

Mechanical Board of Appeals

Minutes

Public Works, 1201 6th St SW
Building Services Conference Room
Wednesday, August 14, 2013, 2:00 pm

Present: Board Members Dave Huston, Bret Brecke, Paul Sabotta, Mike Gumm, Brian Joyner
Also Present: Chief Mechanical Inspector Randy Croft, Building Services Director Kevin Ciabatti;
BSD Assistant Manager Ray Nees; Board Secretary Jennifer Canaday

1. Elections were held.
 - a. Dave Huston was nominated for Board Chairman by Bret Brecke; seconded by Mike Gumm. Vote was unanimous in favor of Dave being the new Chair.
 - b. Mike Gumm was nominated for Vice Chair by Bret Brecke; seconded by Paul Sabotta. Vote was unanimous in favor of Mike being the new Vice Chair.
2. New member Brian Joyner was introduced by Chairman Dave Huston and welcomed to the Board. It was noted that Brian's current term will be for 2 years, after which time this position will return to the normal 3 year cycle. This enables the Board to have no more than 2 positions open each year.
3. Minutes from previous meeting 5/8/13 were reviewed. Motion to accept as reviewed made by Paul Sabotta, seconded by Mike Gumm. Motion carried.
4. Viega representatives Nick Rodriguez and Dave Overby did a presentation of their new product line Omega Press System. At this time the process is under review by IAPMO. There was a discussion about the conflict created if the Mechanical Board approves a product for gas line use but the Plumbing Board is not able to yet approve the same product for plumbing permits. This decision will be tabled for discussion at the next Board meeting. If IAPMO has fully approved this product for gas line use at that time, the Board will consider making a decision recommending its use.
5. The next Board meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 6, at 2 pm in the Building Services Conference room.
6. Mike Gumm made a motion to adjourn the meeting; motioned seconded by Paul Sabotta. Meeting adjourned at 3:05 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Jennifer Canaday, Board Secretary