

City of Reading

Plumbing Board Minutes

September 6, 2023

The meeting was held at the Wastewater Treatment Plant 899 Morgantown Road.

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

Board members present at the meeting:

William Gernert

Frank Forster

Donald Snyder

Chad Mauer

Chad Spohn

Also Present: Chief Plumbing Inspector Jay Montgomery

Old Business:

The June 7, 2023 minutes were read. Donald Snyder made a motion to accept the minutes and it was seconded by Frank Forster.

There was no other old business.

New business:

There was one new applicant for Journeyman plumber, Brandon Coleman. He provided proof that he had nine years of experience under a master plumber. He was approved.

The Plumbing board reviewed the City of Reading's new trades license application. They found that it is missing the statement, (all applicants for a license must come before the plumbing board to present their qualifications to the board to be approved to take the exam, as per city ordinance 109.2A(d) per function of the board). This ensures the applicant has the experience to perform work in a safe manner and protects the residents of the City of Reading.

The board welcomed Jud Firestone as a liaison to the Apprenticeship Committee and appreciates their commitment to keeping the plumbing board informed of how the program is progressing.

A motion was made by Chad Spohn to adjourn, and it was seconded by Frank Forster.

Submitted by,
Chad Spohn,
Recording Secretary.