
Memorandum

To: Mayor & Members of Council
From: Monica Irelan, City Manager
Subject: General Information
Date: June 5, 2015

CALENDAR

AGENDAS

Tuesday, June 9th

1. *Records Commission* @4:00 pm
2. *Planning Commission* @5:00 pm

Wednesday, June 10th

1. *Personnel Committee* @8:00 pm

MEETINGS CANCELLED

1. *Electric Committee* (rescheduled for Mon., June 15th @6:00 pm)
2. *Water/Sewer Committee* (rescheduled for Mon., June 15th @7:00 pm in Joint Session with City Council)
3. *Municipal Properties/ED Committee*
4. *Board of Zoning Appeals*

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

1. OML Legislative Bulletin/May 29, 2015
2. AMP Update/June 5, 2015

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Records Retention
CM-11 - 2 Years

May 2015							June 2015							July 2015						
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 Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31	1	2	3	4	5	6
	6:00 PM Personnel Committee Mtg. 6:55 PM 2016 Tax Budget Public Hearing 7:00 PM City COUNCIL Meeting				7:00 PM Rally in the Alley	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
		4:00 PM Records Commission Mtg. 5:00 PM Planning Commission	8:00 PM Personnel Comm.			
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	6:00 PM ELECTRIC Committee Board of Public Affairs (BOPA) Mtg. 7:00 PM CITY COUNCIL Meeting in Joint Session with Water/Sewer Committee					
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	6:30 PM FINANCE & BUDGET Committee Meeting 7:30 PM SAFETY & HUMAN RESOURCES Committee Meeting		6:30 PM Parks & Rec Board Meeting		6:00 PM Henry County RIBFEST	
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	5th Monday/No Scheduled Mee				HOLIDAY - Closed - July 4th H	

City of Napoleon, Ohio

Records Commission

LOCATION: City Hall Offices, 255 West Riverview Avenue, Napoleon, Ohio

Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, June 9, 2015 at 4:00pm

- I. **Approval of Minutes** *(In the absence of any objections or corrections, the minutes shall stand approved.)*
- II. Review of Records Retention Schedules
- III. Any other matters currently assigned to the Commission
- IV. Adjournment

Gregory J. Heath, Finance Director/Clerk of Council

Tuesday, December 23, 2014 at 4:00pm

Date Approved:_____

Ron Behm, Chair

City of Napoleon, Ohio
Planning Commission

LOCATION: City Hall Offices, 255 West Riverview Avenue, Napoleon, Ohio

Meeting Agenda
Tuesday, June 9, 2015 at 5:00pm

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Approval of Minutes (In the absence of any corrections or objections, the minutes shall stand approved.)
- IV. Business
 - A. PC 15-02 2950 Enterprise Avenue Conditional Use
An application for public hearing has been filed by The Henry County Bank owners of 2950 Enterprise Ave. Napoleon, Ohio on behalf of Donald and Theresa Marshall. The applicant is requesting the approval of a Conditional Use Permit to allow the property to be utilized as trucking/retail facility. This property is located in a C-4, Planned Commercial Zone.
- V. Closing Remarks
- VI. Adjournment

Gregory J. Heath, Finance Director/Clerk of Council

City of Napoleon, Ohio
Planning Commission
Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, April 14, 2015 at 5:00pm
PC 15-01 Replat of Lots at 234 East Front Street

PRESENT	
Members	Marv Barlow, Tim Barry, Fredric Furney, Mayor Ronald Behm
City Staff	Monica Irelan, City Manager Tom Zimmerman, Building Official
Recorder	Tammy Fein
Others	Jack Walters
ABSENT	Bob McLimans - Chair
Call To Order	Acting Chairman Behm called the meeting to order at 5:15pm, noting that a quorum was present.
Approval Of Minutes	Meeting minutes from October 14, 2014 stand approved as read with no objections or corrections.
PC 15-01 Background	Behm reported that an application for public hearing has been filed by Four Walters, Ltd.; the applicant is requesting a Replat of lots twenty five (25), twenty six (26) and twenty seven (27) in the Original Plat in the City Napoleon. This subdivision will create lots one (1) through four (4) located between 212 and 234 East Front Street. The request is pursuant to Chapter 1105 of the Codified Ordinances of Napoleon Ohio. The property is located in a C-1 General Commercial Zoning District.
PC 15-01 Research And Findings	<p>Zimmerman read the research and findings for PC 15-01:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The side yard setback for a lot in a C-1 Zone for a one (1) and two (2) family residential dwelling is seven (7) feet; the existing dwellings on the proposed lot two (2) and lot three (3) are eight (8) feet apart and the proposed new property line is located in the middle, four (4) feet from each house. The property owner has requested this Board as per Section 1105.06 grant a Variance of three (3) feet to reduce the required side yard setback to four (4) feet for lot two (2) and lot three (3).2. The proposed subdivision of land meets all the requirements of Chapter Eleven (11) of the City's Codified Ordinances pertaining to Subdivision regulations, building setbacks, parking requirements and lot size.3. All lots have existing water and sewer services to each lot.4. The City Engineer has reviewed and approved the proposed Subdivision.
Submittal of Evidence	<p>Zimmerman submitted photos as evidence.</p> <p>Zimmerman reported that the properties were surveyed and a replat is needed due to the property being built around existing lots which are using a shared sewer. Zimmerman stated that the commercial business will remain combined, adding that the Walters just want to sell off the lots not being used. Barlow asked</p>

