

Wichita Board of Appeals of Plumbers and Gas Fitters Minutes

April 4th, 2012

Present: Ron Means, Ray Frederick, Jerry Short, Keith Brewer, Lonny Wright and Andy Veatch

Absent: Eric Vail

Staff: Stoney Nethercot, w/ Central Inspection; Jeff VanZandt, w/ Law Department; Billie Vines, w/ Public Works & Utilities Department; and Kim Mudd, w/ Central Inspection

Guests: Bob Schweitzer, w/ IAPMO and Michelle Wood, w/ The PACK

Chairman, Ray Frederick called the meeting to order

Andy Veatch moved to accept the minutes of the March 7th, 2012 meeting seconded by Keith Brewer and motion carried 6 – 0.

No Public Agenda items.

Old Business: Stoney Nethercot updated the board on the Hansen conversion and it was working much better and getting most of the bugs worked out.

New Business: Journeyman Lawn Irrigation exam was discussed that perhaps the possibility of reciprocity with a backflow certification and two (2) years of experience would be equivalent to a Journeyman Lawn Irrigation certificate. More discussion was held, but no action was taken.

Other Business:

Stoney Nethercot updated the board on the potential City/County consolidation/shared and there is the possibility that there would probably be some type of consolidation/shared duties by January 1, 2013 and not seen a recent timeline.

Andy Veatch moved, second by Jerry Short moved to adjourn the meeting, motion carried 6 – 0.

Respectfully Submitted

Kim Mudd