

Occupational and Professional Licensing
District of Columbia Board of Accountancy
1100 4th Street, SW Suite 400
Washington, DC 20024



Meeting Minutes
May 15, 2026

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The District of Columbia Board of Accountancy (Board) held its regularly scheduled meeting on Friday, May 15, 2026. This was a virtual meeting.

The meeting was called to order at **2:44 p.m.** by Board Chair **Robert Todero**, and attendance was taken.

Board Members Present: Robert Todero; Joseph Drew; Jason Danielson.

Board Members Absent: Antonia Browning Smiley

Staff Present: Angela Meggett-Strudwick, Board Administrator; Leon W. Lewis, Program Manager, Jahmai Jefferson, Program Support Specialist; Kevin Cyrus, Program Analyst.

Legal Counsel: Jessica Rice, Attorney Advisor; Kiyana Rayfield, Paralegal Specialist

Public Consumers Present: Kari Bedell of Greater Washington Society of CPAs (GWCPAs).

Agenda Item: Comments from the Public: No comments.

Agenda Item: Legislative Rule Making

- Legislative Update – Jessica Rice provided an update on the legislation process. She reported that the committee is awaiting the scheduling of the markup date and will share that information with the Board once it becomes available.

Agenda Item: New Business

- The Washington School for Girls Career Day Event, Report by Jahmai Jefferson – Ms. Jefferson reported that the event was a great success and extended special thanks to Kari Bedell for her participation.
- Wall Certificate Service (NASBA) – The Board expressed full support for NASBA providing this service, contingent upon final approval by the administration. Mr. Lewis stated that he will further discuss with management the potential for DLCP providing this option of wall certificates for licenses.
- PEEC APS Exposure Draft Board Response – The Board expressed satisfaction with the response submission to AICPA regarding the PEEC APS Exposure Draft and reiterated full agreement with the concerns outlined by NASBA.

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Agenda Item: Acceptance of Draft Minutes

Upon motion, duly made at 3:05 p.m. by board member, Joseph Drew, and properly seconded by board member, Jason Danielson, the board unanimously voted to approve March 6, 2026, draft board meeting minutes.

Agenda Items: 2026 NASBA Conferences/Meetings & Events Calendar

Upcoming Events

2026 Eastern Regional Meeting

June 9 – 11, 2026, Rio Grande, PR - (Joseph Drew, Jason Danielson and Robert Todero attending)

2026 National Registry Summit

Sept. 22 – 23, 2026, Nashville, TN

2026 NASBA Annual Meeting

Oct. 25 – 28, 2026, Litchfield Park, AZ

Agenda Item: Old Business

- *Accountancy Board Outreach Efforts* – TBD

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Upon motion duly made at 3:16 p.m. by board member, Joseph Drew, and properly seconded by board member, Jason Danielson, the board unanimously agreed by roll call to enter closed session pursuant to the authority of D.C. Official Code Section 2-575(b) (4) (A) to seek the advice of counsel, D.C. Official Code Section 2-575(b) (9) to discuss disciplinary matters, complaints, technical applications, and D.C. Official Code Section 2-775(b)(13) to deliberate upon a decision in an adjudication action or proceeding.

Upon motion duly made by board member, Joseph Drew, and properly seconded by board member, Jason Danielson, the board unanimously voted to end the executive session at 4:03 p.m.

Agenda Item: Technical Review:

- *Technical Applications*
- *Credit Extension Request*

Agenda Item: Legal Matters:

- *See below actions.*

The following actions were taken due to the discussion during the closed session:

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Upon a motion duly made at 4:05 p.m. by board member Joseph Drew, and properly seconded by board member Jason Danielson, the board unanimously voted to accept the following legal recommendation:

TECHNICAL APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. In the matter of CohnReznick LLP, move to approve the license.
2. In the matter of Glen Gambardella, move to approve the license.
3. In the matter of Rebecca Salman, move to extend the AUD credit to July 31, 2026.

COMPLAINTS RECOMMENDATIONS:

None

Adjourn

Upon motion, duly made at 4:05 p.m. by board member, Joseph Drew, and properly seconded by board member, Jason Danielson, the Board unanimously voted to adjourn.

The next scheduled meeting of the Board of Accountancy will be on **July 10, 2026**, virtual.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Todero, Chair

July 10, 2026

Date

Recorder: Angela Meggett-Strudwick, Board Administrator