

MINUTES

UTAH PLUMBER'S LICENSING BOARD MEETING

July 2, 2008

Room 475 4th Floor 09:00 a.m.
Heber Wells Building
160 East 300 South
Salt Lake City, Utah

CONVENED	09:06 a.m.
ADJOURNED	10:40 a.m.
BUREAU STAFF	F. David, Stanley, <i>Director</i> Ross Ford, <i>Associate Director</i> Dennis Meservy, <i>Bureau Manager</i> Yvonne King, <i>Board Secretary</i> Dan S. Jones, <i>Bureau 4 Manager</i> Daniel T. Jones, <i>Investigation Supervisor</i> Kent Barnes, <i>Compliance Manager</i>
BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT	David Told, <i>Chair</i> Gloria Miley Ed Gongaware Travis Dalley
BOARD MEMBERS EXCUSED	David Halverson
VISITORS	Doug Leon, <i>Davis County Applied Tech College</i> Michael Norman Dale Olson, <i>Utah Valley State College</i> Will Pierce, <i>Salt Lake Community College</i> Lori Stewart, <i>Mountainland Applied Tech College</i>
MINUTES	Ed Gongaware made a motion to approve the June 2008 board meeting minutes. Gloria Miley seconded the motion and all members voted in favor.
GOOD MORAL CHARACTER	Meservy referred to the statute and went through the administrative rule for burglar alarms pertaining to good moral character.

The board was considering similar regulation for plumbers, but needed to get a feel of how this would impact industry. David Stanley suggested having Dr. Charles Walton, who is the division diversion manager, meet with board.

PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

Meservy went through the proposed administrative rules for plumbers. This included proposed changes in R156-55c-302c examination requirements, R156-55c-302d, master supervisory experience and education and R156-55c-501, unprofessional conduct. Travis Dalley made a motion to approve all proposed administrative rules with amended changes to R156-55c-302d, master supervisory experience and education. Miley seconded the motion and all members voted in favor. This will now go before the Construction Services Commission for review.

REVIEW EXAM SCORES

Exam scores were reviewed. It was indicated that some exam questions are weighted differently. The board requested information on how many times an individual has re-taken an exam. Kent Barnes stated that he would check on that.

WATER CONSERVATION

After receiving public comment, the Uniform Building Code Commission reversed their decision to not adopt the proposed amendment for low flow water restriction conservation zones. The Building Code Commission will instead form an ad-hoc committee and address more appropriate ways to conserve water and how to best consider water conservation.

APPLICATION/DISCIPLINARY REVIEW

Michael Norman

Dennis Meservy presented a proposed Memorandum of Understanding for Michael Norman to become an apprentice plumber. Norman met with the board. Norman has a criminal history. Norman stated that he has been clean for five years. Meservy indicated that the probationary period would be for four years with drug testing only at the request of the division. Gongaware made a motion to approve a probationary license subject to the terms and conditions listed on the memorandum.

Miley seconded the motion and all members voted in favor. This memorandum and order will now go before the Construction Services Commission.

All business concluded meeting adjourned

Note: This report is not intended to be a verbatim transcript, but is intended to record the significant features of what was discussed in the meeting. Discussed items are not necessarily arranged in chronological order.

SS David Told _____ Date: September 3, 2008
David Told, Board Chair

SS Dennis Meservy _____ Date: September 3, 2008
Dennis Meservy, Bureau Manager