if the apartments would be affected; Zimmerman replied no. Furney asked if the backside of the house is right on the property line; Zimmerman stated that this was an existing property line before the subdivision took place. Zimmerman stated that the utilities were verified that they are on the correct lots.

Swearing In: Walters

Behm swore in Walters and asked him to address the Commission.

Testimony

Walters testified that he had purchased these properties over the years and needed the properties to the rear of the structures for the commercial business, but would like the ability to sell the lots at a future date. Walters added that he does not know when the homes were constructed; Zimmerman added that they were there before the storage building was erected. Walters added that the alley was vacated previously; Zimmerman agreed.

**Motion To Approve
PC 15-01**

Motion: Furney
To approve PC 15-01 as presented

Second: Barlow

Passed
Yea- 4
Nay- 0

Roll call vote on above motion:
Yea- Barlow, Furney, Barry, Behm
Nay-

Motion To Adjourn

Motion: Furney
To adjourn the meeting

Second: Barry

Passed
Yea- 4
Nay- 0

Roll call vote on above motion:
Yea- Barlow, Furney, Barry, Behm
Nay-

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 5:24pm.

Date

Mayor Ron Behm, Acting Chair

City of Napoleon, Ohio
Personnel Committee

LOCATION: City Hall Offices, 255 West Riverview Avenue, Napoleon, Ohio

Meeting Agenda
Wednesday, June 10, 2015 at 8:00pm

- I. Approval of Minutes *(In the Absence of any Objections or Corrections, the Minutes Shall Stand Approved)*
- II. Review of Personnel Matters
- III. Executive Session: Employment of Personnel
- IV. Adjournment

Gregory J. Heath, Finance Director/Clerk of Council

City of Napoleon, Ohio
Personnel Committee

Meeting Minutes
Monday, June 1, 2015 at 6:00pm

PRESENT
Personnel Committee
City Staff

Acting Recorder
Absent

Travis Sheaffer – Chair, Jason Maassel, Mayor Ronald Behm
Monica Irelan, City Manager
Trevor Hayberger, Law Director
Monica Irelan

Call To Order

Chairperson Sheaffer called the meeting to order at 6:01pm.

Approval of Minutes

The minutes of the May 29 meeting stand approved with no objections or corrections.

Review Of Personnel Matters

Motion To Go Into Executive Session: Employment Of Personnel

Motion: Maassel Second: Behm
To go into Executive Session to discuss employment of personnel

Passed
Yea- 3
Nay- 0

Roll call vote on above motion:
Yea- Maassel, Behm, Sheaffer
Nay-

Into Executive Session

The Committee went into Executive Session at 6:03pm.

Motion To Come Out Of Executive Session

Motion: Maassel Second: Behm
To come out of Executive Session

Passed
Yea- 3
Nay- 0

Roll call vote on above motion:
Yea- Maassel, Behm, Sheaffer
Nay-

Out of Executive Session

The Committee came out of Executive Session at 6:36pm. Sheaffer reported that the Executive Session was held to discuss the employment of personnel and no action was taken.

Motion To Adjourn

Motion: Behm Second: Maassel
To adjourn at 6:37pm

Passed
Yea- 3
Nay- 0

Roll call vote on above motion:
Yea- Maassel, Behm, Sheaffer
Nay-

Date Approved

Travis Sheaffer, Chair

Memorandum

To: Electric Committee, Council, Mayor, City Manager, City Law Director, City
Finance Director, Department Supervisors

From: Gregory J. Heath, Finance Director/Clerk of Council

Date: 6/3/2015

Re: Electric Committee Meeting Cancellation

The Electric Committee, which is regularly scheduled to meet on Monday, June 8, 2015 at 6:30pm, has been rescheduled to meet on Monday, June 15, 2015 at 6:00pm at the direction of the Chair.

