AGENDA

MANUFACTURED HOUSING BOARD

Thursday, July 9, 2020 - 10:00am

Electronic Meeting https://vadhcd.adobeconnect.com/lbbca/

- I. Roll Call
- II. Elections
 - a. Secretary
- III. Approval of September 12, 2019 Minutes
- IV. Approval of June 25, 2020 Minutes
- V. Public Comment
- VI. New Business
 - a. License Application Sheila Marie Davis (Belcher)
 - b. Technical error/correction related to the 2009 Regulation adoption
 - c. Use of Transaction Recovery Funds by the SBCO
- VII. Old Business
- VIII. Committee Reports
 - IX. Secretary's Report
 - a. Transaction Recovery Fund Revenue and Balance update
 - b. AG Office Debtor Balance Report update
 - c. Staff proposed date November 12, 2020
 - d. Staff proposed location Virginia Housing Center (VHC) or electronic depending on Governor's Executive Order at the time of the meeting.
 - X. Adjournment

VIRGINIA MANUFACTURED HOUSING BOARD

Walter S. Cleaton, Chair

(Manufactured Home Dealer Representative)

David C. Bridges, Vice-Chair

(Public Representative)

James Trepinski

(Manufacturer Representative)

Scott Montgomery

(Manufacturer Representative)

Shawna J. Cheney

(Public Representative)

Keith W. Hicks

(Public Representative)

Sean D. Hicks

(Public Representative)

James W. Roncaglione

(Director's Designee)

Vacant

(Manufactured Home Dealer Representative)

Virginia Manufactured Housing Board Meeting Meeting Minutes Thursday, September 12, 2019 Glen Allen, Virginia

Members Present

Mr. Walter S. Cleaton, Chair Mr. David C. Bridges, Vice Chair

Mr. Scott Montgomery Ms. Shawna Cheney Mr. Sean Hicks

Mr. James W. Roncaglione

Mr. James Trepinski

Staff Present

Ms. Cindy Davis
Ms. Jennifer Tolley
Mr. Eric Leatherby
Mr. Jeff Brown
Mr. Justin Bell, OAG

Mr. Travis Luter

The meeting of the Virginia Manufactured Housing Board (Board) was called to order by Chairman Mr. Walter Cleaton at approximately 10:10 a.m. All members were present with the exception of Mr. Keith Hicks and Ms. Cindy Ferreira Tomlin.

Mr. Cleaton introduced and welcomed new Board member, Mr. Scott Montgomery from Skyline Champion who is a manufacturer representative.

Approval of the Minutes - A motion was made to approve the minutes from the December 13, 2018 Board meeting by Mr. Roncaglione and seconded by Mr. Bridges. The motion passed unanimously.

Public Comments -There were no Public Comments.

New Business #1 – License application of a sales person with a felony conviction. The Board reviewed documents submitted by sales person applicant Ms. Julia Tyree who had been convicted of a felony Possession of Cocaine with Intent to Distribute on June 13, 2000. The documents included a letter from the Department of Corrections stating that Ms. Tyree had successfully completed the period of supervised probation on April 6, 2001. A motion was made to approve Ms. Tyree's application by Mr. Bridges and seconded by Mr. Sean Hicks. The motion passed unanimously.

New Business #2 - The Board reviewed the revised Manufactured Housing Licensing & Transaction Recovery Fund Regulations, which were adopted July 1, 2019. Mr. Leatherby explains how to read the changes in the regulations. Mr. Cleaton says he has already asked Mr. Grumbine, who was present, to send out a blast email to all of the VAMMHA contacts he has with a copy of the new regulations. Mr. Grumbine agreed.

New Business #3 – Mr. Robert B. McEntee, Senior Assistant Attorney General, Division of Debt Collection handed out an information packet and led a discussion on the debt collection process in which the Board could recoup funds paid out of the Transaction Recovery Fund.

Mr. Bridges asked Mr. McEntee if we can we recover both the recovery fund pay out and the disciplinary fines? Mr. McEntee says yes, as long as you contain both amounts in the same order.

Mr. Bridges asks if we can review and go through the checklist for the IFF, making sure it's complete. Mr. Bell says I don't see why we couldn't incorporate that into our current policies.

Mr. Bridges asks if we can develop a template for administrative orders so when we do the motion we have a template to go by and can simply insert dollar amounts, and include attorney's fees etc. Mr. Bell and Mr. Hicks will get together and work on something, maybe some examples before the next meeting.

