## FLORIDA BUILDING COMMISSION

### **EDUCATION POC MEETING MINUTES**

**SEPTEMBER 25TH, 2018** 

TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

## **IMPORTANT MEETING ACCESS INFORMATION!**

Meeting information
Date: Tuesday, September 25th, 2018 Time: 10:00 am, Eastern Daylight Time (New York, GMT-04:00)  Meeting ID: 148 382 085 Meeting Password: (This meeting does not require a password.)
To join the online meeting
Go to: 1. Go to <a href="https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/148382085">https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/148382085</a> 2. If requested, enter your name and email address.  hicrophone and speakers (VoIP) – a headset is recommended. Or call in using the lands are commended.

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Teleconference information

Join the conference call: Toll free: 1-877-309-2073 (US) Attendee access code: 148 382 085

For assistance please contact: jim.hammers@myfloridalicense.com 1-850-717-1839

CALL-IN NUMBER: <u>1-877-309-2073</u> CODE: <u>148382085</u> IN PERSON ATTENDANCE: 5TH FLOOR, 2601 BLAIRSTONE RD., TALLAHASSEE, FLA. 32399

## EDUCATION POC MEETING OBJECTIVES

- To approve September 25, 2018 Meeting Agenda
- ➤ To approve July 27, 2018 Meeting Minutes
- > To review/decide pending accreditor applications
- To review/decide accredited advanced courses
- > To review/decide administratively approved updated courses
- > To review/decide self affirmed updated courses
- > To review/discuss Education Administrator activity report
- > To identify future POC member discussion items
- > To discuss general public comment
- > To identify needed next steps, assignments, and agenda items for next meeting

	1	EDUCATION POC MEETING MINUTES— SEPTEMBER 25, 2018			
All Agenda Times—Including Adjournment—Are Approximate and Subject to Change					
10:00	1.)	1.) Welcome and Opening, Roll Call			
a.m. EST	POC Members Present: Nanette Dean, (Chair), Kevin Flanagan, Drew Smith, Jeffrey Stone PhD, Brian Langille POC Member(s) Absent: Don Brown, Kelley Smith Burk				
		Meeting Attendees Identified: Tom Campbell Jim Hammers Mo Madani Justin Vogel Michael Clark			
2.) Review and approval of the September 25, 2018 meeting Agenda					
		Motion: To approve as submitted Motion: Kevin Flanagan Second: Brian Langille Approved Unanimously			
3.) Review and approval of July 27, 2018 meeting Minutes  Motion: To approve as submitted  Motion: Kevin Flanagan Second: Brian Langille Approved Unanimously		Motion: To approve as submitted Motion: Kevin Flanagan Second: Brian Langille			
	4.)	Review pending accreditor applications for recommendation to the Commission  None Pending			

# 5.) Review pending advanced accredited courses for recommendation to the Commission

Course: 2017 Florida Building Code Advanced 6th Edition: Summary of Structural

Provisions - Internet
Provider: RedVector.com
Accreditor: Bill Dumbaugh
BCIS Course Number: 916.0

**Motion:** Course *approved* based on the FBC accreditation process that only verifies

the accuracy of the Florida Building Code related content

Motion: Kevin Flanagan Second: Brian Langille Discussion: None

Approved Unanimously

Course: FBC Advanced Module: 2017 Pool/Spa Energy Efficiency Regulations

**Provider:** Florida Swimming Pool Association

Accreditor: Bill Dumbaugh BCIS Course Number: 918.0

Motion: Course approved based on the FBC accreditation process that only verifies

the accuracy of the Florida Building Code related content

Motion: Kevin Flanagan Second: Brian Langille Discussion: *None* 

Approved Unanimously

Course: 2017 Advanced Building Code - Residential

Provider: Palm Construction School

Accreditor: Bill Dumbaugh BCIS Course Number: 920.0

Motion: Course conditionally approved based on the FBC accreditation process that only verifies the accuracy of the Florida Building Code related content, subject to a method of evaluation being mentioned in the syllabus, the addition of a correct answer guide regarding the 5 question quiz located in the PowerPoint presentation, and changing a reference to the Department of Community Affairs to the Department of Business Regulation on page nine (9) of the "Residential Handout".

*Motion:* Kevin Flanagan **Second:** Brian Langille

**Discussion:** The Education Administrator found that a Method of Evaluating the course was not mentioned in the syllabus, or anywhere else. He also found that a correct answer guide was not included as part of a five question quiz located at the end of the PowerPoint presentation. He finally found a reference to the Department of Community Affairs on page 9 of the "Residential Handout", which should be changed to the Department of Business and Professional Regulation.

