



# Los Angeles Basin Chapter

## International Code Council

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### Minutes of January 12, 2006 Business Meeting

**Location:** Luminarias Restaurant

**Call to Order:** The ICC Los Angeles Basin Chapter meeting was called to order at approximately 12:30 p.m. by Felipe Segovia, Chapter President.

**Welcome and introduction of board members in attendance:** Felipe introduced the new Board members starting with the Secretary, Steve Ikkanda of the City of Los Angeles, Treasurer, Craig Johnson of Culver City, Vice President, Tim McCormick of City of Santa Monica and Past President (again), Stuart Tom of City of Glendale.

**Self-introductions:** There was self-introduction of approximately 25 members.

**Approval of minutes of previous meeting:** The draft copy of the November 10, 2005 meeting minutes was distributed for review and approval at the meeting. Felipe requested that the members review the draft minutes and send any revisions or corrections to Craig Johnson at [craig.johnson@culvercity.org](mailto:craig.johnson@culvercity.org), so that, the minutes may be finalized and presented for approval at the next meeting.

**Communications: Report of California Code Adoption Process.** Stuart Tom, who is one of the members of State Fire Marshal's (SFM) Core Group, provided the status of the Code Adoption Process. He reported:

- Most of the state agencies, such as, DSA, OSHPD, HCD have completed their work, except for the SFM's Office.
- The work consists of the first draft of amendments to the 2006 IBC, not 2003 IBC.
- Many Building Officials and members of CALBO and ICC Los Angeles Basin, Orange Empire and San Diego Chapters have participated in one or more of the 14 SFM's Work Groups and invested many hours of work in the effort to help with the SFM Amendments.
- The California Building Code will be published sometime in either late 2007 or early 2008.

Henry Huang reported that the structural design in the 2006 IBC is based on the ASCE 07-05.

**Report from Officers and Committees, CALBO and ICC.** Report was not given because there were no representatives at the meeting.

**Program: Discussion and Planning for the year ahead.**

There was an open discussion and some of the things mentioned were:

The Basin Chapter should sponsor training on any of the following subjects:

- 2006 IBC provisions, including the changes between the CBC and the IBC.
- The difference between ADA and Chapters 11A and 11B of the CBC and how it effects some building departments. Explain why some building departments are required to enforce ADA requirements for their city buildings, while other building departments do not have to enforce ADA.
- What are the ADA requirements, which are different and more restrictive than Chapter 11 of the CBC?
- Training for new building inspectors
- New State Energy Code
- Storm water drainage systems

LA Basin Chapter's Monthly Business meetings should include:

- Request representatives from the League of City to the Monthly Business meetings for an exchange of information.
- Request representatives from CALBO and ICC to come to the meetings to give status reports.
- Invite Fire Department representatives from different jurisdictions to the meetings.
- Provide short one- or two-hour training session prior to the Business meeting.
- Request at each meeting photos which shows construction "Do's" and "Don'ts." If inspectors sees at a construction site, mistakes or corrections to the mistake, then ask them to take a photo of it and bring it to the Business meeting so that a library of photos may be collected for training purposes.
- Post on the website the training photos.
- Ask someone from the Technology Committee to work on the LA Basin Chapter website and not have to rely on Rick Becker to do all the work.

**Adjournment.** Approximately at 1:45 p.m.

**Next LA Basin Chapter Business Meeting.** Thursday, February 9, 2006 at the Los Angeles County Buildings in Alhambra from 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.