It was also suggested that an item should be added to the application for a license asking if the applying company is active with the State Corporation Commission. Mr. McEntee suggested that when a company applies for a license from the Board, that staff should check the SCC website to ensure that the company is still active and in good standing. We could ask the question in our licensing system and add a box asking people to swear they are in good standing with the SCC without have to make it a legal requirement.

Mr. Leatherby was instructed by the Board to submit the Final Orders for a consumer complaint case heard at the December 13, 2018 Board meeting to Mr. McEntee's office, to begin the debt collection process.

Mr. Roncaglione asked if there was a Statute of Limitations regarding judgements by the Board that are more than three years old. Mr. McEntee said that in general there is not a statute of limitations. Mr. Leatherby referenced a 2013 judgement by the Board, and was advised to send the final orders to Mr. McEntee for review.

Committee Reports – There were no committee reports.

Report of the Secretary/Associate Director/Deputy Director Reports – The Board was directed to Tab #6 of the Board package which showed a cash balance sheet of the Manufactured Housing Transaction Recovery Fund as of July 30, 2019.

The Deputy Director of the Division of Building and Fire Regulation, Cindy Davis, provided an update on the 2018 code update cycle. DHCD is working with several stakeholder on a Housing Technology Group to support new technology and more affordable housing. The group recently developed a powerpoint presentation to aid in educating local officials on affordable housing, including manufactured housing and industrialized buildings VHDA and VAMMHA are working on project in Danville to rezone a property to allow manufactured homes and install a new class of manufactured homes.

Old Business – None.

Future Meeting Date and Location:	The proposed location,	date and	time of the	next i	meeting
of the Manufactured Housing Board w	ill be as follows:				

Location:

Virginia Housing Center 4224 Cox Road Glen Allen, VA 23060

Date and Time:

Thursday, February 13, 2020 10:00am

A motion was made for the Board to adjourn by Mr. Bridges and seconded by Mr. Roncaglione and passed unanimously.

The Board adjourned at approximately 11:50 a.m.

Approved: July 9, 2020

Chair, Virginia Manufactured Housing Board

Secretary, Virginia Manufactured Housing Board

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O	Members Present	Members Absent
	Mr. Walter S. Cleaton, Cha Mr. James Trepinski Mr. Scott Montgomery Mr. Keith Hicks Mr. Sean D. Hicks	Mr. David C. Bridges, Vice-Chairman Ms. Shawna J. Cheney Mr. James W. Roncaglione
7 8 9 10 11	Call to Order	The meeting of the State Building Code Technical Review Board ("Review Board") was called to order at approximately 11:00 a.m. by Acting Secretary Travis Luter.
12 13 14 15	Roll Call	The roll was called by Mr. Luter and a quorum was present. Mr. Justin I. Bell, legal counsel for the Board from the Attorney General's Office, was present.
16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29	New Business	Adobe Connect Training: Mr. Luter introduced DHCD staff working to help facilitate the virtual meeting and the tasks each performed. Mr. Luter then turned the meeting over to Stephen Reynolds to lead the training session. Mr. Reynolds provided an overview of the Adobe Connect platform features and answered questions from Board members. General discussions where had related to the use certain features and how they would apply during the meeting. Mr. Luter provided an overview of virtual meeting procedures and outlined how the virtual meeting would be conducted on July 9, 2020.
30 31 32 33	Public Comment	Chairman Cleaton opened the meeting for public comment. Mr. Luter advised that no one had signed up to speak.
34 35 36 37 38 39 40	Secretary's Report	Mr. Luter provided the Board an update on the LBBCA training provided by Board staff as well as future plans for the training. Mr. Luter clarified that the agenda package for the March 20, 2020 meeting would be used for the July 17, 2020 virtual meeting along with the addendums he had recently provided the Board members.

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41 42		Mr. Luter updated the Board on the status of the vacant Board positions.
43		Mr. Luter informed the Board of the current caseload and the lack of
44		need for a meeting in August; therefore, the next scheduled meeting is
45		scheduled for September 18, 2020.
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47 48	Adjournment	There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned by proper motion at approximately 11:50 a.m.
49		motion at approximately 11.30 a.m.
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SENTENCING ORDER

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE CITY OF SALEM

FEDERAL INFORMATION PROCESSING STANDARDS CODE: 775

Hearing Date:

August 16, 2007

Judge:

Robert P. Doherty, Jr.

Commonwealth of Virginia

VS

CR07000074/75/76

Sheila Marie Belcher, DEFENDANT

This case came before the Court for the sentencing of the defendant, who appeared in person with her retained attorney, **John Weber**, **III**. The Commonwealth was represented by **Scott A. Webber**.

