Board Members:
Ronald Feuerbach
Michael McEvoy
Ken Stewart
Thomas E. Phipps, Chief Mechanical Inspector/Chief Boiler Inspector, City Planning Department (non-voting)

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Mr. Michael McEvoy called the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.

Motion by Mr. Ron Feuerbach to forego the reading of the opening statement. Second by Mr. Ken Stewart.

AYES: Feuerbach, McEvoy, Stewart

Motion carried: 3-0, Approved

I. Roll Call

Ronald Feuerbach
Michael McEvoy
Ken Stewart

Others Present:
Thomas E. Phipps, Chief Mechanical Inspector
Autumn Drickey, Board Secretary

II. Approval of Minutes from August 3, 2018

Motion by Mr. Feuerbach to approve the minutes from the August 3, 2018 meeting. Second by Mr. Stewart.

AYES: Feuerbach, McEvoy, Stewart

Motion carried: 3-0, Approved

III. Report from Chief Mechanical Inspector

Mr. Tom Phipps stated that there were three exams that were taken since the last meeting, one master and two journeyman. He stated that no new applications have been submitted to test. Mr. McEvoy asked about future tests. Mr. Phipps responded. He stated that the May 2019 test could have as many as forty individuals testing. Mr. McEvoy asked about the test being split and the grading taking place in both. Mr. Phipps explained where the test could take place as well as grading. He explained the 2019 calendar would be finalized sooner rather than later. There is discussion about how grading would take place and how the ordinance reads. There is discussion about scheduling the test dates and meetings to grade the tests, particularly the June 2019 meeting.

IV. Executive Session to Grade Exam(s)

Motion by Mr. Feuerbach to go into executive session to grade exams. Second by Mr. Stewart.

AYES: Feuerbach, McEvoy, Stewart

Motion carried: 3-0, Approved

Executive Session begins at 1:18 p.m.
Motion by Mr. Feuerbach to come out of Executive Session. Second by Mr. Stewart.

AYES: Feuerbach, McEvoy, Stewart

Motion carried: 3-0, Approved

Executive Session ends at 2:24 p.m.

Motion by Mr. Feuerbach to publish the results of the exams. Second by Mr. Stewart.

AYES: Feuerbach, McEvoy, Stewart

Motion carried: 3-0, Approved

V. Discussion

- Time of meetings in 2019 – consensus that 1:00 p.m. works best. Final calendar will be determined at a later date based on information gathered from Metro Community College.

VI. Adjournment

Motion by Mr. Feuerbach to adjourn. Second by Mr. Stewart.

AYES: Feuerbach, McEvoy, Stewart

Motion carried: 3-0, Adjourned at 2:28 p.m.

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