

Illinois Energy Code Advisory Council Residential Subcommittee
November 1, 2021 – 10:30 a.m.
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MEETING MINUTES

In Attendance:

Subcommittee Members

Chairman David Wytmar, Groundwork, Ltd.
Allen Drewes, Home Builders Association of Illinois
Jason Huelsmann, Home Builders Association of Greater Southwest Illinois
Greg Thorpe, Rock Island County
Chad Kruse, Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (joined call at 11:19 a.m.)
Lisa Hennigh, Capital Development Board (CDB)

Guests

Nicole Westfall, Midwest Energy Efficiency Alliance
Ryan Siegel, Smart Energy Design Assistance Center
Sumi Han, Smart Energy Design Assistance Center
Cheryl Scott, Metropolitan Mayor's Caucus
Allison Lindburg, Midwest Energy Efficiency Alliance
Diana Burk, New Buildings Institute
Andrea Papageorge, Southern Company
Nate Kleist, Energy Diagnostics, Inc.
Anita Lichterman, Village of Winnetka
Sean Lintow, SLS Construction & Building Solutions, LLC
Bill Ward, Home Builders Association of Illinois
Isaac Elnecave, Phius
Mark Graham, National Roofing Contractors Association
Joseph Clair, dbHMS

Meeting was called to order at 10:33 a.m.

Roll call of Subcommittee Members was taken by Ms. Hennigh.

A motion to approve the October 13, 2021 Residential Subcommittee Meeting Minutes with two grammatical changes was made by David Wytmar and seconded by Greg Thorpe. The motion passed.

Proposal R04-01 was taken up again. Diana Burk, a proponent of this amendment which requires solar ready infrastructure for residential buildings, provided comment. A discussion followed. A motion to recommend the proposal to the full Council was made by Greg Thorpe and seconded by Jason Huelsmann. A roll call vote was taken. The motion did not pass with a vote of 0-4.

Diana Burk and Cheryl Scott, the proponents of Amendment Proposal R05-01 which adds demand response controls for water heating and space conditioning, both provided comment. A discussion followed. A motion was made by Greg Thorpe to recommend the amendment to the full Council. It was seconded by David Wytmar. A roll call vote was taken. The motion did not pass with a 0-4 vote.

Diana Burk from the New Buildings Institute and Cheryl Scott from the Metropolitan Mayor's Caucus, the proponents of Amendment Proposal R08-01 which adds energy storage infrastructure to the Code, both provided comment. A discussion followed. A motion was made by Jason Huelsmann to recommend the amendment to the full Council. It was seconded by Allen Drewes. A roll call vote was taken. The motion did not pass with a 0-4 vote.

Isaac Elnecave from Phius, the proponent of Amendment Proposal R15-01 which adds the Phius Alternative Compliance Option to the Code, provided comment. A discussion followed. A motion was made by Allen Drewes to recommend the amendment to the full Council. It was seconded by Jason Huelsmann. A roll call vote was taken. The motion passed with a 4-0 vote.

Isaac Elnecave also provided comment on Amendment Proposal R14-01. This proposal which amends Table 402.1.3 was discussed but no action was taken. The proposal is also on the agenda for the November 4, 2021 meeting when it will be taken up again and discussed in conjunction with several other proposals that revise this table.

Motion for adjournment by Jason Huelsmann and seconded by Allen Drewes. The motion passed.

Meeting adjourned at 11:38 a.m.