

# TPMIA

**April 20, 2009**

## IN ATTENDANCE

Tony Allers, Denny Boss, Boomer Millen, Tom Connable, Greg McDonald, Tim Coyne, Mary Baier, Tim Rowland, Darrell Kellum, Roy Brackett, Ken Owenby, Eddie Plunkett, Tom Cohenour, Andrea Lanier Papageorge, Josh Lewis, Shane Chandler, Ray Hubner, Dallas Rucker, Steve Yunker, Gary Sivley

Meeting was called to order by Tony Allers

Pledge of Allegiance was led by Greg McDonald

There was no secretary's report because January meeting was only educational

Treasures report was given by Boomer Millen

Motion to accept by Dallas Rucker and second by Steve Yunker

Motion Passed

Denny Boss stated that there was no second vice presidents report

Tony Allers stated that there was no first vice presidents report

Tony called for nominating committee's report from Boomer Millen and Steve Yunker. Boomer stated that the following were the committee's nominations:

Secretary---David Bodkin  
Treasurer---Boomer Millen  
2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President--Tom Connable  
1<sup>st</sup> Vice President--Denny Boss  
President--Tony Allers

Tony Allers called for nominations from the floor for all positions and there were no nominations. All nomination committee's candidates were chosen by acclimation.

All candidates were sworn in by Jimmy Brothers of ICC except David Bodkin who could not be present due to conflicting work schedule.

There was no unfinished business

#### New Business

Ray Hubner stated that there were new classes offered on MTCOA website and Greg McDonald agreed to also post these on the TPMIA website

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Tony Allers stated the TPMIA meetings and classes for the upcoming year were listed on the TPMIA website and all locations were reserved.

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Tim Coyne was asked to teach the 2 hr. class for the January meeting and he said he would consider.

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Yunker asked that the Tennessee Code Inspectors Advisory Board and TPMIA ask that all utility persons that make inspections on the house side of the meter be required to be state certified.

Denny Boss explained the purpose of the advisory board and after much discussion stated that the advisory board would bring this to the attention of the Fire Marshals Office at the next meeting. He stated that communication between the utility personnel and the plumbing inspectors was the key to this problem. Greg McDonald stated that in Metro Nashville they had worked out that the meter and the sewer tap at the street was now the dividing line for city utility and plumbing inspectors.

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Denny asked that TPMIA pay for Tim Coyne's registration since he was kind enough to teach our mechanical classes for the conference. Dallas Rucker made a motion to do so and Tom Connable second. All voted in favor.

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Greg McDonald discussed the proposed bylaw changes such as adding ICC and IAPMO members and also adding a category for installers with a charge of \$20 to help increase participation. It was agreed that the proposed bylaws changes be posted on the website for 60 days and at that time an electronic vote would be held.

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Tony Allers passed the sign in sheet and asked that anyone who would be interested in working on a committee indicate the same on the sign in sheet.

Tony stated the next meeting would be July 16.

Motion to adjourn was made by Steve Yunker and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Denny Boss

Meeting Adjourned