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MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES

Los Angeles Basin Chapter
 MONTHLY BUSINESS MEETING

February 15, 2018

11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Luminarias Restaurant

3500 W Ramona Blvd, Monterey Park, CA 91754

2018

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Registration Fee (lunch included): \$20 for (paid members with RSVP) and \$25 for (non-members and with no RSVP) before February 8th.

Please RSVP if you plan to attend the Chapter meeting. Contact the Basin Chapter's Treasurer, Philip Yin at treasurer@icclabc.org to reserve your seat or go online to:

http://www.icclabc.org/Online_Payment.html

1.0 CALL TO ORDER. President. Started at 12:15 PM by Jesse. Exhibitors were welcomed and invited to introduce themselves and their products.

2.0 ROLL CALL BOARD MEMBERS. Introduction of Board Members.

Board Member, Title	Jurisdiction	Present	Absent
Jesse De Anda, President	Beverly Hills	X	
Shahen Akelyan, 1 st Vice President	LA City	X	
Ara Sargsyan, 2 nd Vice President	LA City	X	
Philip Yin, Treasurer	Long Beach		X
Ciara Barnett, Secretary	LA County	X	

2.1 PAST MEMBERS. Introduction of Past Presidents & Honorary Members. Five Past Presidents were introduced.

3.0 SELF-INTRODUCTIONS. Self-Introduction of the general membership.

4.0 APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES. None

5.0 COMMUNICATIONS.

5.1 Open Floor Discussion

- Jesse introduced a new open floor discussion concept. Members are invited to bring topics and speak for one to three minutes on





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5.2 President. Jesse presented our upcoming LABC monthly meeting topics, including March 8th, NPDES/LID. Please utilize our website for the latest information. Our ICC LABC website has recently been updated. <http://www.icclabc.org/>

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5.3 1st Vice President None.

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5.4 2nd Vice President. Ara provided an update on the Chapter account balance. Memberships have been invoiced and are being received. Outstanding jurisdictions are encouraged to respond and renew their memberships.

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5.3 Treasurer. Combined w/2nd Vice President communication.

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5.4 Secretary. None.

6.0 COMMITTEE REPORTS

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6.1 Administration & Green. Truong Huynh discussed efforts being made regarding cargo containers and the Committee's Code coordination effort. Committee meetings are web based, one per week.

DISABLED ACCESS CHAIR

FARUK SEZER, MS, PE, CASP,
Building Civil Engineer I
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6.2 Disabled Access. Faruk Sezer introduced recently passed AB 1127, effective March 1, 2018, regarding baby changing station requirements. Faruk summarized the Final Express terms related to accessibility, which have been approved for the intervening Code cycle and will be effective July 1, 2018.

FIRE-LIFE SAFETY CHAIR

EUGENE BARBEAU, P.E.
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6.3 Fire-Life Safety. Eugene Barbeau discussed the importance of consistency between jurisdictions and encouraged more involvement on the committee, including working on documents, correction lists, etc...

EMERGING LEADER CHAIR

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6.4 Emerging Leadership. Jesse De Anda discussed the importance of our students and young professionals and acknowledged student involvement. Jesse introduced Woodbury University professor Guillermo Honles and awarded our final scholarship recipient.

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6.5 Inspection. **None.**

6.6 Structural. **Gregory Bowser discussed Code update efforts and upcoming website updates.**

7.0 OTHER ORGANIZATION REPORTS.

7.1 CALBO. **Ron Takiguchi discussed upcoming CALBO ABM, March 25th to 29th in Burlingame, CA. Panel discussions are proposed regarding recent fires, marijuana, ADUs,... Ron also discussed our legislative season and CALBO committees.**

7.2 ICC. **Stuart Tom discussed upcoming training, a Region 1 meeting that will be held at the CALBO ABM on March 26th, governmental voting, and ICC Premium Access for webinars. Stuart discussed this year's Building and Safety month "Safety" emphasis and how building codes save lives.**

7.3 OTHERS. **Ciara Barnett encouraged members to attend the ICC Ventura Chapter ABM/installation banquet.**

8.0 NEW BUSINESS.

8.1 Deadline Reminder: March 16, 2018 Registration will close for Governmental Membership voting with ICC

9.0 EXISTING BUSINESS.

9.1 None

10.0 PROGRAM

Code Compliant Fire Resistance Design for Wood Construction

Determining the proper code application for wood-frame fire assemblies can be challenging and is often further complicated with increases in a project's size and scale. In a building environment where the ability to maximize height and area is key to cost effectiveness, designers must understand the gamut of fire protection considerations applicable to mid- and low-rise wood structures.

Presenter: **Dennis Richardson, PE, CBO, CASp**
West Coast Regional Manager
American Wood Council

11.0 ANNOUNCEMENTS. Next Meeting: Thursday, March 8, 2018 at LA County, Alhambra Room

12.0 ADJOURNMENT. Adjourned at 2:10 PM.