On May 11, 2007, the defendant was found guilty of the following offenses:

CASE NUMBER CR07-74	OFFENSE DESCRIPTION AND INDICATOR (F/M) Embezzlement (F)	OFFENSE DATE 02/08/06	VA. CODE SECTION 18.2-111
CR07-75	Embezzlement (F)	03/10/06	18.2-111
CR07-76	Embezzlement (F)	04/10/06	18.2-111

The pre-sentence report was considered and is ordered filed and sealed as a part of the record in this case in accordance with the provisions of Code Section 19.2-299.

Rebecca Farmer, the probation and parole officer who prepared the report, was present and available for cross-examination.

Pursuant to the provisions of Code Section 19.2-298.01, the Court has considered and reviewed the applicable discretionary sentencing guidelines and the guidelines worksheets. The sentencing guidelines worksheets and the written explanation of any departure from the guidelines are ordered filed as a part of the record in this case.

Before pronouncing the sentence, the Court inquired if the defendant desired to

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make a statement or advance any reason why judgment should not be pronounced, and nothing being offered or alleged in delay of judgment;

The Court **SENTENCES** the defendant to incarceration with the **Virginia Department of Corrections** as follows:

For **Embezzlement, Docket No. CR07000074**, incarceration for two years. The Court Suspends one year of this sentence;

For **Embezzlement, Docket No. CR07000075**, incarceration for two years. The Court Suspends one year of this sentence;

For **Embezzlement, Docket No. CR07000076**, incarceration for two years. The Court Suspends this sentence.

Each of these sentences shall run **consecutively** with any other sentence imposed upon the defendant in any Court.

The total sentence imposed is **six years**. The total amount of sentence suspended is **four years**. These are the conditions of the suspended portion of the sentence:

Supervised Probation. The defendant is placed on probation to commence upon her release from incarceration, under the supervision of a Probation Officer for three years, subject to further order of the Court. The Probation Officer has the discretion to adjust the level of supervision from regular supervised probation to intensive supervised probation and vice versa, as deemed appropriate by the Probation Officer. The defendant shall be of good behavior and comply with all the rules and requirements set by the Probation Officer. Further, the defendant shall not be employed in a position of trust or responsibility while on probation.

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Drug Screening. The defendant shall complete any substance abuse screening, assessment, testing, and treatment as directed by the Department of Corrections. The defendant is subject to payment of any fees associated with substance abuse treatment or intervention as required by the treatment or intervention program on an ability to pay basis.

Credit for time served. The defendant shall be given credit for time spent in confinement while awaiting trial pursuant to Code Section 53.1-187.

Depart. The defendant was remanded into the custody of the Sheriff for the City of Salem.

August 16, 2007

Date

ENTER: Roller J. Dherty

Judge

DEFENDANT IDENTIFICATION:

SSN:

DOB:

Sex: F

SENTENCING SUMMARY:

TOTAL SENTENCE IMPOSED:

6 years

TOTAL SENTENCE SUSPENDED: 4 years

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G. CHAN E CRAWFORD, CLERK

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Costs. The defendant shall pay costs of \$1,105.00, which said costs are to be paid in monthly installments of no less than one twenty-fourth of the total costs owed, beginning within thirty days upon her release from confinement. And the Court, pursuant to the provisions of Section 46.2-395.B of the Code of Virginia, ORDERS that if the defendant fails to pay as provided herein, her privilege to drive is suspended and she is prohibited from driving any motor vehicle in this Commonwealth until such time as the aforesaid financial obligations are satisfied.

Restitution. The defendant shall make restitution, through the Clerk of this Court, as follows: \$4,483.00 to PHC of Virginia, Inc., d/b/a Mt. Regis Center, 405 Kimball Avenue, Salem, VA 24153, which said restitution shall be paid in monthly installments of no less than one twenty-fourth of the total restitution owed, beginning within thirty days upon her release from incarceration.

Attorney. The Court certifies that at all times during this trial of this case, the defendant was personally present and that her Attorney was likewise personally present and capably represented the defendant.

DNA. It is further ORDERED that the Sheriff of Roanoke County shall arrange for the withdrawal of a blood, saliva or tissue sample for DNA analysis to be sent to the Bureau of Forensic Science pursuant to Section 19.2-301/19.2-310.3 of the Code of Virginia, and the defendant is ORDERED to cooperate fully and promptly in providing information and permitting withdrawal of the sample as required herein. No DNA sample shall be taken if a DNA sample has been previously taken.

