VIRGINIA FIRE SERVICES BOARD

Codes and Standards Subcommittee Monday, August 17, 2016

A regular meeting of the Codes and Standards Subcommittee was held at the Virginia Department of Fire Programs in Glen Allen, VA at 1:30PM. Captain George Hollingsworth served as Chair.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT

George Hollingsworth – Subcommittee Chair

James R. "Robby" Dawson - Chair of the Fire Prevention and Control Committee
Ron Reynolds – VFSB – Virginia State Fire Marshal
Perry Weller
*Glenn Dean (appointed by the Chair)
Steven Sites, Fire Marshal Manager, VA Dept. of Fire Programs
Henry Rosenbaum

VFSB MEMBER PRESENT

James R. "Robby" Dawson - Chair of the Fire Prevention and Control Committee

COMMITTEE MEMBERS ABSENT

Maurice Wilson David Throckmorton George Fitzgerald

GUESTS PRESENT

NA

AGENCY MEMBERS PRESENT

Mohamed Abbamin

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

A. No Unfinished Business

NEW BUSINESS

A. Code Proposals as Presented.

COMMENTS FROM THE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN

George Hollingsworth chaired the meeting. Mr. Hollingsworth mentioned that the Subcommittee would review the code change items.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

NA

NEW BUSINESS

Topic: Code proposals as presented.

Motion: None

Discussion: Code proposals agreed to by the committee for submission are:

- 1. Correct the oversight from last code cycle on the proper reference for permits in the Pyro/Flame and Welding Water-reactive solids and Welding.
- 2. Submit proposed change on the temporary tent permit thresholds.

The committee decided to HOLD the following proposals pending action by ICC, in October 2016, on identical changes for the 2018 editions of the I-Codes:

- 1. A change to the definition of Fireworks.
- 2. The deletion of a sprinkler increase for 1.4G Explosives.
- 3. The establishment of a new section of mobile food trucks.

As an FYI, the SFMO will be submitting changes as follows:

- 1. Correct an anomaly to properly align the Pyro/Flame permit fees.
- Submit change to have SFMO credential Portable Fire Extinguisher Service
 Technician. This is essentially a resubmission of a failed submission from the
 previous cycle and has the support of the committee.

Since the VFSB will not have an August 19, 2016 Board Meeting – content submitted by the committee will be suffice in satisfying all requirements.

Vote: Unanimous

Action: Passed

ADJOURNMENT

The Subcommittee adjourned at 3pm.

Clerk of the Committee Mohamed G. Abbamin

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Wednesday, August 24, 2016

Date

George Hollingsworth, Committee Chair

Enclosures:

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