**Approved Unanimously** 

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	Course: Advanced FBC: Masonry Code Changes and Best Practices
	Provider: AIA Florida
	Accreditor: Code Consulting Services
	BCIS Course Number: 921.0
	<b>Motion:</b> Course <i>approved</i> based on the FBC accreditation process that only verifies
	the accuracy of the Florida Building Code related content
	Motion: Kevin Flanagan
	Second: Brian Langille
	<b>Discussion:</b> Commissioner Flanagan stated that he thought this course was well presented.
	Approved Unanimously
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	Course: Advanced - Florida Building Code 2017 Adoption – Energy Conservation:
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	Lighting and Control
	Provider: Acuity Brands
	Accreditor: Code Consulting Services
	BCIS Course Number: 919.0
	<b>Motion:</b> Course <i>approved</i> based on the FBC accreditation process that only verifies
	the accuracy of the Florida Building Code related content
	Motion: Kevin Flanagan
	Second: Brian Langille
	<b>Discussion:</b> Commissioner Flanagan stated that he thought this course was also well presented.
	Approved Unanimously
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	recommendation to the Commission
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	None Pending
7.)	Review pending administratively approved Self Affirmed (ONE CHANGE)
	updated courses for recommendation to the Commission
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	None Pending
8.)	Education Administrator Activity Report
	<b>Discussion:</b> The Education Administrator stated that the report contained brief descriptions of the
	normal activities of the Administrator from July 25th, 2018 through September 20th, 2018,
	including staffing the ED POC meetings and handling inquiries from a variety of sources concerning
	the FBC Education Program. He also stated that "Training Funding" information (for 2017-2018)
	was also included in the report, which is promoted by Building A Safer Florida (BASF), and which
	included the who/what of eligibility requirements. He stated that if anyone was interested, or had
	questions, to contact Cam Fentriss by the email address listed with the information. No questions were

forthcoming from the ED POC members concerning the report content.

- **A.** Provided administrative support for FBC Education POC for the July 27th, 2018 meeting
- B. Prepared minutes for FBC Education POC July 27th, 2018 meeting
- C. Prepared agenda for FBC Education POC meeting on September 25th, 2018
- **D**. Worked with training providers and accreditors to ensure compliance with Rule 61G20-6.002
- **E**. Checked the BCIS to ensure information is current regarding the FBC Education and Accreditation Program
- **F**. Inquiries addressed from July 25th, 2018 to September 20th, 2018 were as follows:
- 35 inquiries: 25 telephone; 7 email; 3 phone and email

#### **Category of Inquirers**:

- 2 Accreditors
- 11 Providers
- 13 Consumers
- 2 Building Official
- 1 Assisted Living Facility
- 1 Employee
- 1 Attorney
- 2 Contractor
- 1 Insurer
- 1 Architect

#### **Types of Inquiries:**

- 10 Advanced Courses
- 4 BCIS
- 2 Mobile/modular
- 3 Windows
- 2 Roofing
- 2 Flood
- 1 Home Warranty
- 2 Pool
- 1 Construction defects
- 2 Contractor Licensure
- 1 Door
- 1 Employment
- 1 Code
- 1 Continuing Education
- 1 Contractor complaint
- 1 DCA

## Training Funding Available for 2017-2018

Two types of funding: 7-hour program or "minimum 1 hour" program Reimbursement amount: \$23.00 per hour per attendee Available now, ends June 15, 2018

## Eligible attendees:

-- Licensed architects, engineers, interior designers, landscape architects, construction contractors, electrical

contractors, or building code administrators or inspectors

- -- Home inspectors, mold remediators
- --- Must include license number for all categories above
- -- Employees in design and construction industries, requires this documentation:
- --- Letter from their design/construction licensed employer
- --- Copy of certificate of workers' compensation insurance or exemption

#### Eligible course topics:

- -- Florida Building Code
- -- Florida Fire Prevention Code
- -- Construction plan and permitting requirements
- -- Construction liens
- -- Hurricane mitigation

For "minimum 1 hour" program, course requirements:

-- At least 50% must be codes

For 7-hour program, course requirements:

- -- At least three (3) hours codes
- -- At least two (2) hours advanced codes

For any program, course requirements:

- -- Mitigation training for home inspectors must include proctored exam and comply with section 627.711(2), F.S.
- -- \*Course evaluations are REQUIRED that cover the following:
- --- Satisfaction with instructor
- --- Satisfaction with course materials
- --- Satisfaction with conduct of the training
- --- Ask whether "highly satisfied" "satisfied" "not satisfied" for each above

Must enter into an agreement before submitting for grant funds, must verify availability of funds first.

