Macisco, Ms. Angela Snyder, Mr. Ryan Chapman for Mr. Richard Fambro, Mr. Dean Boerger, Mr. Jay Beighley, Mr. Ronald Clark

Commission Members Absent: Mr. Thomas Stickrath, Mr. Mark Wasylyshyn, Mr. Brian Simms

Also Attending: Ashleigh Henry, Molly Seitz, Christy Clark, James Borntrager, Aleta Dodson, Dustyn Fox

Public Attending: N/A

Chair Boerger called the meeting to order at 1:01 P.M.

ROLL CALL:
Mr. Beighley Here
Mr. Boerger Here
Mr. Clark Here
Mr. Macisco Here
Mr. McPeek Here
Mr. Myer Here
Mr. Simms
Ms. Snyder Here
Mr. Staley Here
Mr. Stickrath
Mr. Chapman for Mr. Fambro Here
Mr. Wasylyshyn

A quorum was present to conduct business.

Chair Boerger asked the Commission to review last meeting’s minutes.

ACTION: Motion to approve the Minutes from the May 19, 2021, meeting. Myer first. McPeek second. None opposed. Motion passed.

OHS/PISGS Updates
Ms. Dodson reported out for the Licensing & Registration Unit. Ms. Dodson stated the Licensing & Registration Unit are still receiving license renewal application due to the extended deadline provided by HB 404. The extension remains in effect until July 1, 2021. Ms. Dodson also stated that there are still over 200 licensees that have yet to renew. She mentioned that a mass email went out to the industry reminding licensees that they need to renew their license before the extension deadline. Ms. Dodson also mentioned that the Licensing & Registration Unit has recently begun printing plastic ID cards again.

Mr. Myer requested that PISGS consider a temporary permit for those waiting on their FAB cards. He mentioned that he had received a call from a QA that had concerns over the wait time. Ms. Clark explained that the wait time is typically due to the BCI/FBI results. Until those results come in, PISGS cannot legally issue an ID card and the guard cannot carry a firearm. Ms. Clark also mentioned that BCI recently got a new system, which has caused significant delays in results for many applicants.

Mr. Borntrager stated that the Enforcement Unit has 27 ongoing cases, 21 administrative and 6 criminal. Mr. Borntrager mentioned that the Enforcement Unit has been reaching out to venues and event planners to determine their security contractors and educate them on licensing and registration. Chair Boerger mentioned
that he had heard of some individuals taking the 20-hour Security course and taking the certificate to bars and clubs to gain security contracts without a proper license. He expressed his concern over this issue and asked whether PISGS could reach out to businesses in Ohio with liquor licenses in order to provide education about licensing and registration requirements. Ms. Clark stated that PISGS does outreach to bars and clubs in order provide education about private security. She also mentioned that they work closely with the Ohio Investigative Unit to the same end.

**Roundtable**

Mr. Myer stated that there are currently two vacant positions on the Commission. One is a position for police chief for which DPS has found a replacement. The other position is for a Class A, B, or C, and Mr. Myer asked that if the Commission knew of anyone who would be interested to pass their information along to Ms. Seitz.

Mr. Myer mentioned that he wanted to further discuss the Sheriff's Office taking over the FAB process and was hoping that Mr. Wasylyshyn would be on the meeting this month to help facilitate. He also mentioned that he would send over the questions from the Sheriff's Office for PISGS to answer in order to move forward with the issue.

Ms. Henry asked whether there would be another FAB Committee meeting or if this issue was being brought to the OPISSC as a whole. Ms. Snyder stated that she believed another FAB Committee meeting would be beneficial. She mentioned that she hoped Mr. Wasylyshyn would be able to join in order to outline which part of the FAB processes the Sheriff’s Office are planning to take over from PISGS. Mr. Myer agreed that another meeting would be helpful and hoped to hear more from Mr. Wasylyshyn in order to move forward with setting a date.

Chair Boerger mentioned that he had a networking opportunity that he wanted to share with the Commission in case anyone was interested. Chair Boerger stated that he is the Regional Vice President for ASIS, which is an international security organization and they are holding a law enforcement appreciation lunch at the Scioto Country Club in October. He wanted to invite any Commission members as a way to network and foster a relationship with local law enforcement.

Chair Boerger also mentioned that he had an idea to create or find some short training videos to share with the industry. He stated that he believed this would be beneficial because many registrants do not get much, if any, training when they are hired on to a company. He thinks this could be a good way to provide registrants with some basic information (i.e. how to operate a fire extinguisher). Ms. Clark mentioned that the Commission has a Training Committee and it may be a good opportunity for them to get together and create something like this. Chair Boerger stated that he would be looking for volunteers for the Training Committee and asked members to reach out to him if they were interested.

Mr. McPeek asked when we would be able to meet in person. Ms. Seitz responded that the next meeting, scheduled for July 21, 2021, would be able to be in person.

**ACTION: Motion to adjourn.** Myer first. Snyder second. None opposed. Motion passed. The meeting adjourned at 1:40 P.M.