



**Marion County
Board of County Commissioners**

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**Marion County License Review Board
Minutes
March 10, 2026**

The monthly meeting of the Marion County License Review Board was held at the Growth Management Building, 2710 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470.

Jeremiah Bennett the Vice-Chairman called the meeting to order at 5:30 pm. An official recording of the meeting was made by the Marion County Building Safety Department with BIS recording software.

1. INVOCATION

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. ROLL CALL:

Board members present: Lee Kitzmiller, Jeremiah Bennett, James Duryea, Fawn Singletary, Zachary Curry, John Michael Gartner, and Alan O'Cull

Alternates present: none

Also attending: Ryan Arbuckle, Marion County Building Safety Supervisor of Licensing & Investigations, Chuck Brown, Marion County Deputy Building Director; Linda Blackburn, Assistant County Attorney for Marion County

4. ADOPTION OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING:

James Duryea moves to adopt February 10, 2026 minutes. Jeremiah Bennett seconds. All in favor. The motion passed unanimously.

5. LICENSE REVIEW - CONTRACTORS:

5.1 Alex Espinoza - Exam - Journeyman Electrician

5.2 Jonathan Kadegis - Exam - Journeyman Electrician

5.3 Jose Guzman - Reciprocity - Masonry with Concrete

James Duryea moves to accept list of applicants for exam as presented on agenda. Jeremiah Bennett seconds.

All in favor. The motion passed unanimously

6. **UNLICENSED & LICENSED CONTRACTORS:** None

7. **NOLD BUSINESS:** None

8. **NEW BUSINESS:** None

9. **OTHER BUSINESS:** None

10. **NOTATION FOR RECORD:** None.

11. **PUBLIC COMMENT:** None

Respectfully submitted,



Lee Kitzmiller / Chair



Margie Smoot / Secretary

cc: Marion County Board of County Commissioners - Assistant County Attorney