The Alaska Central Chapter of IAPMO held its February 21, 2013 meeting at 501 International Airport Dr.

All officers were present.

A total of 50 members and guests were present.

The meeting was called to order at 5:35 pm.

Minutes of the January, 2013 meeting were read and approved.

The financial report was waved.

**New Business**

The Chairman gave a brief outline of the benefits of being a member of IAPMO. The Chairman reminded the members that in order to be eligible for any discounts, prizes or even CEU’s for attending the meetings that they MUST be a member of IAPMO.

The WPC is having a membership drive until the end of June. The new members' names will be put in a raffle. In June the winner will receive a limited all expense paid trip to India for 6 days. The cost is fifty five US dollars. You can sign-up today at www.worldplumbing.org.
Christina Parkinson a Mechanical Engineer with Coffman Engineers. She had an educational power point presentation on lesson in innovation. Innovation is critical to today’s engineering market. It is the tool that saves engineering services from becoming a commodity. This presentation showed you where to look for innovation and how to leverage the strengths and weaknesses of others to create a successful product.

Standard door prizes were awarded to Ruth Armstrong, Chris Kruger, and Aaron Beebe. Congratulations to all of you!

The next meeting will be held on March 19, 2013 at 4700 Elmore Road Anchorage, Alaska

The meeting adjourned at 7:30 PM

Old Business

Applications for membership are available to our guests. See any officer during the break if you wish to become a member. There is no charge to join the Alaska Central Chapter; however, you must be a member of IAPMO. The yearly dues for membership in IAPMO are 75 dollars per year. As a reminder your membership will be current from date of pay, instead of January to January.

Attendance of 6 meetings during the year will get you a complimentary jacket. We have 8 meetings from September to May. (In December we break for the holidays, and 3 months off in the summer).

Members are encouraged to suggest topics that they would like to be included in the segment of our meetings.

All members are encouraged to leave their e-mail addresses, fax number, or contact number so that they will be assured of being contacted with any meeting or event details.

Certificates of attendance are available upon request by any member, any time for CEU purposes. Just ask one of the officers.

CEU Certificates are always issued from the ‘sign in’ sheets, BE SURE TO SIGN IN!
MEMBERSHIP INTO THE ALASKA CENTRAL CHAPTER IS EASY AND JUST ABOUT FREE! ALL YOU NEED TO DO IS JOIN THE NATIONAL FOR A COST OF ONLY $75.00 a YEAR! THEN YOU WILL RECEIVE ALL OF THE BENEFITS OF IAPMO MEMBERSHIP; AWARD WINNING OFFICIAL MAGAZINE, CLASSIFIED ADS, HUGE DISCOUNTS ON CODE BOOKS AND MERCHANDISE, ON LINE LEARNING CENTER, AND MUCH, MUCH, MORE!

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