

MINUTES

**UTAH
PLUMBERS LICENSING BOARD
MEETING**

August 1, 2012

**Room 474 Fourth Floor– 9:00 AM
Heber Wells Building
Salt Lake City, UT 84111**

CONVENED: 9:05 AM

ADJOURNED: 10:21 AM

Bureau Manager:

Dan S. Jones

Board Secretary:

Ann Naegelin

Board Members Present

Sean Conlon, Co Chair

David Told

Travis Dalley

Dave Halverson

Board Members Absent

Ed Gongaware, Board Chair, excused

Guests:

Will Pierce, DATC

Dana Farmer, UPHCA

Kelly Hale

Inez Garza, applicant

Jeff Daniels, applicant

DOPL Staff Present:

David Furlong, Chief Investigator

Neena Bowen, Compliance Specialist

TOPICS FOR DISCUSSION

DECISIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

ADMINISTRATIVE BUSINESS:

Approval of June Minutes

Mr. Told made a motion to approve the June minutes as written. Mr. Dalley seconded the motion. Motion passed by unanimous vote.

Probation Update

Ms. Bowen reported there are 25 plumbers on probation. One of the probationers is non compliant.

APPOINTMENTS:

Inez Garza
Apprentice Plumber

Mr. Jones reviewed the history for Inez Garza. Mr. Garza answered questions from the Board. Mr. Halverson made a motion to send Mr. Garza for a drug test today. If his test is clean, he recommends issuance of an apprentice license with two years probation. He will need to have random drug testing and quarterly supervisor reports. Mr. Told seconded the motion. Motion passed by unanimous vote.

Kelly Hale
Request to grandfather journeyman plumber license

Mr. Jones reviewed the license history for Kelly Hales. Mr. Jones reviewed the statutes for grandfathering of the master plumber license from a journeyman license. Mr. Hale's license was expired at the time the journeyman plumber licenses were grandfathered. The Board does not have the authority to waive a statutory requirement. Mr. Hale meets the experience requirement. He will need to pass the master written exam.

Jeffrey Daniels
Apprentice Plumber

Mr. Jones reviewed the history for Jeffrey Daniels. Mr. Daniels answered questions from the Board. He has three more years of court ordered reporting. Mr. Halverson made a motion to recommend issuance of an apprentice license with four years probation. Mr. Dalley seconded the motion. Motion passed by unanimous vote.

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

Review Exam Scores

The plumber exam scores were reviewed. No action was taken.

Incidental Plumbing

Mr. Farmer asked for clarification of the handyman exemption and incidental plumbing. This item will be placed on the agenda in September for more discussion.

ADJOURN:

10:21 AM

Note: These minutes are not intended to be a verbatim transcript but are intended to record the significant features of the business conducted in this meeting. Discussed items are not necessarily shown in the chronological order they occurred.

September 5, 2012
Date Approved

(ss) Ed Gongaware
Chairperson, Plumbers Licensing Board

September 5, 2012
Date Approved

(ss) Dan S. Jones
Bureau Manager, Division of Occupational & Professional
Licensing