

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE INDIANA PLUMBING COMMISSION

Indiana Plumbing Commission
402 W Washington Street, W064
Indianapolis, IN 46204 on
May 21, 2025, beginning at 9:00 A.M.

- 1. CALL TO ORDER & ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM** 9:00 a.m.
Commission Members Present: Joe Gutzwiller, Tony Brown, Phil Laux
Staff Present: Nicholas Hart, Ashlee Scott, Adam Harvey
- 2. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA** A motion was made and seconded to adopt the agenda
Brown/Laux 3-0-0
- 3. ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES** A motion was made and seconded to adopt the minutes
Brown/Laux 3-0-0.
- 4. REPORT FROM THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL**
Report given by Ian Mathew
- 5. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING**
 - a. Michael Levi Cage**
Petition for Review 202411-PLU-0030
Respondent: present with counsel Eric Koch
DAG: None
Exhibit(s): Petitioner's Exhibits A-L
Witness(es): Petitioner, David Sanders
A motion was made and seconded to deny the appeal. The license application denial was upheld. Brown/Laux 3-0-0.
 - b. Adam Rice 202503-PLU-0005**
Cease and Desist 202503-PLU-0005-**CONTINUED**
 - c. S&D Pump Construction and Plumbing and Sarah Stokes Non-Licensed**
Motion to Cease and Desist 2025-PLU-0004
RE: Default Hearing
DAG: Ian Mathew
Respondent: Not present
Exhibit(s): State's Exhibits 1-3
Witness(es): Marie Bechert
A motion was made and seconded to hold Respondent in default. Brown/Laux 3-0-0.

A motion was made and seconded to issue a Cease-and-desist order.
Brown/Laux 3-0-0.

d. Nathan Derickson PA22300446 - CONTINUED

Order to Show Cause 2023-IPC-0008

e. Michael Karriker JP20400833

Administrative Complaint 2013-IPC-0004

RE: Proposed Settlement Agreement

A motion was made and seconded to accept the proposed settlement agreement.

Laux/Gutzwiller 3-0-0.

6. PERSONAL APPEARANCES

a. Alexander Robertson-Business Experience

Mr. Robertson appeared for an application by business experience. He reported that he's been doing plumbing related "field" work since 2003, then was in the military, and resumed working for the company around 2009. He did parts ordering, job costing, and dealt with customer complaints. Robertson indicated that he wasn't sure what code book he worked from. He reported that only the owner of the company he works for is licensed as a plumber. He specifically worked doing sewer maintenance and remediation. He's left that company and now works for Ball State as a plumber. A motion was made and seconded to deny the application. Brown/Laux 3-0-0.

b. Brian Desrosiers-reinstatement

Failed to appear.

c. Chad Haworth-reinstatement

Mr. Haworth worked for Roto-Router and left. He had let his license expire in 2017. He had various subsequent jobs. Currently, he's been doing maintenance work at a factory in Kokomo. He feels having his license back will make employment easier. A motion was made and seconded to grant reinstatement pending receipt of proof of completion of 8 hours of code training. Brown/Laux 3-0-0.

d. Ege Batmaz-Positive Response

Mr. Batmaz appeared for a positive response on his application for licensure. He is currently on criminal probation through April 2026. The criminal case is from roughly 4 years ago. A motion was made and seconded to issue his license on probation for the length of his criminal probation.
Brown/Laux 3-0-0.

e. Marvin Booker-reinstatement

Failed to appear

f. Mick Canavan-reinstatement

Failed to appear

g. Nicole Mann-Business Experience

Ms. Mann appeared for an application. She worked for Mr. Quik and is currently a VP there. Her role is in management of the business and operations. She does the hiring and firing. A motion was made and seconded to allow her to sit for the contractor's test. Brown/Laux 3-0-0.

h. William Pyles-Positive Response

Mr. Pyles appeared for a positive response on an application. He reported that he's been on probation "a few times" and is currently on probation through Hancock County through October 2025. He currently works for Hamm and Sons Plumbing. He works in the service department there doing commercial and residential work.

A motion was made and seconded to allow him to sit for the test. If he passes, issue free and clear. Brown/Laux 3-0-0.

A motion was made and seconded to deny the apprentice license application. Brown/Laux 3-0-0.

7. DISCUSSION

8. ADJOURNMENT A motion was made and seconded to adjourn.
Brown/Laux 3-0-0.

**Next Scheduled Meeting:
July 23, 2025 W064**