



FIRE MARSHAL TRAINING COUNCIL MEETING

May 1, 2013 Minutes

Chairman Hyland called the meeting to order at 11:00 a.m.

Members present:

Fire Members James DiPace, Donald Harwood, Rev. Ed Hyland (Chair), Victor Mitchell, Jeff Morrisette, Robert Ross, Robert Upson

Office of Education and Data Management Bonnie Becker, Doug Schanne & Beth Potts

Also attending was Jenna Padula from Department of Construction Services

A quorum was present.

Old Business:

Jenna Padula provided a copy of House Bill No. 6425 that came out of committee. Basically, the only changes were the addition of pre-requisites. Jenna suggested structural changes to the pre-requisite language to mirror Building Officials. Potential changes to pre-requisite language would be as follows: three years' experience in fire suppression or fire prevention; responding and controlling releases or potential releases of hazardous materials; inspection; or investigation of cause & origin of fires – OR equivalent experience as determined by the Commissioner of Construction Services. A pre-requisite concerning police officers could be added. The legislative session ends in June. Jenna agreed to provide updates to the committee.

A motion was made and seconded to adjourn. All in favor. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 11:35 a.m.

Confirmation of next meeting: Wednesday, October 16, 2013 at 2:00pm

Rev. Edward Hyland, Chair

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