



STATE OF WASHINGTON
GAMBLING COMMISSION

"Protect the Public by Ensuring that Gambling is Legal and Honest"

Special Gambling Commission Meeting Minutes
Virtual Meeting
*November 10, 2021

Commissioners Present:

Chair Bud Sizemore (Via Teams)
Vice Chair Julia Patterson (Via Teams)
Alicia Levy (Via Teams)
Kristine Reeves (Via Teams)
Sarah Lawson (Via Teams)

Ex Officios Present

Senator Steve Conway
Senator Jeff Holy
Representative Shelley Kloba

Staff Present – Virtually:

Lisa Benavidez, Human Resources Director

Vice Chair Patterson called the virtual special meeting to order at 2:02 PM. She welcomed fellow Commissioners and staff. At this meeting commissioners discussed each candidate's qualifications.

Commissioner Reeves moved to forward candidates A-11 and A-13 to a second interview, in person if possible.

Commissioner Levy seconded the motion.

The motion passed. 3:0

Commissioner Lawson abstained.

Chair Sizemore was recused.

Based on conversation at this meeting, HRD Benavidez will develop the interview questions.

Chair Sizemore who was previously recused from the process indicated that he would like to be a part of the next interviews.

There was no other public comment.

The meeting adjourned at 2:45 PM

* Governor Inslee issued [Proclamation 20-28.4](#) et al that suspended certain Open Public Meeting requirements, including in-person public meetings requirements for this Commission Meeting.