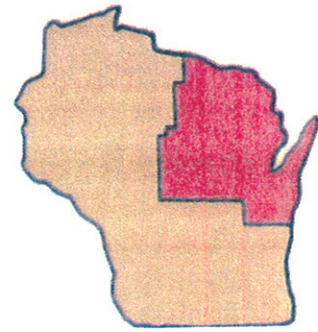


BUILDING INSPECTORS ASSN.

NORTHEASTERN WISCONSIN, INC.

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BIANEW Minutes May 1, 2008

The morning session was called to order by President Mike Miller at 9:35 a.m. The morning program was presented by Ryan Jones and Janel Burg with I Level. There was also a short presentation on Styrofoam SIS, Structural Insulated Sheathing by a representative from Dow.

President:

Mike Miller
127 Sawyer St
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President Mike Miller called the business meeting to order at 12:55 p.m. The minutes from the April 2008 meeting were approved by the group. Treasurer Rob Cormier gave the treasurer's report which was also approved by the group.

There was no old business.

Vice President:

Denis Jensen
335 S. Broadway
DePere WI
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(920) 339 4053

New Business:

Dennis Jensen stated the June 3rd meeting for the on-site inspections will be scaled down this year to four homes. There will be two in the rough state and 2 finals. We will meet at the De Pere Community Center at 9:00 a.m. and inspections will start at 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m., and then back to the Community Center where subs will be provided followed by the business meeting.

Secretary:

Jon Oldenburg
Village of Little
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108 W. Main St.
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The group will again meet at the De Pere Community Center on October 2, 2008 at 7:00 a.m. The group will travel by coach bus to Forest Products Lab in Madison for a tour.

Treasurer:

Rob Cormier
100 N Jefferson St
Green Bay WI
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Jack VanDerWeele reported that 26 members from our Association attended the State Conference held in Sheboygan. Jack stated that was a great turnout and the conference went well. Jack informed the group that Leroy Stublaski received an award from the Southwest Association and our group thanked him for all he does for us. Rob Cormier was presented with his plaque for Inspector of the Year 2007 from Jack. Rob thanked everyone and said he was sorry he was unable to attend the conference.

Website

Information:

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Jack stated at the conference the Southeast Association proposed adopting the IRC. This was tabled for a year for the other three Associations to discuss and then come back for review. Jack asked for Leroy's opinion. Leroy stated the latest from the State is that 16 out of 18 council members basically said "no thank you" to adopt the IRC. Leroy stated the State looks at the IRC all the time. Leroy stated the IRC is not a bad code but sees no advantage for Wisconsin to adopt the code. The IRC give a municipality the right to change the code compared to the State's code which is uniform. Leroy stated we would lose control as to what applies to us and therefore does not see an advantage to adopt the IRC. Jack stated our Association will need to discuss this proposal as a group and make an educated decision come next year.

Or

Brian Walter
City of Neenah
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Curt Demlow from Suamico brought up for discussion regarding the possibility of putting together a policy by the Association regarding assistance from neighboring communities should a disaster strike. President Mike Miller asked that this be put on the next agenda for the June 5th meeting for the group to vote on.

Leroy stated that the Department of Commerce allows gas-fueled heated sidewalks in non emergency uses but that the PSE still prohibits them.

President Mike Miller asked all attendees to introduce themselves.

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Brown, Calumet, Door, Florence, Forest, Kewaunee, Langlade, Lincoln, Manitowoc, Marinette, Marathon, Menominee, Oconto, Oneida, Outagamie, Portage, Shawano, Waupaca, Winnebago, Wood, and Vitas

Roundtable:

President Mike Miller informed the group that jackets are being ordered. Contact Emil Jensen to place your order. The cost for members is \$5.00 for the jacket and \$6.00 if you have your name on it. Orders are to be placed by next month. Brian Walter will be putting the choice of jackets on the Association's website for viewing. There was discussion that the Electrical Association bases the cost of jackets on the number of meetings the member attends. It was also discussed that a deadline for ordering could be set.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:40 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted
Lori Jencks
Acting Secretary BIANEW

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