



WASHINGTON ASSOCIATION OF BUILDING OFFICIALS

“Leading the way to excellence in building and life safety”

MINUTES – 2019 Winter Committee Meeting

Tumwater, Washington

January 31, 2019

Call to Order

The winter business and committee meetings of the voting representatives was called to order by President Ray Allshouse, on January 31, 2019 at 8:00 a.m.

Roll Call

The following executive board officers were present:

C. Ray Allshouse	-	President
Kurt Aldworth	-	1st Vice President
Lee Kranz	-	2 nd Vice President

The following executive board officers were absent:

Tom Phillips	-	Immediate Past President
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The following executive board directors were present:

Brian Smith	-	Certification & Registration
Micah Chappell	-	Technical Code Development
Tim Woodard	-	Government Relations
Angela Haupt	-	Finance
Todd Blevins	-	Outreach Services
Ray Cockerham	-	Emergency Management
Jon Siu	-	Past President
Trace Justice	-	Past President
Gary Schenk	-	Past President

The following executive board directors were absent:

Rick Prosser	-	Education
Andy Higgins	-	Accreditation
Jim Tinner	-	State Building Code Council

The following management personnel were present:

Tara Jenkins	-	Executive Director
Troy Jenkins	-	Jenkins Management Solutions, LLC

Introductions

The active member voting representatives, associate members and guests introduced themselves. (Registration forms on file at WABO office).

Agenda

The President presented the proposed Agenda for the January 31, 2019, Winter Committee meeting.

MOTION: It was moved and seconded that the agenda be approved.
The motion carried.

Minutes

President Allshouse presented the proposed minutes for the October 11-12, 2018 Fall Business Meeting in Walla Walla, Washington.

MOTION: It was moved and seconded that the minutes be approved as submitted.
The motion carried.

Meeting adjourned for committee meetings at 8:10 a.m.

Legislative Overview

Tim Woodard, Chair, Government Relations Committee and Amy Brackenbury, WABO Lobbyist, provided an overview of the plans for the members to visit the capitol and urge legislators to support HB1402 / SB5587 Alternate Building Construction Methods and HB1752 Labor and Industries Contractor Bonding.

Tim and Amy provided a review of other legislation of interest to WABO.

Committee Meeting was adjourned at 8:58 a.m. so members could travel to the capitol building.

Committee Meetings Reconvened at 12:30 p.m.

Tim Woodard and Amy Brackenbury led a discussion on the visits to the Hill and went over the positions WABO is taking on bills and asked for membership input.

Brian Smith, Certification and Registration chair, announced that C & R has a goal to educate and promote the various programs to new building officials, inspectors and industry. C & R will also be taking the lead on social media with Instagram and Twitter. Whitney Doll, ICC's Vice President of Communications, has been contacted regarding best practices and has provided several resources. Whitney and her team are also willing to come out to educate. Jon Siu provided an overview of Cross Laminated Timber (CLT) and the need to establish a program for special inspection registration.

MOTION: It was moved and seconded that the Certification and Registration committee add the category of Cross Laminated Timber (CLT) as part of the WABO Special Inspection Registration Program. The Special Inspection Advisory Board will develop the registration details. Motion passed.

Micah Chappell, Chair of the Technical Code Committee, discussed ICC Group A OGCV, State Group 1 public comments and State Group 2 proposals.

Committee Meetings adjourned at 4:00 p.m.