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COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

Office of the Governor

Kelly Thomasson Secretary of the Commonwealth

Dear Sheila M Davis,

I am pleased to inform you that Governor Terence R. McAuliffe has restored your civil rights. Enclosed is your official restoration order that will serve as documentation of Governor McAuliffe's decision on your behalf. Please keep the order in a safe place as duplicates cannot be issued.

Your prior conviction no longer restricts your right to register to vote, become a notary public, serve on a jury, or hold public office. All Virginians must be registered in order to vote. You may register to vote online by visiting the Virginia Department of Elections' Citizen Portal at https://vote.elections.virginia.gov/VoterInformation. You may also register to vote by completing the enclosed voter registration form and returning it in the enclosed return envelope. Please note that the voter registration form must be received by October 17, 2016, if you wish to vote in this year's November general election.

This action does not restore the right to ship, transport, possess or receive firearms, which must be restored in accordance with Va. Code §18.2-308.2. To regain state firearms privileges, you must apply through the circuit court of your residence.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding your voter registration status, please contact the Virginia Department of Elections at (804) 864-8901. If you have any questions regarding rights restoration, please contact the Restoration of Rights Office for the Secretary of the Commonwealth at (804) 692-0104 or visit our website for more information www.commonwealth.virginia.gov/ror.

Sincerely,

Kelly Thomasson

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COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

Executive Department

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME --- GREETINGS:

WHEREAS, Sheila M Davis, after being convicted and sentenced for crime(s) committed prior to August 25, 2016, when the Executive completed review of the particulars of the individual's case; and

WHEREAS, Sheila M Davis, by reason of conviction(s), suffers political disabilities, to wit: denial of the right to vote, to hold public office, to serve on a jury, to be a notary public and to ship, transport, possess or receive firearms; and

WHEREAS, it appears that Sheila M Davis has rejoined society free from state supervision and it seems appropriate to the Executive to remove certain of those political disabilities by restoring the right to vote, hold public office, serve on a jury, and to be a notary public;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Terence R. McAuliffe, Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do hereby remove the political disabilities, except the ability to ship, transport, possess or receive firearms, under which **Sheila M Davis** labors by reason of conviction as aforesaid, and do hereby restore the rights to vote, hold public office, serve on a jury, and to be a notary public.



Given under my hand and under the Lesser Seal of the Commonwealth at Richmond, on September 02, 2016 in the 241st year of the Commonwealth.

Governor of Virginia

Kelly Thomass



Robert F. McDonnell Governor

James S. Cheng Secretary of Commerce and Trade

COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

William C. Shelton Director

DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Manufactured Housing Board

FROM:

Cindy L. Davis, C.B.O.

State Building Code Administrator

DATE:

May 15, 2012

RE:

Proposed Regulations

We have been notified that the Governor's Office has approved the proposed changes to the Virginia Manufactured Housing Licensing and Transaction Recovery Fund Regulations that were previously approved by this Board.

In the interim, however, changes were made by legislative statutes that were not included in the proposed final regulations. In order to ensure that the Regulations match the law, we have identified changes that are nondiscretionary and that must be approved by this Board before being sent back for publication.

I have attached a copy of the law, along with a highlighted version of the regulations. The corresponding changes to the regulations that were previously approved by this Board are highlighted in yellow. The new changes that must be approved based on the attached law are shown in red text.

A final book will be published after the effective date of all changes, currently expected to be July 4, 2012.

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Attachments

cc:

Emory Rodgers

Steve Calhoun



VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY - 2009 SESSION

CHAPTER 579

An Act to amend and reenact §§ 36-85.28, 36-85.31, and 36-85.32 of the Code of Virginia, relating to the Manufactured Housing Licensing and Transaction Recovery Fund Law.

[S 1459]

Approved March 27, 2009

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That §§ 36-85.28, 36-85.31, and 36-85.32 of the Code of Virginia are amended and reenacted as follows:

§ 36-85.28. Limitation on damages; disclosure to buyer.

A. If a buyer fails to accept delivery of a manufactured home, the manufactured home dealer may retain actual damages according to the following terms:

1. If the manufactured home is in the dealer's stock and is not specially ordered from the manufacturer for the buyer, the maximum retention shall be \$500 \$1,000.

2. If the manufactured home is a single section unit and is specially ordered from the manufacturer for the buyer, the maximum retention shall be \$1,000 \$2,000.

3. If the manufactured home is larger than a single section unit in the dealer's stock and is not specially ordered for the buyer, the maximum retention shall be \$4,000.

