



# Rhode Island Building Official's Association

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## **RIBOA Monthly Meeting-April**

**Location- Warren Town Hall,**

**Warren, RI**

**April 25, 2012**

## **WE LIKE TO EXTEND OUR SPECIAL THANKS TO BILL NASH AND THE TOWN OF WARREN FOR HOSTING OUR MONTHLY MEETING.**

**IF ANYONE IS INTERESTED IN HOSTING A FUTURE MONTHLY MEETING, PLEASE CONTACT BILL NASH.**

**THANKS ALSO FOR THE EDUCATION COORDINATED BY WARREN DUCHARME AND THE PRESENTATION BY BRYAN J. MOREAU FROM 3M FIREPROOFING PRODUCTS.**

**COFFEE AND DONUTS PROVIDED BY RIBOA**

**Meeting called to order** at 2:30 PM by President Bill Nash

**Pledge of Allegiance** Pledge led by Stan P.

## **Executive Board Members Present:**

*President: Bill Nash*

*Vice President: Tom DiFusco-Not Present*

*Secretary: Wayne Pimental*

*Treasurer: Bruce Zaloudek-Not Present*

*Past President: Dave Tacey-Not Present*

**Minutes-** Motion made by Steve G., seconded by Roger P. to approve the March Minutes, all members approved.

## **Treasurers Report:**

- The report was presented by Wayne on behalf of Bruce for the period from March 28, 2012 to April 25, 2012. The amount paid out was \$721.38, and included coffee/pastry for meeting, clothing, the deposit for the Atlantic Beach Club Summer Outing and taxes. The amount received for the period was \$3,330.00 from the Golf Tournament. The balance in the checkbook was \$26,355.77. Motion to accept by Warren D., seconded by Joe R., all members approved.

## **Membership Report:**

- Correspondence received by President Nash from member Kerry Anderson asking to remain as certified eligible member. Kerry was present and stated that he has separated his service with the City of Providence. Motion to accept was made Scott M. seconded by Joe T., all members approved. We wish Kerry the best in his search for a new position.
- Committee Memberships- President Nash appointed Brad Ward to serve on the New England Building Officials Association Board (NEBOA), congratulations Brad.



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Bill Hanley also wanted to note that the NEBOA's new website is now up and running, and the link was sent to all members. This will have links for the Amherst registration, as well as the posting of all code handouts from the seminars.

- The position on the ICC Regional Coalition (NERC) is still available. If anyone is interested in this position, please submit your request to Bill Nash.

**Committee Appointments:** None Reported.

**Committee Reports:**

- **Social-** Chair Peter Scorpio was not present
- **Education-** President Nash reported that he is still working with Warren on next months RIBOA education program. The meeting is tentatively scheduled to be held at the Greenwood Fire Co. on Post Road in Warwick. A Q & A meeting inviting the Building Code Standards Committee is also being planned. This will allow our members to get to know the members, their role and how we can all benefit from that knowledge and relationship.
- **Scholarship-** Bill Hanley reminded all members that the deadline for the RIBOA scholarship is June 1, 2012, and previous recipients are also eligible. All applications are on the web site, and should be sent to the Coventry P. O. Box.
- **Golf-** Chuck P. once again reminded everyone that that the golf tournament is scheduled for **June 8<sup>th</sup>, at Crystal Lake Golf Course in Burrillville.** To date, the gold, silver and bronze sponsorships are strong, **but urged everyone to get in their foursomes, work on getting tee sponsors, and get raffle prizes. There is only a little over a month left, so please make your effort a priority. Please try to get a least one sponsor.**
- **Pins-** Warren reported that both the new and old style pins are scheduled to be finished the first week in May.
- **Legislative-** President Nash reported that he has received word that the pending legislation decreasing permits fees has been withdrawn, but the bills regarding impact fees and sales tax suspension is still active. The restricted receipt account is still making its way through the House, but it may not have enough support.

**Old Business:**

- President Nash noted that the RIBA Home Show participation by RIBOA members was a great success, and wants to thank all members who donated their time to represent our organization. This was a good opportunity to show what our role is with the public and educate the public that we are here to help and ensure that our buildings are safe.
- The RIBOA liaisons to the Contractors Registration Board had their first meeting and they reported that it was positive for all involved. They invite members to



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contact them with any issues or concerns they may have, and they will present these to the board. We will also attempt to get the most current list of suspended contractors and either post this on our website or provide a link to the CRB website for that information. A question was raised by Neil H. asking why a contractor who has had their registration suspended is allowed to get another under a different name? This is the type of question that our members will bring to the CRB. Minutes of the Contractors Registration Board were forwarded by George Whalen, and they were distributed to our members so they can get a better glimpse into the inner workings of the board. Thanks George.

**Correspondence:** None Reported.

**New Business:** None Reported.

- The RIBOA donation bowl was passed, and \$15 was collected. Thanks again to all members for your support.
- The raffle for the stylish RIBOA shirt was won by Stan Pikul.

**Health & Welfare:** Doug reported that Ben Nascenzi had a heart attack, was treated and is recuperating. We wish Ben the best during his recovery. A motion was made by Warren D., seconded by Steve G. to send a gift card in the amount of \$50.00 along with a card. All member approved.

**Adjourn: 3:15 P.M.**