FIRE PROTECTION SPRINKLER SYSTEMS WORK EXAMINING BOARD

MINUTES

JUNE 2, 2022

The meeting was called to order by David Waskowicz, Chairperson, on Thursday, June 2, 2022 at 9:05 a.m. The meeting was held remotely via Zoom Webinar.

Members Present: David J. Waskowicz - Unlimited Journeyperson,

Chairperson

Wayne Roderick, Unlimited Journeyperson Kevin Wypychoski – Unlimited Contractor

Kevin Griffith – State Fire Marshal Anthony Moscato – Public Member Keith Flood – Local Fire Marshal

Members Absent: None

Board Vacancies: One Unlimited Contractor

Two Public Members

DCP Staff: Karen Layman, License and Application Analyst

Pamela Brown, Director, Investigations Division Janita Hamel, Supervising Special Investigator

Paulette Annon, Asst. Legal Director

Paul Grabowski, Staff Attorney

Shameeka Grose, Paralegal Specialist Richard Hurlburt, DCP Retiree Staff

Others Present: Frank Savino, Applicant

David Israel, Applicant Jeff Castner, Applicant

Note: The administrative functions of the Boards, Commissions and Councils are carried out by the Department of Consumer Protection, Investigations Division. For more information, refer to DCP Agency website: www.ct.gov/dcp.

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COMMENTS OR CONCERNS OF ANY PERSON PRESENT TODAY:

None

AMENDMENT TO AGENDA:

A motion was made by Keith Flood, seconded by Anthony Moscato, to amend the order of the agenda to move the two New Business, Application Review agenda items to the top of the agenda. The motion passed unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Application Review - Frank Savino - F-1 Application

A motion was made by Keith Flood, seconded by Wayne Roderick, to table this application until the applicant provides the following additional documentation: Laws and regulations containing the scope of work and requirements met for New Jersey and New York City licenses held, as well as notarized letter(s) outlining the applicant's dates and duties of employment as it relates specifically to the F-2 scope of work. The motion passed unanimously.

2. Application Review - David Israel - F-1 Application

A motion was made by Anthony Moscato, seconded by Keith Flood, to table this application until the applicant provides the following documentation: Notarized letter(s) outlining the applicant's dates and duties of employment as it relates specifically to the F-2 scope of work. The motion passed unanimously.

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING:

A motion was made by Anthon Moscato, seconded by Wayne Roderick to approve the March 10, 2022 Fire Protection Sprinkler Systems Work Examining Board meeting minutes with one amendment. The motion passed unanimously.

DCP INVESTIGATION DIVISION COMPLAINT STATUS REPORT:

1. The Investigations Division reported that there were no new protection complaints and no existing fire protection investigations were closed during the time period of 03/01/2022 to 04/30/2022.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Backflow Prevention Device

The Board would like to move forward with proposing changes to the regulations and/or statutes pertaining to this topic. David Waskowicz reported that this item was

on the April 21, 2022 Plumbing and Piping Work Examining Board meeting agenda, and that he attended this meeting. The item was tabled until the July 28, 2022 Plumbing and Piping Work Examining Board meeting to allow Plumbing Board Members to conduct the proper research on this topic. David Waskowicz encourages Fire Protection Board members to attend the July 28, 2022 Plumbing Board meeting for further discussion.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Application Review Working Group

David Waskowicz provided a summary of the applications reviewed at the last three Application Review Working Group meetings.

CORRESPONDENCE:

None

COMMENTS OR CONCERNS OF ANY PERSON PRESENT TODAY:

Jeff Castner attended the meeting for observation purposes.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 10:37 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Karen Layman, License & Application Analyst

2022 BOARD MEETING SCHEDULE:

September 8
December 1