



# Beehive Chapter ICC

This newsletter is a monthly publication of the Beehive Chapter of the International Code Council (ICC).

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**Our December ABM at Cabela's is fast approaching! Please make sure that you have your calendar marked for December 14<sup>th</sup> and that you have RSVP'D if you plan on attending (see Page 4).**

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## MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD

### NOVEMBER PROGRAM

#### ***Annual Business Meeting @ Cabela's***

2502 Cabela's Boulevard  
Lehi, Utah 84043  
December 14, 2016  
Time: 12:00P.M.

#### ***Next Meeting:***

Topic – To Be Determined  
January 18, 2017  
Time: 12:00P.M.

Orem City Council Chambers  
56 North State Street  
Orem, Utah 84057



**Brad Hardman**  
Board Member

With a summer that seemed to never end and our great fall weather keeping construction at a record-setting pace, where has the year gone? Now don't get me wrong, I love the fantastic fall weather but was very much hoping things would slow down so we could all catch our breath. My biggest regret was pulling my

boat out of the water a month too early, I'm sure that record setting fish would have been mine if I only kept fishing. Now our challenge is how to stay warm enough to complete a 4-way inspection when the temperature inside the shell of the home is so much colder then outside. Maybe that's just me but I sure welcome that warm truck.

In our last board meeting the subject of finding, recruiting, and retaining qualified inspectors came up. How many jurisdictions have recruited inspectors only to get turned down because his or her current jurisdiction gave them a raise too stay?

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**BOARD ARTICLE** (Continued)

...This creates great frustration on both sides. Maybe it's a good problem, it keeps the industry strong and competitive but how do we find that next inspector? Our challenge is how to recruit new blood into the field. All of us know good people in the construction industry that would make great inspectors. How do we convince them to make that next step? How can we help them in the certification process? The reason I bring this up, is that I feel the Beehive Chapter is the perfect platform to recruit new inspectors. Do

we, as a Chapter, feel that this is something that we could support? If so what's the next step? I challenge each jurisdiction to brainstorm within your group and bring any ideas to our January meeting. See you at Cabela's!

Sincerely,

*Brad Hardman*

Board Member

**MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL**

It is that time of year again... Time to renew our membership with the Beehive Chapter. Please click on the following link and renew your membership today:

<https://form.jotform.com/62154501877154>

The following is a simple list of many of the benefits that we receive through Chapter membership:

- Perhaps the greatest part of membership is getting to visit with others in our profession.
- Great monthly meetings where free lunch is provided by the Chapter and we receive 1 hour of training on various topics.
- An annual 3-Day Spring Conference where we get great instruction from industry professionals.
- A full day training event is scheduled for one day in the Fall each year.
- Each member receives a free lunch and \$20 Cabela's gift card at December Annual Business Meeting.

- You get to receive this wonderful newsletter 9 months out of the year!
- At the monthly meetings and in the newsletter we cover a "Conformity Corner" topic to try and ensure that we are all on the same page.
- The Chapter uses it's funds to send members to the annual ICC meetings to serve as a voice for our members.

Please renew your membership ASAP so that you do not lose out on these incredible benefits! Also, please share this with others in the industry that you feel would benefit from Chapter membership.



**CALENDAR ITEMS**

DECEMBER 2016						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27	28	29	30	1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13 Bonneville Chapter - Monthly Meeting	14 <b>Beehive Chapter - Annual ABM @ Calebas</b>	15	16	17
18	19	20	21 Dec. Solstice	22	23	24 Christmas Eve
25 Christmas Day Chanukah	26 Kwanzaa begins	27	28	29	30	31 New Year's Eve

JANUARY 2017						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 New Year's Day	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11 IAEI - 2014 NEC/2015 IRC Dwelling Unit Load Calcs	12	13	14
15	16 ML King Day	17 Utah Chapter - 2015 IPC & IMC Changes (Sandy)	18 <b>Beehive Chapter - Monthly Meeting</b>  Utah Chapter - 2015 IPC & IMC Changes (Sandy)	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28 Chinese New Year
29	30	31	1	2 Groundhog Day	3	4

**CONGRATULATIONS TOM PETERSON!**

The Beehive Chapter would like to congratulate Tom Peterson for being elected to the ICC Board of Directors. The following image shows Tom along with the other members of the ICC Board that were either elected or re-elected as representatives to sectional and at-large positions on the ICC Board.



Pictured (from left): Michael Wich, Louisiana; Tom Peterson, Utah; Cindy Davis, Virginia; Brenda Thompson, Nevada; Shirley Ellis, Texas; and Alan Boswell, Alabama.

**DECEMBER ABM @ CABELA'S****Annual ABM**

Our annual ABM will be held at Cabela's again this year. Please mark your calendars for December 14<sup>th</sup> and RSVP if you plan on attending. As is usual, each Chapter member that attends will receive a \$20.00 Cabela's gift card.

This is your opportunity to vote for those that will be serving on the Chapter Board for the coming year and help us in planning the annual training for the Chapter.

If you plan on attending please RSVP to Chris Kimball at [chrisk@wc-3.com](mailto:chrisk@wc-3.com) so that we can get appropriate numbers for the lunch and the gift cards. Please make sure that you discuss this will all Chapter members in your office and perhaps send on RSVP email for your entire group that plans on attending.

Sincerely,

*Chris Kimball*

Chapter President

