

**THE INDIANA PLUMBING COMMISSION
MINUTES**

**November 22, 2023, at 9:00 A.M.
402 W Washington Street RM. W064
Indianapolis, IN 46204**

- I. CALL TO ORDER & ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM 9:00 A.M.**
Commission members present: John Van Cleve, Joe Gutzwiller, Tony Brown,
Reed Moistner, Phil Laux
Staff Present: Toby Snell, Ashlee Scott, Leif Johnson
- II. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA** Motion made by RM and seconded by TB to adopt
the agenda
Motion carries 5-0-0
- III. ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES** Motion made by TB and seconded by RM to
approve the minutes
Motion carries 5-0-0
- IV. REPORT FROM THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL**
Report given by Ian Mathew

COURT REPORTER Margie Addington

V. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING

1. Melvin Summers and Dream Property Preservation LLC Non-Licensed

Motion to Cease and Desist 2023 IPC 0007

Ian Mathew appears on behalf of the state

Mr Summers appears by phone

State makes opening statement

Respondent makes opening statement

State calls Deana Silva as witness

State moves to enter exhibit A, respondent does not object, so moved

State moves to enter exhibit B, so moved

State moves to enter exhibit C, so moved

State has no further questions for the witness

Respondent asks questions of the witness

Respondent has no further questions

Commission has no questions

State calls respondent

Commission members asked questions of the respondent

State rests

Respondent has no witness to call

Commission asks respondent additional questions

Respondent rests
State makes closing statement
Respondent makes closing statement
These proceedings are now concluded.
Motion made by TB and seconded by RM to issue the cease-and-desist order.
Motion carries 5-0-0

2. Jon Hochstrasser PC12200108

Petition to withdrawal probation 2022 IPC 0007
Jon appears without counsel
No closing statement
These proceedings are now concluded
Motion made by JW and seconded by RM to remove probation
Motion carries 5-0-0

3. David Hawkins Non-Licensed

Default Hearing 2023IPC0006
Ian appears on behalf of the state
Respondent does not appear
Ian requests the commission to hold the respondent in the default hearing
Motion made TB and seconded PL to issue the default hearing
Motion carries 5-0-0
Ian proceeds with the hearing and requests a cease-and-desist order
Ian calls states witness
State moves to admit states exhibit A, so moved
State moves to admit states exhibit B, so moved
State moves to admit states exhibit C, so moved
Commission has no questions for the witness
State rests
Ian makes closing statement
These proceedings are now concluded
Motion made by JVC and seconded by TB to issue the cease-and-desist order
Motion carries 5-0-0

4. Ronald Hamm PC88900183

R& R Plumbing CO88800135
Proposed Settlement Agreement 2023 IPC 0005
Ian appears on behalf of the state
Respondent does not appear
State presents the proposed settlement agreement
Commission has no questions for the state
These proceedings are now concluded
Motion made by JG and seconded by RM to approve the PSA
Motion carries 4-0-1
Tony Brown recuses himself

VI. PERSONAL APPEARANCES

1. Christobal Lopez-PR
Christopher appears
Motion made by JG and seconded by TB to approve to sit for the exam
Motion carries 5-0-0
2. Andrew Knopp-PR
Andrew appears
Motion made by RM and seconded by JG to approve
Motion carries 5-0-0
3. Cameron White-PR
Cameron appears
Motion made by TB and seconded by JG to approve
Motion carries 5-0-0
4. Christopher Wood-PR
Christopher appears
Motion made by TB and seconded by RM to approve on probation
Motion carries 5-0-0
5. Richard Dixon-PR
Fails to appear
6. Shad Stahl-PR
Fails to appear
7. Kent Whiting-PR
Kent appears
Motion made by TB and seconded by JG to approve after completing 16 hours
in code
Motion carries 5-0-0
8. Drew McPherson
Drew appears
Motion made by TB and seconded by JG to deny application. Does not qualify
based on information provided.
Motion carries 5-0-0
9. Kurt Phillips
Kurt appears
Motion made by TB and seconded by JVC to approve to sit for the exam
Motion carries 5-0-0

10. Layton Brandenburg
Layton appears
Motion made by JG and seconded by TB to approve to sit for the exam
Motion carries 3-2-0
11. Michael Selburg
Michael does not appear
12. James Shoup-reinstatement
James appears
Motion made by TB and seconded by RM to reinstate after completing 8 hours
in code
Motion carries 5-0-0
13. Joshua Shahan-reinstatement
Joshua appears
Motion made by RM and seconded by PL to reinstate after completing 4 hours
in code
Motion carries 5-0-0
14. Noah Williams
Noah appears
Motion made by JG and seconded by RM to renew the license
Motion carries 5-0-0
15. Tylor Norman- PR
Tylor appears
Motion made by RM and seconded by JG to approve the license
Motion carries 5-0-0
16. Markel Langham
Markel appears
Motion made by JVC and seconded by JG to approve on probation
Motion carries 5-0-0
17. Luke Gentry-PR
Luke does not appear
18. Robert Piekarczyk Reinstatement
Robert appears
Motion made by TB and seconded by RM to reinstate after completing 4 hours
of code
Motion carries 5-0-0

VII. DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. PATS appears before the commission to discuss the curriculum.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT 12:10 P.M.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "John Van Cleve", is positioned above a horizontal line.

John Van Cleve, Commission Chair

Next Scheduled Meeting:
January 17, 2024