4. If the manufactured home is larger than a single section unit and is special specially ordered for the buyer from the manufacturer, the maximum retention shall be \$5,000 \$7,000.

B. A dealer shall provide a written disclosure to the buyer at the time of the sale of a manufactured home alerting the buyer to the actual damages that may be assessed of the buyer, as listed in subsection A, for failure to take delivery of the manufactured home as purchased.

§ 36-85.31. Recovery fund to be established.

A. Each manufactured home manufacturer, dealer, broker and salesperson operating in the Commonwealth of Virginia shall be required to pay an initial assessment fee as set forth in subsection B to the Virginia Manufactured Housing Transaction Recovery Fund. Thereafter, assessment fees shall be assessed as necessary to achieve and maintain a minimum fund balance of \$250,000 \$300,000.

B. Each applicant approved by the Board for a license as a manufactured home manufacturer, dealer, broker, or salesperson in accordance with the provisions of Article 1 (§ 36-85.16 et seq.) of this chapter

shall pay into the fund the following assessment fees:

- 1. For a manufacturer \$4,000 for each separate manufacturing facility payable in one installment or \$4,400 payable at \$2,200 per year for two years.
 - 2. For a dealer \$500 per retail location.
 - 3. For a broker \$500 per sales office.4. For a salesperson \$50 per individual.
- C. All assessment fees collected under this article shall be deposited in the state treasury and the State Treasurer shall credit the amount paid into a special revenue fund from which appropriations may be utilized by the Board in accordance with the express purposes set forth in this article. The assets of the fund shall be invested in accordance with the advice of the State Treasurer. Interest earned on deposits constituting this fund shall accrue to the fund or may be used for the purposes of providing educational programs to the consumer about consumers, code officials, and the manufactured housing industry and to pay department staff expenses for conducting investigations and preparing reports and findings for the Board.

D. The Board may authorize an amount not to exceed five percent of the fund balance in any fiscal year to be used both for educational purposes and to pay department staff expenses for conducting

investigations and preparing reports and findings for the Board.

§ 36-85.32. Recovery from fund generally.

Any person who suffers any loss or damage by any act of a regulant that constitutes a violation of

this chapter shall have the right to institute an action to recover from the recovery fund.

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4. The claimant agrees to subrogate to the Board all rights of the claimant to the extent of payment. The aggregate of claims against the fund for violations by any one regulant shall be limited by the Board to \$75,000 per manufacturer, \$35,000 per dealer, \$35,000 per broker, and \$25,000 per salesperson during any license period. If a claim has been made against the fund, and the Board has reason to believe there may be additional claims against the fund from other transactions involving the same regulant, the Board may withhold any payments from the fund involving such regulant for a period of not more than one year from the date on which the claimant is approved by the Board for an award from the fund. After this one-year period, if the aggregate of claims against the regulant exceeds the above limitations, said amount shall be prorated by the Board among the claimants and paid from the fund in proportion to the amounts of their awards remaining unpaid.

The amount of damages awarded by the Board shall be limited to actual, compensatory damages and

shall not include attorney's fees for representation before the Board.

2. That the provisions of this act amending § 36-85.31 of the Code of Virginia shall expire on July 1, 2011.

TO:

Manufactured Housing Board

FROM:

Cindy L. Davis, C.B.O.

State Building Code Administrator

DATE:

May 15, 2012

RE:

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C: Emory Rodgers Steve Calhoun Draft Agenda

MHB Discussion Meeting - September 11, 2013

DHCD Offices, 600 E. Main Street, Richmond, VA 23219

11:30 a.m.- Lunch to be Provided

Attendees: W. Hughes, MHB Chair, J Roncaglione, Immediate Past Chair, Emory Rodgers, Deputy Director, Cindy Davis, Director, SBCO

Review of Financial Memo and discussion of 5-year history

Emory will update for next Board meeting.

Gave history of his time here and what happened at the time of the recession. Discussion on what happened when fund was "raided". Emory explained history of fees. Walther brought up problem with DMV fees. Questioned who is paying the DMV fees. Need legislature to ensure that the title be issued at the time the manufacturer gives the home to the dealer. Emory said we'll look at it but we don't want to split the industry. May not be the best time to go to the legislature.

Some states have "approved contract".

Is there a period where folks can change their mind?

If money is given, what should be given to the consumer?

Requested copy of pages from budget report that we get from Darryl.

Review Fee Updates related to MHLTRF which went into affect August 2012.

Staff recommends no additional fees until 2015-2016

At that time consider suggestion for using #6 of the regulations which would be per unit fee.

