

**701—72.14 (441) Examining board.**

**72.14(1) *Membership.*** Each voting unit of the conference board shall appoint a member of the examining board. Members of the examining board shall not be members of the conference board, a body which selects a member of the conference board, or the local board of review (1960 O.A.G. 226). A person must be a resident of the assessing jurisdiction served to qualify for appointment as a member of the examining board. A member changing assessing jurisdiction residency after appointment to the board may continue to serve on the board until the member's current term of office expires.

**72.14(2) *Terms of members.*** Members of the examining board shall be appointed for terms of six years. In the event of death, resignation, or removal from office of a member of the examining board, the appropriate voting unit of the conference board shall appoint a successor to serve the unexpired term of the previous incumbent.

**72.14(3) *Removal of member.*** A member of an examining board may be removed from office only after specific charges have been filed against the member and a public hearing has been held if requested by the member.

**72.14(4) *Duties.*** The examining board may, at its discretion, contact all or some of the persons on the register of candidates eligible for appointment as assessor. The examining board may conduct interviews with interested persons and may administer such further examinations as may enable the board to submit a recommendation to the conference board. In arriving at its recommendation, the examining board may set other professional standards including, but not limited to, examination scores, education, and experience.

**72.14(5) *Report to conference board.*** The report to the conference board required pursuant to Iowa Code section 441.6 should contain a complete description of the examining board's investigations and activities. The report may, at the discretion of the examining board, contain recommendations to the conference board.

**72.14(6) *Time for action.*** The examining board shall take all steps necessary to comply with the time frames set forth in Iowa Code section 441.6.

This rule is intended to implement Iowa Code sections 441.2, 441.3, 441.4, and 441.6.