

Wichita Board of Appeals of Plumbers and Gas Fitters Minutes

May 2nd, 2012

Present: Ron Means, Ray Frederick, Eric Vail, Keith Brewer, Lonny Wright and Andy Veatch

Absent: Jerry Short

Staff: Stoney Nethercot, w/ Central Inspection; Jeff VanZandt, w/ Law Department; and Kim Mudd, w/ Central Inspection

Guests: Bob Walker w/KPHCC and Thomas Clark

Chairman, Ray Frederick called the meeting to order

Andy Veatch moved to accept the minutes of the April 4th, 2012 meeting seconded by Keith Brewer and motion carried 6 – 0.

Public Agenda Items: Thomas Clark presented his appeal to renew his City Certificate. Mr. Clark had missed the March 1st deadline, because of several obstacles. Mr. Clark had acquired all of his Continuing Education requirements. After discussion, Lonny Wright moved, seconded by Andy Veatch to grant Mr. Clark the opportunity to renew his certificate, motion carried 5 – 1 (nay, Ray Frederick).

Old Business: Discussion was held on the journeyman and master lawn irrigation exams. Several ideas were discussed. Bob Walker with KPHCC explained the testing procedure through K-State. After a lengthy discussion and committee of Andy Veatch, Bob Walker, Billy Vines and Stoney Nethercot would review all avenues of testing and report back to the board.

New Business: Discussion was held on the Continuing Education requirements for exams other than those stated in 12-1508. A lengthy discussion was held, but no action taken.

Discussion was held on the possibility of adjusting the requirement of experience from two to three or two years and required training. After a lengthy discussion was held, no action was taken.

Other Business: None

Andy Veatch moved, seconded by Eric Vail moved to adjourn the meeting, motion carried 6
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Respectfully Submitted

Kim Mudd