



ELECTRICAL COMMITTEE MINUTES

August 11, 2009

2:30 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Chairman Eddie Dunn
Mr. John Butler
Mr. Waldo Pendleton
Mr. Joe Borcic

MEMBERS ABSENT: Vice Chairman Dennis Hathcock
Mr. Jerry Lofy
Mr. Daniel McCully

OTHERS PRESENT: Mr. Henry Yankowski, Building Official
Mr. Dean Wemmer, Chief Electrical Inspector
Mr. Todd Welch, Legal Counsel
Mrs. Jan Myers, Transcriber

PROCEEDINGS:

Chairman Ed Dunn called the meeting to order at 2:35 p.m.

1. CONSIDERATION OF JULY 14, 2009 MINUTES

A motion was made by John Butler to recommend to the Board of Review **APPROVAL** of the minutes as written, seconded by Waldo Pendelton; the motion carried unanimously.

2. COMPLAINTS

There were no Complaints to discuss.

3. CONSENT CALENDAR

There were no items on the Consent Calendar.

VARIANCE REQUESTS

There were no Variance Requests to discuss.

4. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

a) Discussion on the 2008 National Electrical Code.

Dean Wemmer opened the discussion with an overview of the requirements for use of the 2008 National Electrical Code. He said without using the current Code, people will not be able to access any of the rebates or other stimulus money. He said this would not affect the remainder of 2009. Mr. Wemmer stated RBD had originally planned to adopt all the new Codes at one time; however, it could take up to a year to be able to adopt all the International Codes, and it may not be feasible to wait that long to adopt the National Electrical Code. Waldo Pendleton stated we must keep up with the current requirements, which means adopting the 2008 Code. Todd Welch stated that we would have a better chance of possibly adopting the Code with our alterations if we are pro active and adopt the Code now before a higher government body forces us to.

Ed Dunn stated the remainder of this discussion will be postponed until the September 8, 2009, Electrical Committee meeting.

5. **NEW BUSINESS**

There was no New Business to discuss.

The meeting adjourned at 2:30 p.m.