

City of Reading
Plumbing Board Minutes
March 3rd 2021

The location of the board meeting was changed from City Hall 800 Washington Street to the Fire training center 895 Morgantown Rd. due to the Covid Pandemic.

The Meeting was called to order at 4:00 PM by President William Gernert

Board members present at the meeting:

William Gernert

Barry Unger

Robert Fegley

Frank Foster

Brian Miller

Chad Spohn

Also present: Chief Plumbing inspector Jay Montgomery

There was not any old business to be discussed.

2 Master Plumbing applications were reviewed.

Darrell Reinert

LaMont St.James

Both were approved to take the exam.

5 Journeyman applications where reviewed.

Jeremy Martin

Romiro Santos

Michael Flores

Rodger Moreno

Jovan Michael Rivera

All 5 applications were approved to take the exam.

Under new business the board regretfully accepted Steve Fisher's resignation and thanked him for his 20 plus years of service as a board member as well as serving as secretary. The board discussed and approved acquiring a gift card for Mr. Fisher in appreciation for all his years of service.

The Board accepted Donald Snyder's letter of interest and voted unanimously for Donald to take the open position left by Steve Fisher's resignation.

A discussion was held on updating the City's amendments to the plumbing code and should be completed when the next code cycle is adopted in Pennsylvania.

The board asked Jay Montgomery to contact Prometric and request that they update their testing to include the changes in the code from 2008 to 2015.

A motion was made to adjourn and was unanimously agreed upon.

Submitted by

Chad Spohn

Acting Secretary.

Chad Spohn

From: Jay Montgomery <jmplbinsp@outlook.com>
Sent: Thursday, June 3, 2021 12:05 PM
To: Barry Unger; Brian Miller; Chad Spohn; Chip Fegley; Don Snyder; Frank Forester; W Gernert (wgernert107@comcast.net)
Subject: FW: June 2021 Board meeting
Attachments: FW: Meeting minuets

I know some of you have received this earlier, I had an issue with it going out to everyone.

From: Jay Montgomery <Jay.Montgomery@readingpa.gov>
Sent: Thursday, June 3, 2021 8:26 AM
To: jmplbinsp@outlook.com
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The Wednesday June 9, 2021 Plumbing Board meeting will be held at the Berks Fire Training Center , at 4 PM

Agenda

Update the City test to the 2012 IPC 9 most current cycle offered by prometric) ✓

Review PEXAGLASS gas pipe –(supplier would like the City's approval ✓

Discuss having the 1st. year apprentices meeting the City Board ✓

Interview test applicants (3 masters) ✓

I attached a draft of last meeting minutes . ✓

Let me know if there are any other items for the agenda.

–
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