

**FIRE PROTECTION SPRINKLER SYSTEMS WORK
EXAMINING BOARD**

MINUTES

SEPTEMBER 8, 2022

The meeting was called to order by David Waskowicz, Chairperson, on Thursday, September 8, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. The meeting was held remotely via Zoom Webinar.

Members Present: David J. Waskowicz - Unlimited Journeyman,
Chairperson
Wayne Roderick, Unlimited Journeyman
Kevin Wypychoski – Unlimited Contractor
Anthony Moscato – Public Member
Keith Flood – Local Fire Marshal

Members Absent: Kevin Griffith – State Fire Marshal

Board Vacancies: One Unlimited Contractor
Two Public Members

DCP Staff: Karen Layman, License and Application Analyst
Janita Hamel, Supervising Special Investigator

Note: The administrative functions of the Boards, Commissions and Councils are carried out by the Department of Consumer Protection, Investigations Division. For more information, refer to DCP Agency website: www.ct.gov/dcp.

MOMENT OF SILENCE

The Board observed a moment of silence to reflect upon the recent passing of Former Board Member Robert Hollis, III.

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING:

A motion was made by Keith Flood, seconded by Anthony Moscato to approve the June 2, 2022 Fire Protection Sprinkler Systems Work Examining Board meeting minutes as written. The motion passed unanimously.

COMMENTS OR CONCERNS OF ANY PERSON PRESENT TODAY:

None

DCP INVESTIGATION DIVISION COMPLAINT STATUS REPORT:

1. The Board reviewed the report submitted by the Investigations Division dated May 1, 2022 to June 30, 2022. The Investigations Division reported that there were no new protection complaints and no existing fire protection investigations were closed during the time period of July 1, 2022 to August 31, 2022.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Backflow Prevention Device

The Board would like to move forward with proposing changes to the regulations and/or statutes pertaining to this topic. David Waskowicz and Wayne Roderick attended the July 28, 2022 Plumbing and Piping Work Examining Board meeting for discussion with this Board regarding potential changes. It was recommended that the Fire Protection Sprinkler Systems Work Examining Board contact the State of CT, Codes and Standards Committee to further pursue making changes.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Application Review Working Group

There were no new applications for review at the August Application Review Working Group meeting.

CORRESPONDENCE:

None

COMMENTS OR CONCERNS OF ANY PERSON PRESENT TODAY:

None

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 9:42 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Karen Layman,
License & Application Analyst

2022 BOARD MEETING SCHEDULE:

December 1