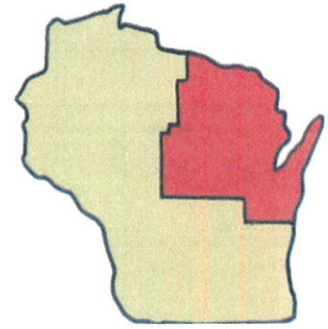


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The morning session was called to order by President Peter Fetters @ 9:31AM. The morning program was presented by Don Oremus of the Wisconsin Department of Commerce Plumbing Division on drain and vent design. Don reviewed the current issues with failures of air-admittance valves and the possibilities of the state rescinding the approval of these devices. He also reported that the requirement for tracer wires on underground plumbing is now in the State Legislature and is expected to pass as submitted. The State has also granted citation power to the State Plumbing Inspectors. The proposed fine for first time license violations will be \$1500, with the second violation being \$2000.

Don reviewed Section 82 of the Commerce Code, its requirements, and specific points to remember when inspecting drain – vent systems. The morning session ended at 12:34AM and was good for 3-hours of plumbing license continuing education.

President Peter Fetters called the afternoon business meeting to order at 1:30PM. The minutes of the September 2007 were approved as published. Treasurer Rob Cormier gave a Treasurers report to the group which was also approved.

Peter reported that the group is still in need of nominations for officers, Vice President candidates in particular. He then reported that he has been in contact with Fox Valley Technical College to get information on setting up a scholarship. He moved that the group start a \$500 scholarship with Fox Valley Tech to be assigned to the programs related to the building trades. Additional schools in the area covered by the Association may be brought in for scholarships as approved by the group. The motion was approved and carried by the group.

A round table session was held. The meeting was adjourned @ 1:55PM.

Respectfully submitted
Jon Oldenburg
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Next Meeting: November 01 2007 – Structural Insulated Panel Construction, by Extreme structures LLC , 2-hrs coont. Ed credits UDC & Comm Const.

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