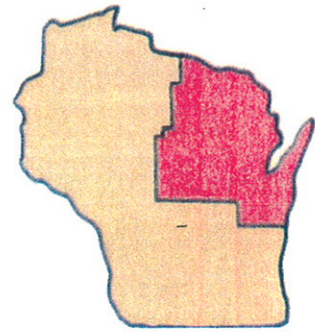


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**BIANEW Minutes April 2, 2009**

The morning meeting was called to order by President Dennis Jensen at 9:30 a.m. Richard Paur and Scott Satula of the Southeastern Wisconsin Building Inspectors Association presented an overview of the IRC. They would like our organization to join them in petitioning the State of Wisconsin to adopt the IRC. A question and answer session followed with many good questions asked about how this code would affect us as building inspectors.

The business meeting was called to order at 12:30 p.m. There was no reading of the March minutes due to the absence of the secretary. The treasurer's report was given and approved. Discussion on reimbursement in the form of gas cards to speakers ensued. Motion was made and seconded to give cards to non-reimbursed speakers only in the amount of \$50.00. The decision of when to use these cards will be done by the Sunshine and Hospitality committee.

Dennis Jensen stated that the City of Oshkosh would not be able to do on-site inspections in June due to the lack of new home construction in that city. Suggestions for the June meeting should be made to Dennis.

Rob Cormier gave information about NWTC acceptance of scholarships. A discussion followed with a motion made and seconded to give \$500 scholarships annually to four schools (Northeast Wisconsin Technical College, Fox Valley Technical College, North Central Technical College and Mid State Technical College) for students enrolled in courses in the construction industry with a 3.0 GPA and financial need. The colleges will make all the decisions about who receives these scholarships according to their programs. Rob will get all the information for NWTC and Phil Borchardt and Lorelei Fuehrer will get the information from their respective colleges about scholarships.

A proposed amendment to bylaw Section 4.07 was tabled until Rob can check with our lawyer about the language in the proposal. Rob will also check on the language in Section 5.02. This was also tabled until next month.

Mike Miller presented a more detailed owner waiver he received from a building inspector in Florida. He felt this put more teeth in the waiver than the one we have from the State.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted  
Donna Jensen  
Acting Secretary

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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