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**WASPC EXECUTIVE BOARD**  
**May 13, 2026 | 8:00 AM – 9:00**  
Spokane Convention Center

**CALL TO ORDER:**

- Presidential Remarks & Introductions—President John Nowels
- Approval of 3/18/26 Minutes—President John Nowels (**Approval Needed**)

**REPORTS:**

- Finance Committee Report (**Approval Needed**)
- Executive Director Update

**OLD BUSINESS:**

- Future Conference Locations (**Approval Needed**)

**NEW BUSINESS:**

- Accredited agencies for Spring (9 total) (**Approval Needed**)
- Professional Services Committee Charter (**Approval Needed**)
- Accreditation Standards Changes (**Approval Needed**)

**GOOD OF THE ORDER:**

- Approval of Membership Applications (**Approval Needed**)
- 2026 Executive Board Meeting Schedule
  - September 22-24, 2026 | Retreat, Campbells Resort
  - November 12, 2026 | Three Rivers Convention Center
- Public Comment

**ADJOURN:**