

**KANSAS BOARD OF VETERINARY EXAMINERS**

**MONDAY, MARCH 16<sup>TH</sup>, 2020**

**10 A.M.**

**PUBLIC HEARING**

**714 PLUM ST. WAMEGO, KS 66547**

This public hearing of the Kansas Board of Veterinary Examiners was formally opened at 10:02 A.M. by Executive Director Dr. Jody Johnson. Public members present were Andy Hawkins with KVMA, Megan Kilgore with KVMA and Mary Berg with KVTA. No Board Members or staff were present.

Dr. Johnson called the public hearing to order to review and discuss the proposed regulations (K.A.R. 70-5-1) of the Board of Veterinary Examiners and read the script for the public hearing (Exhibit #1). A notice to the public was made in the Kansas Register on January 16<sup>th</sup>, 2020 (see attachment #1).

A copy of the full text of the proposed regulations and the economic impact are attached to the record of this hearing as Exhibit #2. After this public hearing the Board of Veterinary Examiners will take official action to adopt the regulations as either proposed or as amended. Copies of these regulations can be obtained by contacting the KBVE at [vetboard@ks.gov](mailto:vetboard@ks.gov).

Dr. Johnson read through public written comments received through email (see exhibit #3 - #8).

Megan Kilgore shared comments and some concerns from the KVMA (see Exhibit #9). Mary Berg shared comments and some concerns from the KVTA (see Exhibit #10). Andy Hawkins, president of KVMA, made a verbal statement that he was there in support of the KVMA Executive director, Megan Kilgore.

No other statements were read or given. Dr. Johnson adjourned the hearing.

Hearing adjourned at 10:16 A.M.

Signed Jean E "Jody" Johnson, DVM. Date 3/20/2020