



Arizona Commission

for the deaf and the hard of hearing

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**Minutes of the meeting of the Arizona Commission for the Deaf and the Hard of Hearing, Interpreter Licensing Committee(ILC).
Meeting held February 21, 2025 at 2:00pm.
Meeting was held remotely via Zoom and posted to the agency YouTube page.**

Call to Order & Roll Call

Commissioner Swenson called the meeting to order at **2:05 PM**

Commissioners present via Zoom: Commissioner Cohen, Commissioner Thompson, Commissioner Swenson

Commissioners absent: Commissioner Sienko

Staff Present via Zoom: Carmen Green Smith, Victoria Vaughn, Chyla Dalton-Nava, Ashley Martin

Committee Chair's Report

Commissioner Swenson congratulated Ashley Martin, who is the agency's Communication Access Specialist on receiving her license as a general interpreter at today's meeting.

Review/Approval of Sign Language Interpreter Applications

Commissioner Thompson moved to recommend the names below, to the Interim Executive Director for issuance of an Interpreter License. Motion seconded by Commissioner Cohen ; motion carried unanimously.

The following applicants are approved for licensure, based on education, examination and experience requirements.

1. Amber Galloway	18. Katie Friend
2. Amira Griffith	19. Katrina Steffy
3. Ashley Martin	20. Kendra Cronk
4. Bethany West	21. Kirsten Nelson
5. Betty Bollenbacher	22. Klaudia Staples
6. Bianca Shaw	23. Lisa-Ann Costa
7. Bryanna DiVito	24. Maria C Cabanillas
8. Brynn Hickey	25. Maureen Jewett
9. Cheryl Bovard	26. Megan Newman
10. Danielle Martin	27. Olivia Grossman
11. Darian Gerow	28. Rachel Cropper
12. Deanna Gabbard	29. Raven Sheridan
13. Donald Adkins	30. Richard Ellis
14. Dwight Godwin	31. Sara Evans
15. Fred Way III	32. Tawny Dobson
16. Hannah Tsoisie	33. Theresa Watson
17. Jennifer Drew	34. Tracey Huguley

Announcements

Victoria Vaughn announced that the licensure rules that we made changes to earlier in the year were officially published on the agency website.

Adjournment

**Commissioner Thompson moved to adjourn the meeting at 2:14 pm.
Commissioner Cohen seconded; the motion carried unanimously.**

Dated this 25th day of February 2025, Lisa Swenson, Committee Chair

The undersigned certifies that a copy of the attached notice was duly posted this 25th day of February, 2025 at 5:00 pm by Chyla Dalton-Nava, Assistant to the Executive Director.