Consider technical amendment related to clarification of requiring a contract upon

VAMMNA meeting and MHB meeting

Appropriateness of Joint Meeting - Current Headlines (ABC employees)

Rex Early was predecessor of Curtis. OSHA comparison to DHCD.

acceptance of any deposits (As a result of the Herring Case).

Staff attendance at convention functions at Virginia Beach. Do presentations every year.

Future attendance of VAMMHA Conventions - No Board meetings

Burden on Consumers.

DHCD training at Convention - Will do

Informal Fact Finding – working with Steve Jack to do presentation Legal training – Steve Jack to perform Conflict of interest -

Post MHB meeting assessment with the Chair and Vice Chair with recommendations for improvements

Other concerns:

Rex Early

Board Appointments interference by staff - VBCOA

Changes made in operation of Board

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The aggregate of claims against the fund for violations by any one regulant shall be limited by the Board to \$75,000 per manufacturer, \$35,000 per dealer, \$35,000 per broker, and \$25,000 per salesperson during any license period. If a claim has been made against the fund, and the Board has reason to believe there may be additional claims against the fund from other transactions involving the same regulant, the Board may withhold any payments from the fund involving such regulant for a period of not more than one year from the date on which the claimant is approved by the Board for an award from the fund. After this one-year period, if the aggregate of claims against the regulant exceeds the above limitations, said amount shall be prorated by the Board among the claimants and paid from the fund in proportion to the amounts of their awards remaining unpaid.

The amount of damages awarded by the Board shall be limited to actual, compensatory damages and shall not include attorney's fees for representation before the Board.

2. That the provisions of this act amending § 36-85.31 of the Code of Virginia shall expire on July 1, 2011.

Fund: 09253 - MFG Recovery Fund

		FY 2020 Net Revenue For the													
Revenue Code	Source Title	Month	Г	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
4005050	Manufactured Home Assessmt Fee (634)		700.00	475.00	475.00 2,700.00	1,450.00 1,700.00	1,700.00	400.00	2,841.00	524.00	999.00	0	4	538.00	17,675.00
4007108	Interest From Other Sources (634)			•	•	4,561.50	•		4,132.83	,		3,361.29	•	•	12,055.62
	Total for Fu	Total for Fund 09253: 700.00 475.00 2,700.00 6,011.50 1,700.00	700.00	475.00	2,700.00	6,011.50	1,700.00	400.00	6,973.83	524.00	999.00	4,160.29	400.00 6,973.83 524.00 999.00 4,160.29 4,549.00 538.00 29,730.62	538.00	29,730.62



Department of Housing and Community Development

Virginia Manufactured Housing Transaction Recovery Fund (09253) Cash Balance Report As of June 29, 2020

Beginning Balance - July 1, 2019

722,339.60

Revenue:

Manufactured Home Assessment Fees	17,675.00
Interest	12,055.62
Total Revenue	29,730.62

Expenses:

Postage	0.00
Travel	0.00
Fiscal Services	141.67
Individual Claims & Settlements	0.00
Total Expenses	141.67

Ending Balance: 751,928.55





Office of the Attorney General Richmond, VA 23219 900 East Main Street

Debtor Balance Report

Interest As Of: 06/30/2020

Main Street Centre 600 East Main Street, Suite 300 Department of Housing & Community Development

Client:

Main Street Centre 600 East Main Street, Suite 300 Richmond, VA 23219	treet, Suite 300		Member: None Status: All	None All					
Report Group: None			Sort Order:	Sort Order: Debtor Name					Type: All
Debtor Name	Open Date	Initial	Last Pmt Date	Principal Relence	Interest Ralance	Fees	Costs	Other	Current