Documentation required (failure to submit is a 5% penalty):

- -- Submitted within FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS AFTER EACH COURSE
- -- Advertisement (must be approved in advance)
- -- Sign in sheets as acceptable for each licensing board
- -- Separate sign in sheets for licensees and non-licensed employees
- -- Non-licensed employee sign in sheets must include type of proof submitted
- -- \*Copy of course evaluation for each attendee

9.)	*Failure to demonstrate that 75% or more of trainees were satisfied or highly satisfied with the course instructor will result in a 1% penalty for each 5% increment or portion thereof that the percentage of satisfied trainees fall below 75%.  E-mail Cam Fentriss at basfgrant@gmail.com if interested and for more information.  Identify future POC member discussion items  No future ED POC member discussion items were forthcoming.
10.)	General public comment  No public comment was forthcoming.
11.)	Summary and review of meeting work products and adoption of recommendations for submittal to the commission  Recommended Commission Actions
	The Education POC considered and recommends the following:  The following new courses are recommended for APPROVAL:
	Course: 2017 Florida Building Code Advanced 6 <sup>th</sup> Edition: Summary of Structural Provisions - Internet Provider: RedVector.com Accreditor: Bill Dumbaugh BCIS Course Number: 916.0 Motion: Course approved based on the FBC accreditation process that only verifies the accuracy of the Florida Building Code related content Motion: Kevin Flanagan Second: Brian Langille Approved Unanimously
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Provider: AIA Florida

**Accreditor:** Code Consulting Services

**BCIS Course Number:** 921.0

Motion: Course approved based on the FBC accreditation process that only verifies

the accuracy of the Florida Building Code related content

Motion: Kevin Flanagan Second: Brian Langille Approved Unanimously

**Course:** Advanced - Florida Building Code 2017 Adoption – Energy Conservation:

Lighting and Control **Provider:** Acuity Brands

**Accreditor:** Code Consulting Services

**BCIS Course Number:** 919.0

Motion: Course approved based on the FBC accreditation process that only verifies

the accuracy of the Florida Building Code related content

Motion: Kevin Flanagan Second: Brian Langille Approved Unanimously

## The following new course is recommended for CONDITIONAL APPROVAL:

Course: 2017 Advanced Building Code - Residential

Provider: Palm Construction School

Accreditor: Bill Dumbaugh BCIS Course Number: 920.0

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Motion: Kevin Flanagan Second: Brian Langille Approved Unanimously

#### 12.) Adjourned at 10:13 am est

Motion: To adjourn Motion: Kevin Flanagan Second: Brian Langille Approved Unanimously **STAFF CONTACT:** Michael Clark (MRC Consulting) mrcconsulting@earthlink.net: 850.545.1451

## COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP AND MEETING SCHEDULE

EDUCATION POC MEMBERSHIP			
MEMBER	REPRESENTATION		
Nanette Dean	Manufactured Buildings, Chair		
Kevin Flanagan	Electrical Contractor		
Drew Smith Green Building Industry			
Jeffrey Stone PhD Building Product Manufacturer			
Brian Langille Natural Gas Distributor			
Don Brown	Insurance Industry		
Kelley Smith Burk	Energy		
STAFF			
Justin Vogel	Legal Advisor		
Jim Hammers	Technical Support		
Thomas Campbell	Administrative		
FACILITATOR			
Michael Clark (MRC Consulting)			

2018 POC MEETING SCHEDULE				
I.	February 2, 2018 (10:00 AM EST)	Tallahassee and via teleconference		
II.	March 28, 2018 (9:00 AM EST)	Tallahassee and via teleconference		
III.	June 1, 2018 (10:00 AM EST)	Tallahassee and via teleconference		
IV.	July 27, 2018 (10:00 AM EST)	Tallahassee and via teleconference		
V.	September 25, 2018 (10:00 AM EST)	Tallahassee and via teleconference		
VI.	November 2018 (TBA)	Tallahassee and via teleconference		

	2018 COURSE ACCREDITATION APPLICATION DEADLINE SCHEDULE			
	ED POC MEETING DATE	ACCREDITED APPLICATIONS		
		SUBMITTAL DEADLINE		
I.	February 2, 2018 Meeting	January 21, 2018		
II.	March 28, 2018 Meeting	March 18, 2018		
III.	June 1, 2018 Meeting	May 20, 2018		
IV.	July 27, 2018 Meeting	July 23, 2018		
V.	September 25, 2018 Meeting	September 15, 2018		
VI.	November 2018 Meeting (TBA)	November 2018 (TBA)		

NOTE: THIS DOCUMENT IS AVAILABLE IN ALTERNATE FORMATS UPON REQUEST TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION, CODES AND STANDARDS, 5TH FLOOR, 2601 BLAIRSTONE RD., TALLAHASSEE, FL, 32399.