

To: VPMIA Board of Directors

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Subject: ICC Region VII Meeting Summary

ICC region VII met on September 15 – 16, 2011 in Hagerstown, Maryland. The first day, attended by 34 members was dedicated to discussion of the 2015 code development cycle, numerous plumbing and mechanical code changes, and the concept behind the new ICC Membership Councils. Approximately 20 code changes, presented by Virginia, received the support of the entire region. This will be helpful in that the proposed changes will be submitted and have the support of ICC Region VII, VBCOA, VPMIA and potentially Colorado.

The second day is devoted to the Region business meeting. The following are the highlights of that meeting:

- There is an ICC Region VII website that contains information about the Region activities and has a membership group list that enables members to send emails to all members. The Region website is <http://www.iccregionvii.org/> and to become a member which will allow more in-depth use of the site, just send an email to mmonaghan@jeffersoncountywv.org describing your interest and he will describe the process for becoming a member.
- Received an overview of the new ICC Membership Councils
- Voted to support Bob Boyer of Florida for the ICC Board of Directors
- Voted to not support the joining IABO as a Region
- The Region did not take a position on the proposed ICC Bylaw amendments. This will be left up to the individual states.
- Voted to amend the bylaws which made it clear that Region VII ICC candidate support can be modified at the ICC Annual Business meeting
- Guy Tomberlin presented an ICC report

I have attached more detailed summary notes of the meeting as the official draft minutes were not available as of this writing. The next meeting of Region VII will be at the ICC Annual Conference on Monday, October 31, 2011. A future meeting has been scheduled for January 2012 in Hagerstown, Maryland. The exact dates for the meeting in January will be posted on the Region VII website in the near future.