



New York State Association of REALTORS®, Inc.

Professional Standards Steering Committee Meeting Report

Tuesday, February 8, 2022
Desmond Hotel & Conference Center - Shaker
12:30pm-1:30pm

Karen Peebles
Chair

Charlotte VanderWaag
Vice Chair

The committee discussed the motions that were set forth from October 5, 2022. NYSAR has been in contact with NAR. Committee agreed that they will let the following motions rest for now and will look into rewording the motions and discuss them at the NYSAR Fall Business Meetings in October 2022.

1. A motion to ask the National Association of REALTORS Professional Standards Committee to consider adding a new Standards of Practice to Article 11 of the Code of Ethics which would include as real estate instructor's standards of practice and competence as part of Article 11 of the Code of Ethics. The motion carried.
2. It was discussed that Core Standards for local boards and associations should be expanded to include a requirement that local board/association fair housing training classes and instructors be knowledgeable or competent in their fair housing instruction.

Linda Page presented an update in regards to the following motion: a letter to NAR's Professional Standards Committee to investigate the gap between Federal and State level protected classes, specifically in regards to Article 10. NAR decided no action will be taken.

Chair, Karen Peebles provided an update on the following motion: Committee is asking NYSAR Staff to reimplement the Professional Standards Administrator Trainings that they have done in the past. Also, provide direction to Local Associations for implementing training. NYSAR currently does not have the resources to provide PSA training at this time. This may change in the future. NAR has resources in place for local associations to send their administrators and future administrators to.

There was no new business and the meeting was adjourned.