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DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES
STATE BUILDING CODE COUNCIL

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State Building Code Council (SBCC) Meeting
Tuesday, May 15, 2018
9:00 a.m.

Department of Accounting and General Services
Comptroller's Conference Room 410
Kalanimoku Building
1151 Punchbowl Street
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

West Hawaii Civic Center
Building "E", First Floor
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Kailua-Kona, Hawaii 96740

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Minutes

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 9:03 a.m.

2. Introductions and Public Comments

The attendees introduced themselves. Kraig Stevenson thanked those who supported and attended the Governor's Proclamation signing for Building Safety Month, 2018.

3. Review and approval of minutes of the April 17, 2018 meeting

Motion: Member Wiig motioned to approve the April 17, 2018, meeting minutes. The motion was unanimously approved.

4. Discussion of Administrative Coordination

No update.

5. Discussion of 2018 Legislation

No update.

6. Clarification for Approved Amendment to Group R for Fire Sprinklers

Members discussed the approved amendment from last month's meeting. It was clarified that the amendment would require residential sprinklers in new one- and two-family dwellings for State projects. Members Rogers and Serikaku misunderstood and thought the amendment proposed to delete the requirement. Since the voting for the amendment was not affected, the amendment stands as approved.

7. Discussion and Election of SBCC Chair and Vice Chair

- a. Nominations for Chair were opened and member Wiig was nominated. The nominations were closed.

Motion: Member Rogers motioned to approve Howard Wiig as Chair. The motion was unanimously approved.

- b. Nominations for Vice Chair were opened and member Dillon was nominated. The nominations were closed.

Motion: Member Rogers motioned to approve Tyler Dillon as Vice Chair. The motion was unanimously approved.

8. Updates from the investigative committees:

- a. Investigative committee for the structural provisions for the IBC and the IRC

Member Reinhardt received an inquiry regarding hurricane resistant standards for residences. He will forward to Gaur Johnson for a response.

- b. Investigative committee for the non-structural provisions of the IBC and the IRC.

Member Reinhardt will communicate with Member Wiig on related energy conservation requirements in the IBC/IRC.

- c. Investigative Committee for the International Energy Conservation Code (IECC)

- 1) Member Wiig passed out a communication on a federal Department of Energy standard on air conditioning energy efficiency, which measures consumption in active, standby, and off modes.
- 2) The State Energy office conducted webinar training as a result of the recent storm related disasters on Kauai and Oahu.
- 3) Member Wiig informed that building plans being submitted to the counties do not provide details of various energy requirements, such as roof insulation and designer certification. He distributed several sample compliance certification documents to the attendees.
- 4) Member Wiig distributed draft county amendments to the IECC 2015 edition. Kauai council passed its first reading to the proposed county amendments to the IECC 2015 edition. Maui is reviewing the amendments and Honolulu and Big Island had no update.

d. Investigative committee for the Uniform Plumbing Code

No update.

e. Investigative committee for the Green Code

No update.

f. Investigative committee for the Mechanical Code

No update

g. Investigative committee for the State Fire Code

No update

h. Investigative committee for the energy efficiency code coordination

The final meeting will be held on May 31, 2018, at the Bishop Street office.

i. Investigative committee for the State Electrical Code

No update

9. Update on communication and training

The State energy office is available for any additional training.

10. Update on county and state adoption of building codes

Kauai County Council passed first reading of the IECC 2015 edition on May 30, 2018. Members were informed that the counties have two years to adopt the county code after the State code is approved.

11. Discussion of possible agenda item(s) for next Council meeting

No items were brought forward.

12. Announcements

Member Wiig will be consulting with the City of Vista on energy issues.

13. Next meeting: June 19, 2018, at 9:00 a.m.

14. Adjournment

Motion: Member Wiig motioned to adjourn the meeting at 10:20 a.m. The motion was unanimously approved.