



Montana Department of LABOR & INDUSTRY

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Board Meeting Agenda, Wednesday April 2, 2025

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8:15 A.M.

Call to order-
Staff attorney's comments-
Public comments-
Approval of Minutes-

SCHEDULED REVIEWS**Between 8:30 A.M. to 9:00 A.M.****Case # 00395-2025**

ISSUE 1: Whether the written statement and attachments ACWA-JPIA submitted to the Board comply with Administrative Rules Montana 24.7.304. and Administrative Rules Montana 24.7.306(1) and (3) and should be admitted into the record

ISSUE 2: Whether the written statement and attachments submitted by Jennifer Nogosek comply Administrative Rules Montana 24.7.304 and Administrative Rules Montana 24.7.306(1) and (3) and should be admitted into the record.

ISSUE 3: Whether the Hearing Officer erred in determining that the claimant is not qualified to receive benefits based upon the separation from employment, i.e. discharged for misconduct, pursuant to *Montana Code Annotated* § 39-51-2303.

Between 9:00 A.M. to 10:00 A.M.**Case # 00450-2025**

ISSUE: Whether the Hearing Officer erred in determining that the department correctly charged a portion of benefit payments made to the claimant to the employer's account as provided in *Montana Code Annotated* § 39-51-1214.

Case # 00441-2025

ISSUE: Whether the Hearing Officer erred in determining that the claimant is not qualified to receive benefits based upon the separation from employment, i.e. leaving work without good cause attributable to the claimant's employment, pursuant to *Montana Code Annotated* § 39-51-2302.

Between 10:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M.

Case # 00440-2025

ISSUE: Whether the Hearing Officer erred in determining that the claimant is not qualified to receive benefits based upon the separation from employment, i.e. discharged for misconduct, pursuant to *Montana Code Annotated* § 39-51-2303.

Case # 00487-2025

ISSUE: Whether the hearing officer erred in denying appellant's request to postpone a hearing because it was not delayed due to extraordinary circumstances beyond the requesting party's control pursuant to Administrative Rules Montana 24.40.207.

Case # 00470-2025

ISSUE: Whether the Hearing Officer erred in determining that the claimant is not qualified to receive benefits based upon the separation from employment, i.e. leaving work without good cause attributable to the claimant's employment, pursuant to *Montana Code Annotated* § 39-51-2302.

Between 11:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.

Case # 00465-2025

ISSUE 1: Whether the new evidence meets the requirements of Administrative Rules Montana 24.7.306(3) and should be admitted into the record.

ISSUE 2: Whether the Hearing Officer erred in determining that the claimant is not qualified to receive benefits based upon the separation from employment, i.e. leaving work without good cause attributable to the claimant's employment, pursuant to *Montana Code Annotated* § 39-51-2302.

Case # 00508-2025

ISSUE: Whether the Hearing Officer erred in determining that the claimant is not qualified to receive benefits based upon the separation from employment, i.e. leaving work without good cause attributable to the claimant's employment, pursuant to *Montana Code Annotated* § 39-51-2302.

Between 1:00 P.M. to 2:00 P.M.

Case # 00458-2025 - SEALED

ISSUE: Whether the Hearing Officer erred in determining that the claimant is not qualified to receive benefits based upon the separation from employment, i.e. discharged for misconduct, pursuant to *Montana Code Annotated* § 39-51-2303.