

## STATE BUILDING CODE COUNCIL

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## STATE BUILDING CODE COUNCIL IFC TAG MEETING SUMMARY MEETING MINUTES

**LOCATION:** The meeting was held via Zoom and teleconference

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, October 8, 2024

<u>Members in Attendance</u>: TAG Chair Dan Young, Ken Brouillette, Ricky Campbell, Lance Dahl, Walker Donuji, Seth Henderson, Jacob Liddicoat, Samir Mokashi, Quyen Thai, Zachary Tuck

<u>Members Absent</u>: TAG Chair Alternate Roger Heeringa, Ning Wang, Ray Shipman, Hugo Sotelo, Mike Nykreim, William Maibusch, Dave Kokot, Sean Morgan, Kevin Marr,

**Staff In Attendance**: Managing Director Dustin Curb, Rozanna Ghanie, Annette Haworth

<u>Visitors Present</u>: James Knowles, Mark Taitano, David Mow, Elizabeth Torske, Corey Mignacca, Patrick Hanks, Cody Case, Joshua Garcia, Carsten Jonas, Dallen Romriell, Eric Sigmen

Agenda Items	TAG Discussion
Welcome and Introductions	The meeting was called to order at 2:01 p.m. by TAG Chair Dan Young.
	Roll call was taken, and quorum was present.
	<b>Motion:</b> Due to Dan Young's technical issues, Walker Donuji moved to have Dustin Curb as Chair Pro-tem. Ken Brouillette second. Motion passed.
	Members of the public were given the opportunity to introduce themselves.
2. Review and Approve Agenda	SBCC Staff presented the agenda.
	<b>Motion:</b> Ken Brouillette moved to approve the agenda with modifications to move items #12 and #14 to be addressed after item #4. Walker Donuji second. Motion passed.
Review and Approve Minutes     October 1, 2024	Minutes were not ready for this meeting
Public Comment on Items Not on the Agenda	Members of the public were given the opportunity to discuss items not listed on the agenda.
	None were brought forth.

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12. Amerex Corp. Petition 24- GP1-072: 904.1.1 Certification of Service Personnel for Fire- Extinguisher Equipment	James Knowles, Amerex, explained petition. Ken Brouillette noted NICET has a work requirement built in certification while NAFED does not. James stated that NICET is not viable in Washington because there is no opportunity for technicians to gain work experience.  Ken Brouillette asked if recertification process has a work requirement? James stated there is a Continue Education requirement to stay up-to-date. Further discussion was heard on Item #14 before a motion was made on this proposal.  Motion: Ken Brouillette moved to refer 24-GP-072 back to proponent
	to revise and be brought back at a future meeting, TBD. Ray Shipman second. Voice vote was taken, and the motion passed.
14. Ricky Campbell Petition 24- GP1-102 / 24-GP1-102-R1: 904 Alternative Automatic Fire Extinguishing Systems  • Red Hawk Comment Letter  • Empire Comment Letter	Ricky Campbell explained his petition with regards to sprinkler fitters. He is asking IFC accept ITT certification in lieu of 24-GP1-072 requirements for certification.
	Ken Brouillette asked if sprinkler fitters are already doing this work? Ricky Campbell responded that yes, they are. James Knowles disagrees and indicated that sprinkler fitters rarely, if ever, install any part of a pre-engineered system.
	Additional discussion on the merit of proposal 24-GP1-072 versus 24-GP1-102 was heard.
	<b>Motion:</b> Ken Brouillette moved to recommend 24-GP1-102 for adoption as drafted. Walker Donuji second. Roll call was taken with 6 yes and 2 abstentions. The motion passed.
5. Ken Brouillette Petiton 24- GP1-042 / 24-GP1-042-R1: 320.3 Outdoor Storage	Ken Brouillette explained revision to the petition. The WAC - language was missing from the initial petition.
	<b>Motion:</b> Jacob Liddicoat moved to recommend adoption of petition <a href="24-GP1-042-R1">24-GP1-042-R1</a> to the Council. Walker Donuji second. Roll call was taken with 7 yes and 1 abstention. The motion passed.
6. Ken Brouillette Petition <u>24-GP1-041 / 24-GP1-041-R1</u> : 320.4 Storage Requirements	Ken Brouillette explained revision to the petition. The WAC language was missing from the initial petition.
	<b>Motion:</b> Walker Donuji moved to recommend adoption of petition 24-GP1-041-R1 to the Council. Quyen Thai second. Roll call was taken. Motion passed with one abstention.
7. IFC TAG Petition 24-GP1-083 / 24-GP1-083-R1: 503 Fire Apparatus Access Roads. Revised at Oct 1 Meeting.	Ricky Campbell explained revisions to Petition <u>24-GP1-083 / 24-GP1-083-R1: 503 Fire Apparatus Access Roads</u> to include language "standard and ordinances".
	<b>Motion:</b> Samir Mokashi moved to recommend Petition <u>24-GP1-083 / 24-GP1-083-R1: 503 Fire Apparatus Access Roads</u> for adoption as presented to the council. Walker Donuji second. Voice vote was taken, and motion passed.
8. IFC TAG Petition 24-GP1- 084: 510 Emergency Responder Communications	Ricky Campbell explained Petition <u>24-GP1-084</u> : 510 Emergency Responder Communications Enhancement Systems. Ricky recommended that the entire petition require additional TAG review due to many changes. The TAG reviewed sections that need further

