



CJCOA

Central Jersey Code Officials Association



Meeting-February 6, 2013

President Lisa LaRue called the meeting to order at 12:15 pm followed by the flag salute.

President Lisa LaRue introduced the guest speaker Scott Mitchel from Greenlight Initiative, 888-788-5337, lednyc.com. Who gave a presentation on L.E.D. lighting. President LaRue temporarily adjourned the meeting to allow our guest speaker to give his presentation.

Upon reconvening the meeting President LaRue asked if everyone had read the minutes from the January 7, 2013 meeting. There was a motion and second to accept the minutes with a correction, correction on money to NJBOA for delegates was \$100 not \$300. Motion to accept minutes as corrected passed.

President Report; No report.

Vice President Report; No report.

Secretary's Report: Received a thank you letter from Desiree Daniels thanking the Association for the scholarship.

Treasurers Report: President LaRue limited Randy to one sentence! Randy thanked everyone for all the silver, it was very helpful. Motion and second to accept the Treasurers report, motion passed.

Legislative: Tony Cermele has resigned as League representative for NJBOA. Jerry Eggert has been appointed as the new rep. Mike Rodgers reported that Bob LaCosta brought up about A-2006 for third parties to allow them to be Construction Officials, appears to be going nowhere. Reached out to Cynthia Wilks to help oppose this bill.

A-904; Trying to increase from \$15,000 per year to \$15,000 per town.

A-1570; Residential fire sprinkler bill out of Assembly, no news on where it is in the Senate.

Education: Next meeting we will have Ed Coleman, to talk about Zip Wall systems.

Membership: Sofar about half of the membership dues have been paid, with vouchers. Please remember to get dues in.

Good & Welfare: Bill reports progress? Loni Baldino is sick. Joe Valeri reports Tom Polino stopped by, he is getting shots in his arm and neck. Hopefully he will be back soon.

Code Change Committee: 2012 code adoption up in the air. There will be a meeting February 8 at the DCA office to discuss this matter.

Golf Committee: Date is picked, May 15, just got contract. Starting to send out applications. Need access to items to be used as door prizes. This event helps us give out scholarships, it is our one fundraiser.

Website: No Report.

Region VII: Dominic Cardarelli mentioned that the new Chairman, Rich Soltis, was sworn in by the ICC President, Vice President, Secretary/Treasurer, immediate Past President and several Board Members. We are one of the top Regions in ICC. This was shown in Portland, Or. during the Annual Business meeting when we had a 65% success rate of getting code changes approved or denied which we supported. There was an informative presentation on the new CDP access, some of the points were explained here. Reminder to get Governmental Members designated. Region VII is giving NJBOA \$1,000 for the ABM. There is a conflict with our October meeting and the ABM, will discuss further when it gets closer.

NJBOA: Joe Valeri talked about their meeting. Dominic Sims, Acting CEO of ICC, attended the last meeting and spoke to the Board about supporting the ICC Annual Business meeting coming up in Atlantic City. Bob LaCosta thanked Ed Smith, Director of Codes and Standards for coming to swear him in. Apparently Mr. Smith went to the meeting, but the other members of NJBOA board were sworn in by representatives from New York State. Steve Jones is planning on bringing back the calendar raffle. Morris and Bergen County VoTech have approved courses for Codes and Standards. It costs \$25-\$35 to sponsor a student with Code Books. Discussion that TACO association is looking at sponsoring a student. Further discussion on getting the program started at Mercer County VoTech. Will look at getting someone from ICC to come down and talk about this program. They are also looking into trying to the Beef/steak fundraiser in June.

Old Business: Dominic Cardarelli handed out a memo on duct leakage calculations. Mike Rodgers discussed the form for Plan Review release with conditions. This was approved by DCA. The State will now be coming out with their own form, even though they said they would not. Ours will be available on our website. Joe Valeri requested that all working Construction Officials join MUNCO, John Fiedler is currently the Chairman but he is stepping down at the end of the year.

New Business: Building Safety Conference is May 1, 2 and 3. Brochures should be going out shortly. Some courses offered in the Spring catalog will also be available at the Building Safety Conference. Discussion on conflict with our meeting and start of conference. Tabled at this time.

Being no further business to come before the Association, there was a motion and second to adjourn the meeting. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned at 1:54PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard A. Soltis Jr

Secretary