Debtor Name Claim No. Ref. Acct. No.	Open Date	Initial Balance	Last Pmt Date	Principal Balance	Interest Balance	Fees Balance	Costs Balance	Other Balance	Current Balance
C & K Homes, Inc. 202000073.001 T-2018-06-Transaction Fund	01/16/2020	1,338.05		0.00	00.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Court: RICGD - City of Richmond General District Court For: Final Order 12-13-18 Debtor2: Dennis Ray Kidd Originator: RBM - Robert B. McEntee, Jr Responsible: NWW - Nanora W. Westbrook Status: 01/16/2020 010 - OPEN Status Code: 010 Status Date: 01/16/2020 Type: MHTRF - Manufactured Trans. Recovery Fund Current Principal: \$0.00 Current Interest: \$0.00 Current Interest: \$0.00 Current Fees: \$0.00 Current Open Current O	ict Court For; Fi Status: 01/16/2020 00 Current Intere	inal Order 12-13 0 010 - OPEN est: \$0.00 Cur	1-18 Debtor2: I Status Code: 0 rent Fees: \$0.00	13-18 Debtor2: Dennis Ray Kidd Originator: RBM - Robert B. McEntee, Jr Status Code: 010 Status Date: 01/16/2020 Type: MHTRF - Manufactured Home urrent Fees: \$0.00 Current Costs: \$0.00 Current Costs:	- Originator: RB 01/16/2020 T \$0.00 Curren	M - Robert B. N ype: MHTRF - I t Other: \$0.00	1cEntee, Jr Manufactured I	Home	
C & K Homes, Inc. 202000073.002 D-2018-06-Disciplinary Fine	01/16/2020	10,400.00		8,000.00	0.00	2,400.00	0.00	0.00	10,400.00
Court: RICGD - City of Richmond General District Court For: Final Order entered 1-23-19 Debtor2: Dennis Ray Kidd Originator: RBM - Robert B. McEntee, Jr Responsible: NWW - Nanora W. Westbrook Status: 01/16/2020 010 Open Status Code: 010 Status Date: 01/16/2020 Type: MHTRF - Manufactured Home Trans Recovery Fund Current Principal: \$8 000 00 Current Interest: \$0 00 Current Fees: \$2 400 00 Current Costs: \$0 00 Current Principal: \$0 00	ict Court For: Fi Status: 01/16/2020 000 00 Current I	inal Order enter 0 010 - OPEN nterest: \$0 00	ed 1-23-19 De Status Code: 0	ered 1-23-19 Debtor2: Dennis Ray Kidd Originator: RBM - Robert B. McEntee, Jr Status Code: 010 Status Date: 01/16/2020 Type: MHTRF - Manufactured Home Current Fees: \$2,400,00 Current Costs: \$0,00 Current Apper: \$0,00	' Kidd Origina 01/16/2020 T nt Costs: \$0.00	tor: RBM - Rob ype: MHTRF - I Current Othe	ert B. McEntee Manufactured I r: \$0.00	, Jr Home	

0.00 irans. Recovery rund -- Current Principal: \$6,000.00 -- Current Interest: \$0.00 -- Current rees: \$4,400.00 -- Current Costs: \$0.00 -- Current Costs. 3,000.00 01/16/2020 T-2012-8-Transaction Fund Golden Rule Homes, Inc.

0.00

W. Westbrook -- Status; 01/16/2020 010 - OPEN -- Status Code; 010 -- Status Date; 01/16/2020 -- Type; MHTRF - Manufactured Home Trans, Recovery Fund -- Current Court: RICGD - City of Richmond General District Court -- For: Final Order entered 8-10-13 -- Originator: RBM - Robert B. McEntee, Jr. -- Responsible: NWW - Nanora Principal: \$0.00 -- Current Interest: \$0.00 -- Current Fees: \$0.00 -- Current Costs: \$0.00 -- Current Other: \$0.00

1,000.00 0.00 W. Westbrook -- Status: 01/16/2020 010 - OPEN -- Status Code: 010 -- Status Date: 01/16/2020 -- Type: MHTRF - Manufactured Home Trans. Recovery Fund -- Current Court: RICGD - City of Richmond General District Court -- For: Final Order entered 8-10-13 -- Originator: RBM - Robert B. McEntee, Jr. -- Responsible: NWW - Nanora 0.00 0.00 Principal: \$1,000.00 -- Current Interest: \$0.00 -- Current Fees: \$0.00 -- Current Costs: \$0.00 -- Current Other: \$0.00 1,000.00 1,000.00 01/16/2020 D92012-8-Disciplinary Golden Rule Homes, Inc. 202000074.002

29,776.37 0.00 6,290.00 1,486.37 22,000.00 28,600.00 06/16/2020 11/29/2017 T-2014-14 Transaction Recovery Glenwood Walker 201702015.001

Court: RICGD - City of Richmond General District Court -- For: Claimant: Terry Tatum-Final Order-3-30-15 -- Debtor2: Glenwood A. Walker -- Judgment Date: 05/16/2019 -- Originator: RBM - Robert B. McEntee, Jr. -- Responsible: NWW - Nanora W. Westbrook -- Status: 11/06/2019 304 - JUDGMENT - PAYMENT PLAN -- Status Code: 304 -- Status Date: 11/06/2019 -- Type: MHTRF - Manufactured Home Trans. Recovery Fund -- Current Principal: \$22,000.00 -- Current Interest: \$1,471.90 -- Current

