SBM State Bar of Michigan | GOVERNMENT LAW SECTION

MINUTES OF THE JUNE 19, 2026 REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

Call to Order by Chair Kolb at 4:21 p.m.

1. **Attendance and Excused Absences**

   See attached meeting attendance sheet.

   Motion by Fisher/Joppich to approve excused absences; approved unanimously.

2. **Approval of Agenda**

   Motion by Chubb/McGee to approve agenda; approved unanimously.

3. **Approval of Meeting Minutes**

   Motion by Mills/Pastula to approve minutes of the May 2, 2026 regular meeting; approved unanimously.

   Motion by Kim/Forsyth to approve minutes of the May 13, 2026 special meeting; approved unanimously.

4. **Treasurer's Report:**

   Report by Secretary-Treasurer Pastula: General update on receipts and expenditures for previous months (April and May 2026). Balance as of May 2026: $84,729.34.

5. **Amicus Committee:**

   On recommendation of the Amicus Committee, Motion by Fisher/Kim that Pete Webster be engaged to prepare and file an amicus brief in the matter Michigan Gas Utilities Corp. V Calhoun County et al., MSC No. 168636 and 168637, for an expenditure NTE $15,000. The motion passed on a unanimous vote (13-0) of the members present.

   Discussion by Council about amicus participation in the case Moncrief v Macon. No motion made regarding same.

6. **Zoning Land Use and Local Control Committee:**

   Chair Fisher – Discussion by Chair Fisher regarding raft of pending bills related to affordable housing initiatives. Not ready to report out No update at this time.

7. **Briefly:**

   No update.

8. **Old Business**

   None.

9. **New Business**

   Brief discussion of dates for Winter Conference 2027.

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10. **Council Comments**

Lizzie's daughter proud member of MSU marching band.

11. **Adjournment:** Motion by Fisher/McGee. Adjourn at 4:50 p.m.

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