International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials

Central California Chapter

Call to Order
The meeting was called to order at 12:00 PM on Thursday September 20, 2007 at Ricky’s in San Leandro, CA. by Chairman Dave Ledda of the Central California Chapter of IAPMO.

Introductions
There were 11 attendees.

Chapter Officers: Dave Ledda, Sarah Aguilar and John Nava were present.

Old Business
The minutes of August 2007 were approved as presented.

New Business
The UPC 2006 Plumbing and the UMC 2006 Mechanical Seminars back in August were a huge success with more than 60 people attending the Plumbing Seminar and over 40 people attending the Mechanical Seminar. Phil Ribbs did an excellent job teaching the seminars. Thank you everyone for making this such a huge success.

Discussion

There was a discussion on the use of backflow devices on kidney dialysis machines and if they are necessary.
Break for Lunch

Presentation:
Mike Bettencourt and Troy Monier of SIMPSON STRONG-TIE gave us a very informative presentation on is products - from new construction to remodel. Brackets of all sorts from repair and protection products for wood frame construction were shown in correct and incorrect installations. Thanks again Mike and Troy.

Raffle
There was no raffle this month. Thank you, Sarah Aguilar with Southland Industries and Phil Ribbs with PHR Consultants for your generous contributions.

Announcements
Next meeting is at the Waterfront in Redwood City. Have a productive and safe Convention in Las Vegas all members that are attending.

Adjournment
Chairman Dave Ledda adjourned the meeting at 1:15PM.

Respectfully,
John Nava, Chapter Secretary

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