



LAW ENFORCEMENT CERTIFICATION BOARD

AUGUST BOARD MEETING AGENDA

DATE: Thursday, August 13, 2026

TIME: 9:00 AM

LOCATION: NMLEA

4491 Cerrillos Rd., Santa Fe, N.M. 87507

Zoom Link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82399916524?pwd=dxalFw3KsqvHiv8BcTb1JWQIOJCyba.1>

Meeting ID: 823 9991 6524 Passcode: 061351

The Law Enforcement Certification Board ("Board") reserves the right to enter into closed session during the meeting pursuant to an appropriate exception under NMSA 1978, Section 10-15-1(H). Pursuant to Section 10-15-1(I), the closure shall be approved by a majority vote of a quorum of the Board; the motion shall state with reasonable specificity the authority under which a closed discussion is permitted; and the vote shall be taken by roll call. Any closed session is limited to discussing the matter(s) identified in the motion, and any final action shall be taken on the record upon returning to open session.

I. Call to Order:

- A. Roll call
- B. Approval of agenda
- C. Approval of minutes of June 11, 2026, Regular Meeting
- D. Approval of minutes of July 16, 2026, Special Meeting

Public Comment

The Board shall receive public comments from those attending in person or virtually. The time afforded for each person wishing to speak is limited to three (3) minutes. Members may ask questions for clarification but may not engage in substantive discussion or take formal action unless noticed in the meeting agenda. Comments may be taken under advisement and placed on a future agenda for discussion and/or action at the discretion of the Board.

II. Reports, Discussion, and Action Items:

- A. Rulemaking Working Groups- Update Marianne Bowers, Board Council
- B. Report from Vice Chair
- C. Report on current staffing/recruiting efforts.
- D. Executive Report: Misconduct Case Activity and NMDOJ Referral Status
- E. Ratification and Approval of Pending Certifications
 - a. Law Enforcement Officers (Exhibit A)
 - b. Public Safety Telecommunicators (Exhibit B)
- F. Certification by Waiver
- G. Discussion: Board Guidance on Settlement Agreements Incorporating "Time Served" Suspensions
- H. Discussion: Possible action regarding appointment of Iván Ramírez-Aréchiga as Acting Interim Chief Executive Officer (may go into closed session)

III. Disciplinary and/or Litigation matters (may go into closed session):

- A. Declinations:
 - 24-119 Cody Lattin
 - 25-001 Benjamin Jemmett
 - B. Proposed settlements:
 - 25-136 Manuel Villanueva
 - 22-050 Jim Edison
 - C. Possible Action on Certification
 - 21-055 Frank Methola
 - 23-053 Brad Lunsford
 - 24-090 Dylan Graves
 - 24-096 Paul Jessen
 - 24-028 Honorio Alba
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- 24-029 Justin Hunt
 - 24-030 Harvey Johnson
 - 25-042 Lucas Perez
 - 25-045 Jeffery Hammerel
 - 25-120 James Butler
 - 25-016 Adrianna Torrez
 - 24-062 Brian Pitzer
 - 25-037 Johnathan Pagan
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- 25-101 Cesar Torres
- 25-102 Marcus Salas
- 25-103 Brandon Reese
- 25-040 Gustavo Gomez Ramirez
- 25-041 Matthew Chavez
- 25-043 Elijah King
- 25-044 Leroy Regalado
- 25-046 Crystal Abeita

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- 25-047 Destini Lucero
 - 25-051 Lance Ledford
 - 25-052 Donivan Byers
 - 25-054 Xavier Boling
 - 25-065 Luis DeSantiago
 - 25-072 River O'Connor

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- 25-073 Antonio Alvarado
 - 25-074 Austin Naylor
 - 25-075 Edgar Jaramillo
 - 25-085 Daniel Sepulveda
 - 25-091 Christopher Swanson
 - 25-118 Jason Urbina

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- 25-117 Jamayl Williams
 - 25-121 Joshua Long
 - 25-122 Nicolas Crawford Dickerson
 - 25-137 Evan Lara
 - 25-145 Marion Walker
 - 26-037 Nicholas Lefluer

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- 26-038 Donovan Gonzales
 - 26-052 Alfonso Navarro
 - 26-054 Manuel Contreras
 - 26-055 Jacob Marquez
 - 26-056 Arsenio Apodaca
 - 26-057 Floyd Montoya

D. Litigation Matters:

- 23-003 Jesus G Jr. Lopez
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IV. Adjournment

A. Adjourn