MINUTES

General Membership Meeting B. P. O. E Lodge #8, 2824 Klondike Lane, 40218 September 9, 2024

Call to Order:

• President - Steve Willinghurst (7:00 PM)

Invocation:

Mark Yates

General Business:

 Approval of the minutes from the May 13, 2024 General Membership Meeting as posted on the ECHL website. A motion was made, seconded and passed to approve the minutes.

Announcements:

- The status of the approval of the 2023 National Electric Code (NEC) by the state of Kentucky was presented by Steve Willinghurst.
 - A meeting on August 13, 2024 before the Administrate Regulations Review Subcommittee approved the following proposal regarding the 2023 NEC for one family homes, two family homes, and townhouses.
 - Sections 210.52(C), 230.67, and 314.27(C) shall not be mandatory until July 15, 2026. The applicable provisions of the 2017 NEC shall apply until then.
 - The 2025 provisions will apply to commercial, industrial, and multi-family homes.
 - The requirement for GFCI protection for personnel on receptacles over 125-volt listed in 2023 NEC sections: 210.8(A), 210.8(D)(8), (9), (10) and (11) shall not be mandatory until a revision is made to the September 5, 2023 edition of UL 943 Ground-Fault Circuit-Interrupters and the October 5, 2023 edition of UL 101 Leakage Current for Utilization Equipment.
- An announcement was made regarding the Kentucky Electrical License renewal process: beginning July 1, 2024, the State has moved to a two year renewal process. When a renewal is made after this date it will be for two years. The license renewal cost will also be for two years. On the next license renewal, two years later, 12 hours of continuing education will be needed to renew.

Electrical Code Program

- Kelly Pfeiffer and Ryan Sypniewski of Pfeiffer Sales Company presented a program for the new 2023 NEC Code changes and distributed pamphlets with a helpful table of contents for easy field reference for field electricians.
- Some of the NEC changes that were reviewed:
 - Article 100 (Definitions) All Definitions for the NEC are now found in Article 100.
 - Article 100 (Definitions) Class 4 Circuits
 - Article 110 General Requirements for Electrical Installations:
 - o Article 110.21 (A) (2) Reconditioned Equipment
 - Article 110.26 Spaces About Electrical Equipment
 - o Article 110.29 In Sight From (Within Sight From, Within Sight)

- Article 210 Branch Circuits Not Over 1000 Volts A/C, 1500 Volts D/C, Nominal
 - Article 210.8(A) (6) (7) GFCI Requirements in Dwelling Unit Kitchens was modified and Expanded.
 - Article 210.8 (B) (2), (3), (4) and (7) GFCI Requirements in Non-Dwelling Kitchens was Modified and Expanded.
 - Article210.8 (B) (13) GFCI Protection for Non-Dwelling Aquariums and Bait Wells.
 - o Article 210.8(D) GFCI Protection for Specific Appliances
 - o 210.8 (F) Dwelling Unit Outdoor Outlets
- Discussion of the new code changes were an integral part of the presentation.

The code questions included in the September 2024 Wire newsletter were answered by Dennis Steier.

The winner of the 50/50 drawing (\$62.00) was John Pyonteck.

Attendance: 50 Members and Guests

Respectfully Submitted: David True