Chairman Phil Hood called the March 6, 2007 meeting of the Nebraska Chapter of IAPMO to order at 5:30 p.m. at the Lancaster County Extension Office in Lincoln, Nebraska. There were 62 members and guests present. Newly-elected officers were introduced: Phil Hood, Chairman; Bill Fleischman, Vice-Chairman/Treasurer; and Steve Bulling, Secretary. Rex Crawford presented a slide show of photos from the installation of officers dinner held at The Knolls Restaurant in February.

A motion was made, seconded and approved by the membership to approve the minutes of the December 5, 2006 meeting as printed and the agenda of the March 6, 2007 meeting.

Vice President/Treasurer Bill Fleischman presented the Membership and Treasurer’s reports. As of March 4, 2007, 87 individuals had joined or renewed their memberships for 2007, and four (4) students had recently joined the organization.

New Business: Chairman Phil Hood asked for volunteers to serve on Chapter committees, and a sign-up sheet was passed around. The following individuals volunteered to serve:

**Membership Committee**
Chairman, Rex Crawford
Gil Balboa

**Program Committee**
Chairman, Tom Trainor
Dave Hurst

**Public Relations Committee**
Chairman, Gary Stratton
Joel Cacek
Mickey Muthersbaugh
Merl Henkenius

**Code Advisory Committee**
Chairman, Bob Warkow
Tom Trainor
Don Wilson

Chairman Phil Hood asked the membership if there was interest in setting up an education program in the public school system to help get students interested in the plumbing trade. An advisory group will check into this and advise the membership at the next meeting.

Questions were asked and answered, and door prizes were given out to national IAPMO members present.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:00 p.m. Following the meeting, a 1 ½ hour continuing education training session was held on water heater installation and trouble-shooting. Bob Jedlicka,
representative from Mack McClain & Associates provided the presentation and video. Following the training program, the membership enjoyed CiCi’s Pizza furnished by the Chapter.

The Chapter would like to thank Rex Crawford and Jim Skinner for their help at the membership sing-in-table and with handing out raffle tickets.

Respectfully submitted,

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