



International Association of Electrical Inspectors

Minnesota Chapter

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MINUTES

MINNESOTA CHAPTER 2018 FALL MEETING

MN Chapter IAEI Fall Meeting called to order by President Wade Hoffman at 12:00 noon on October 11, 2018 at the St. Paul JATC Building. Secretary/Treasurer Schlie read the minutes of the spring meeting which were approved without change.

With no additional old business, President Hoffman asked for the treasurer's report. The Treasurer gave a limited report on the finances of the Chapter. He gave the totals of each of the Chapters Accounts. The checking account has a total of \$4987.24, GEODA savings has a total of \$2619.38, and the CD savings account has a total of \$10,291.12 for an all funds total of \$17,897.74. It was also mentioned that several bills had been paid and a memoriam of \$50.00 was paid to the family of Don Barrett. The financial report was approved as presented.

The Secretary noted that the Chapter correspondence included a thank you card from the family of Don Barrett for the card and the money.

With no other correspondence, President Hoffman asked for the committee reports.

- Auditing - Marty Ignatowicz did not have anything to announce.
- Sunshine – Former Sunshine chair gave the following report. Sympathy cards were sent to retired Area Rep James Vandenberg whose wife had passed away, and Area Rep John McNamara whose father passed away. Get well cards were sent to both Lowell Bradbury and Chip Jespersen. Schlie informed the members that Neil Furman would be the new Sunshine committee Chair. Schlie also mentioned that all future requests for card should be sent to Neil Furman.
- Education – Dean Hunter asked the membership for input on what they think would be a good topic to be covered in future meeting. He also mentioned that the POE presentation that would be following this meeting was going to give each member present 2 hours of CEU credit.
- Legislative Liaison – John Williamson reported that even though some groups tried to change our licensing and ratio law and our license to register worker W-2 relationship law, in the end both changes were denied. John also mentioned that with the upcoming election there will be a new Governor. With that new Governor there could be changes to the Commissioners of the various Departments. DLI's Commissioner has announced his intention to retire regardless of the election outcome. It was also mentioned that this next session will be a long one with it being a bond session.
- Membership – In the absents of Membership Chair Robert Sogla, Secretary Schlie reported on the membership information that was given out at the Western Section meeting in Appleton WI.
- Annual Institute for Building Officials - Dean Hunter reported on all of the seminars that will be offered at the AIBO in January. Dean informed the members that were present that some of the sessions would

include “Critical System Requirements per the 2017 NEC” by Dan Neeser, Eaton Bussman. “Significant Proposed Changes to the 2020 NEC” by Derrick Atkins, Minneapolis Elec. JATC. Art 514 Motor Fuel Dispensing Facilities & Art 410, 411 & 600LED Luminaries and Signs by Jeff Fecteau, UL. “One and Two Family Dwellings” by Dean Hunter, MN DLI. Code Panel Discussion on the 2017 NEC and Licensing, various members. “Questions from the Field” Mark Hunter & Marty Kumm MN DLI.

- Scholarship Drawing – Presented by Steven Dudley. There were 4 - \$500.00 scholarships given out this year thanks to several generous contributors. The drawing was made by our visitor Brandon Nelson
 - The \$500.00 IBEW Local 343 Scholarship was given to Ashley Sogla.
 - The \$500.00 MEA Scholarship was given to Joseph Moynihan.
 - The \$500.00 Eaton-Bussman Scholarship was given to Mitchel Westphal.
 - The \$500.00 Richard Owens (Mn Chp. IAEL) Scholarship was given to Nicole Sawyer.
- Western Section Annual Meeting Report – Dean Hunter gave a detailed report on the Western Section meetings. He also talked about a field trip to look at a “Micro Grid” that was put on by Faith Technologies.
- Nominating Committee Report – By Sheldon Monson
 - Immediate Past President – Wade Hoffman
 - President – Mark Hunter
 - Vice President – Steven Dudley
 - Secretary/Treasurer – Wade Schlie
 - Membership Chair – Robert Sogla
 - Education Chair – Dean Hunter
 - Board of Director Members - Joe E. Sobanski, Chad Kurdi, Daniel Jager, Brian Lee Gray, and Scott Higgins
 - Western Section Representative – Dean Hunter
 - Ex Officio – Dan Neeser, Eaton-Bussman Corp.
 - Ex Officio – John Williamson, Minnesota Department of Labor & Industry

Once the nominations were read President Hoffman asked for any nomination from the floor. None being heard the nominations were closed; the names were approved to be voted on at the annual meeting in January.

A motion was made and accepted to approve all committee reports.

President Hoffman announced that the next chapter business meeting will be immediately following the first day of the Annual Institute for Building Officials, January 9, 2018. The meeting will be followed by a social hour at the Chianti Grill.

With no other new business, the meeting was adjourned at 2:00 p.m. and was followed by a presentation from Brandon Nelson on “PoE for Inspectors”. We had 30 plus attendees that received credit for this session.

Respectfully submitted,
Wade Schlie
Secretary/Treasurer