Enhancement Systems	review. TAG discussed creating a work group to address language in
Elinancement Systems	Section 5.
	<b>Motion:</b> Samir Mokashi moved to convene a small work group to review targeted sections identified in Section 5. Work group will include Ken Brouillette, Walker Donuji, Ricky Campbell and David Mow. Ricky Campbell seconded. Voice vote was taken, and motion passed.
	Review will be due by October 18 <sup>th</sup> and reviewed at the October 22 <sup>nd</sup> TAG meeting.
9. Ken Brouillette Petition <u>24-</u> <u>GP1-046</u> : 611 Electric Vehicle Charging Stations	Ken Brouillette explained Petition <u>24-GP1-046</u> : 611 Electric Vehicle Charging Stations. Ken explained 611 Disconnecting means should match NFPA 70 which allows fire code officials to require the emergency disconnect.
	This was tabled until item #10.
	<b>Motion</b> : Ken Brouillette move to table item for the October 15 <sup>th</sup> meeting. Samir Mokashi seconded. Voice vote was taken, and motion passed.
10. Spokane Fire Dept Petition 24-GP1-009: 909.20.6.4 Separate Systems	Dave Kokot was not present, but Lance Dahl explained Petition 24-GP1-009: 909.20.6.4 Separate Systems. Lance Dahl explained that Dave Kokot wanted to mirror what is already is already in use in elevators and shaft systems. David Mow asked if 909.20.6.4 should be 909.20.5.4?
	<b>Motion:</b> Lance Dahl moved refer the petition back to proponent to confirm correct numbering of the section. Ricky Campbell second. Voice vote was taken, and motion passed.
	Staff will reach out to Dave Kokot regarding the petition.
11. Ken Brouoillette Petition <u>24-GP1-071</u> : 915 / 1103.9 General Definitions, Carbon Monoxide Detection	<b>Motion</b> : Ken Brouillette move to table item for the October 15 <sup>th</sup> meeting. Samir Mokashi seconded. Voice vote was taken, and motion passed.
12. Agenda Item #12 heard after Item #4	
13. Ken Brouillette Petition 24- GP1-091 / 24-GP1-091-R1: 903.2.8.4 / 903.2.8.5 Group R-3 Occupancies 4 stories or less above grade plane. Group R-3 Occupancies less than 60 feet in height	<b>Motion</b> : Ken Brouillette move to table item for the October 15 <sup>th</sup> meeting. Samir Mokashi seconded. Voice vote was taken, and motion passed.
14. Agenda Item #14 heard after Item #4	
15. Carsten Jonas Petition 24-	<b>Motion</b> : Ken Brouillette move to table item for the October 15 <sup>th</sup>

GP1-121: 202 / 902.1 / 907.4.2.5.1 General Definitions, Definitions, Break- glass covers	meeting. Samir Mokashi seconded. Voice vote was taken, and motion passed.
16. IFC TAG Petition 24-GP1- 074: 909.12.2 Fire Alarm Wiring within continuous raceways for Smoke Control/Pressurization Systems	<b>Motion</b> : Ken Brouillette move to table item for the October 22 <sup>nd</sup> meeting. Samir Mokashi seconded. Voice vote was taken, and motion passed.
17. Proposal/Meeting Scheduling moving Forward	Dustin Curb briefly went over the TAG's timeline for completion of work before the Committee Meeting. Dustin asked if the TAG would be open to three hour meetings with a break. Discussion was held. TAG meetings will be held from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m.
	<b>Motion:</b> Lance Dahl moved to have TAG meetings from 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. through November 5 <sup>th</sup> . Walker Donuji second. Voice vote was taken, and motion passed.
18. Other Business	No other business was discussed
19. Adjourn	Meeting adjourned at 3:59 p.m.