

MINUTES

**August 3, 2010 Meeting
of the
Redwood Empire Association of Code Officials
Cattlemen's, Petaluma Noon to 1:30PM
5012 Petaluma Blvd. No., Petaluma**

1. Call to Order

President Glenn Schainblatt called the meeting to order at 12:00 pm.

2. Self Introductions

All in attendance made self introductions.

3. Approval of Minutes

President Schainblatt announced that the question on regulatory requirements of low voltage wiring will be deferred to a question that will go out on a survey to the membership. Also, a request for the minutes of the joint meeting with Norcal FPO & SCFPO held in June be published. Motion to approve minutes of May 6, 2010 meeting, 2nd and passed.

4. Treasurer's Report

Checking = \$10,825.80; Certified Deposit = \$12,845.39; Total Balances = \$23,671.19.

5. Officer Announcements

- **Vice President:** Sal reported on REACO's CALGreen Position Statement sent out on the Survey Monkey – it worked well, it allowed feedback from non-attending members and it identified email issues.
 - Motion that REACO have a representative at the Santa Rosa City Council meeting on Aug 10, 2010, 2nd and passed unanimously.
- **Secretary:** None
- **Treasurer:** None

6. President Announcements & Correspondence

- Thanks to Chief Doug Williams for doing bulk Code book order totaling \$50k.
- Upcoming retirements: Steve Jensen, Larry Jones, Lee Braun, Tom Luhmann
- More residential sprinkler training is in the works – stay tuned for more info.

7. Education & Training

- Daryl Phillips announced 2010 CRC training in September (instructor Doug Hanson) and 2010 CALGreen training in October (instructors Mike Whitaker and Dave Lopez).
- Daryl also announced that he attended a meeting in San Rafael for a "Marin Codes" group of planners setting out to adopt standards related to 2010 CALGreen; there

seems to be a disconnect between this group of planners and the Building Officials of jurisdictions that could be affected by the decisions/recommendations of the group.

8. Old Business

- Mark Albertson (AIA) thanked REACO for survey (REACO's CALGreen Position Statement) and wanted to check in on how remodels are going to be handled with respect to CALGreen requirements.

9. New Business

- No new business

10. Legislative News

- No legislative news for this month.

11. Guest Speaker / Program

- Joe Loyer (California Energy Commission: Spoke on requirement of documentation of local amendments to Energy Code.
- Devi Eden (California Energy Commission: Spoke on overview of CALGreen.
- Brian Samuelson (CSLB Compliance & Enforcement): Provided overview on contractors responsibilities of energy code compliance.

12. Code Adoption Committee

No report.

13. Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 1355 hrs

Next Meeting

September 7, 2010, 12:00 noon

Location: Cattleman's
5012 Petaluma Blvd. N.
Petaluma, CA 94954

Respectfully Submitted, Kevin Berger