

ILLOWA Chapter of INTERNATIONAL CODE COUNCIL

Bob Buck President Bruce Crowe Vice –President Autumn Rohwer Secretary Joe Kuhlenbeck Treasurer

Minutes of June 28, 2012 Jumer's Casino and Hotel- Rock Island, IL

Call to order: 12:00 PM by President Buck.

Members Present: Ray Nees, Greg Thorpe, Dennis Mesick, Matt Alberts, John Lasley, Chris Brown, Doyle James, Autumn Rohwer, Bruce Crowe, Jesse Diaz, Jeff Hindman and guest, Tom Lupinski, Drake Daley, Mike Galliant, Denny Newell, Frank Ehrecke, Bob Buck, Rich Goodwin, Jim Chapman, Tim Dela, Tom Ayers, Robert Elsbury, Matt Carlson, Steve G, Rich Slagel, and Randy Rogers.

Secretary Report: May 2012 Minutes online (Autumn Rohwer) - motion to approve by James Chapman and seconded by Greg Thorpe.

Treasurer's Report: Submitted by Joe Kuhlenbeck: motion to approve by Mike and seconded by Bruce Crowe.

Education Committee Report: N/A

Old Business: Introduction of members and guests. Bruce Crowe spoke of the trip to IL Construction Industry Stakeholders Meeting in Springfield and the safety issues discussed with State Fire Marshalls (handout emailed to members). Brue Crowe and Bob Buck spoke about ICCA meeting and our new membership with them (handouts, bylaws, and meeting schedule emailed to members). Bob Buck handed out the MidAmerican Gas and Electric stickers that the jurisdictions can use as a double checking system for utility turn on. Pool handouts are in and will be distributed to pool companies by MidAmerican Energy and Bob Buck. Permit and Inspection stickers were re-discussed- examples of Bettendorf and Scott County stickers were shown and emailed to members on 06/29/2012 by A. Rohwer. Bob Buck (Scott County) is also still working on a universal Hold Harmless form for inspectors to use when crossing jurisdictions to work temporarily.

New Business: Bob Buck announced that member Louis Sandavol will be working with Scott County starting July 9, 2012 part time to assist with multiple new house builds. Bob Buck announced that he would be sending out info on a Course on Means of Egress on August 16, 2012. Bob Buck and Joe Kuhlenbeck will both be missing from the July 26, 2012 meeting and Bruce Crowe will lead the meeting in Bob's place. Bob Neale from ICC emailed a invitation to the Coalition for Current Safety Codes with web link for more information.

Open Discussion: Doyle James spoke about his trip to Springfield, why the Illinois Plumbing Codes updates got delayed, and that the state has mandated that the updates to the Illinois Plumbing Code be done by January 2014. Bruce Crowe invited members of ILLOWA to join him for a future event of Redneck Golf and will email the group with a date. Ray Nees talked about the Q.C. Airport doing a new flat-roof (EPM) and the designer wanting to use 1/8 inch roof versus the ¼ inch required by code because of what a manufacture stated would work; Ray Nees denied the request due to

manufacturing specs not meeting code and insulation requirements. Bob Buck discussed efficiency water heaters and furnaces being vented 1 foot from an operational window versus the code requirements of 4 feet. Ventilation into PVC was also discussed and alternative methods meeting and passing evaluation services testing before meeting codes. Members of the Home-owner's Association re-stated their opposition to mandated residential sprinklers and Tom Ayers countered with life safety codes and their adoption. It was suggested by Tom Ayers that we invite Joe from Kone to come to ILLOWA and discuss their Potable Array.

Move to adjourn by Jim Chapman and seconded by Greg Thorpe; meeting adjourned at 12:41 hours

Respectfully submitted:

Autumn Rohwer- Secretary