0.00 00.009 Fegs: \$6,290.00 -- Current Costs: \$0.00 -- Current Other: \$0.00 -- Last Payment Date: 06/16/2020 -- Last Payment Amount: \$40.00 135.12 2,600.00 11/29/2017 Melwood Walker

D-2014-14 Disciplinary

2,735.12

Debtor Balance Report

Interest As Of: 06/30/2020

Main Street Centre 600 East Main Street, Suite 300 Richmond, VA 23219

None

Report Group:

Department of Housing & Community Development

Client:

Member: None

Debtor Name Status:

Sort Order:

Type: All

Balance Current Balance Court: RICGD - City of Richmond General District Court -- For: Claimant: Terry Tatum-Final Order 3-30-15 -- Debtor2: Glenwood A. Walker -- Judgment Date: 05/16/2019 05/16/2019 -- Type: MHTRF - Manufactured Home Trans. Recovery Fund -- Current Principal: \$2,000.00 -- Current Interest: \$133.81 -- Current Fees: \$600.00 -- Current -- Originator: RBM - Robert B. McEntee, Jr. -- Responsible: NWW - Nanora W. Westbrook -- Status: 05/16/2019 302 - JUDGMENT -- Status Code: 302 -- Status Date: Balance Costs Balance Fees Interest Balance Balance Principal Last Pmt Date Balance Initial Open Date Ref. Acct. No. Debtor Name Claim No.

0.00 4,560.00 1,080.96 16,000.00 06/16/2020 20,800.00 11/29/2017 T-2016-01 Transaction Recovery Costs: \$0.00 -- Current Other: \$0.00 Glenwood Walker 201702016.001

Court: RICGD - City of Richmond General District Court -- For: Claimant: Elia Devora-Final Order 6-30-16 -- Debtor2: Glenwood A. Walker -- Judgment Date: 05/16/2019 -- Originator: RBM - Robert B. McEntee, Jr. -- Responsible: NWW - Nanora W. Westbrook -- Status: 11/07/2019 304 - JUDGMENT - PAYMENT PLAN -- Status Code:

304 -- Status Date: 11/07/2019 -- Type: MHTRF - Manufactured Home Trans. Recovery Fund -- Current Principal: \$16,000.00 -- Current Interest: \$1,070.44 -- Current

750.00 Fees: \$4,560.00 -- Current Costs: \$0.00 -- Current Other: \$0.00 -- Last Payment Date: 06/16/2020 -- Last Payment Amount: \$30.00 168.90 2,500.00 3,250.00 11/29/2017 Glenwood Walker

D-2016-01 Disciplinary

201702016.002

3,418.90

0.00

68,971.35

21,640.96

Court: RICGD - City of Richmond General District Court -- For: Claimant: Elia Devora-Final Order 6-30-16 -- Debtor 2: Glenwood A. Walker -- Judgment Date: 05/16/2019 05/16/2019 -- Type: MHTRF - Manufactured Home Trans. Recovery Fund -- Current Principal: \$2,500.00 -- Current Interest: \$167.26 -- Current Fees: \$750.00 -- Current -- Originator: RBM - Robert B. McEntee, Jr. -- Responsible: NWW - Nanora W. Westbrook -- Status: 05/16/2019 302 - JUDGMENT -- Status Code: 302 -- Status Date:

0.00 0.0014,600.00 2,871.35 51,500.00 70,988.05 Costs: \$0.00 -- Current Other: \$0.00 FOTAL COUNT:

Transaction Recovery Fund Payments Issued in the Past Six Years

Terry Tatum vs Budget Homes

Final Order - March 3, 2015 Transaction Recovery Fund - \$22,000 Disciplinary Fine - \$2,500

Elia Devora vs Budget Homes

Final Order - July 8, 2016 Transaction Recovery Fund - \$16,000 Disciplinary Fine - \$2,500

Edwin Rodrigues vs Infinity Housing Solutions*

Final Order - August 24, 2017 Transaction Recovery Fund - \$5,000 Disciplinary Fine - \$7,500

James Parker Newman vs C & K Homes

Final Order-January 23, 2019 Transaction Recovery Fund- \$1,029.27 Disciplinary Fine - \$8,000

Total Transaction Recovery Payments = \$44,029.27 Total Disciplinary Fines = \$20,500

^{*}A judgement against Infinity Housing Solutions (IHS) by the Circuit Court of Spotsylvania County requires IHS to pay the court \$100 per month which is forwarded to the Manufactured Housing Transaction Recovery Fund.