Memorandum

To: Water, Sewer, Refuse, Recycling & Litter Committee, Council, Mayor, City Manager, City Law Director, City Finance Director, Department Supervisors

From: Gregory J. Heath, Finance Director/Clerk of Council

Date: 6/3/2015

Re: Water, Sewer, Refuse, Recycling & Litter Committee Meeting Cancellation

The Water, Sewer, Refuse, Recycling & Litter Committee, which is regularly scheduled to meet on Monday, June 8, 2015 at 7:00pm, has been rescheduled to meet on Monday, June 15, 2015 at 7:00pm in a joint session with City Council.

Memorandum

To: Municipal Properties, Buildings, Land Use & Economic Development Committee,
Council, Mayor, City Manager, City Law Director, City Finance Director,
Department Supervisors

From: Gregory J. Heath, Finance Director/Clerk of Council

Date: 6/3/2015

Re: Municipal Properties, Buildings, Land Use & Economic Development Committee
Meeting Cancellation

The Municipal Properties, Buildings, Land Use & Economic Development
Committee, which is regularly scheduled to meet on Monday, June 8, 2015 at 7:30pm,
has been CANCELED at the direction of the Committee Chair.

Memorandum

To: Board of Zoning Appeals, Council, Mayor, City Manager, City Law Director,
City Finance Director, Department Supervisors, Media

From: Gregory J. Heath, Finance Director/Clerk of Council

Date: 6/3/2015

Re: Board of Zoning Appeals Meeting Cancellation

The Board of Zoning Appeals meeting regularly scheduled for Tuesday,
June 9, 2015 at 4:30pm has been CANCELED due to lack of agenda items.

Fw: Fwd: Ohio Municipal League Legislative Bulletin

From: "Gregory J Heath" <gheath@napoleonohio.com>
To: "Roxanne Dietrich" <rdietrich@napoleonohio.com>

06/01/15 09:11 AM

-----Original Message-----

From: "Michelle Jordan" <datataxgroup@gmail.com>
To: "undisclosed-recipients:"
Date: 05/29/2015 05:00 PM
Subject: Fwd: Ohio Municipal League Legislative Bulletin

Dear DATA members:

Please forward this on to your administration.

Thank you!

Michelle

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From: **Ohio Municipal League** <kscarrett@omloho.org>
Date: Fri, May 29, 2015 at 1:05 PM
Subject: Ohio Municipal League Legislative Bulletin
To: datataxgroup@gmail.com

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May 29, 2015

SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE RECEIVES BUDGET SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

Although it was a shorter than usual week with offices closed Monday in observance of Memorial Day, the legislature and more specifically the Ohio Senate continues their examination of issues to be considered for the state two year operating budget, HB64.

On Wednesday, the Senate Finance Committee received reports from those serving as Chairman and Ranking Minority Members of the various Finance subcommittees, including Ways and Means Committee, whom have been spending the last four weeks going through various proposals of the state budget. As part of the testimony presented to Finance Committee members, Ways and Means Chairman Sen. Bob Peterson (R-Washington Courthouse) offered this quick analysis of the testimony his committee was provided with, as they studied the various tax policy issues: "I can summarize all of our testimony very clearly in a few quick sentences: people and businesses like

tax cuts. People and businesses do not like paying taxes," he said. "That summarizes the four weeks' of testimony we heard. In addition, a good tax plan I hope we can develop over the next few weeks would be pro-growth...it's simple, both simple to administer and simple for the taxpayers filing. It would be transparent: the taxpayers would know what taxes need to pay. It would be fair and equitable. "

In delivering the report for the minority party members of the Senate Ways and Means Committee, Ranking Minority Member Sen. Charleta Travares (D-Columbus) shared with committee members that her caucus will be offering several tax relief amendments that will be targeted towards helping lower and middle-income families. Senator Travares went on to explain that there are disagreements between majority and minority party leaders on what issues should receive more support by the state through the upcoming budget and said the Senate Democrat caucus will submit "much needed funding amendments to increase the local government and public library fund to ensure vital services are maintained."

The Senate Finance Committee is still scheduled to begin receiving testimony the week of June 8th from those that have an interest in what is included in the state's two year spending plan. The league is asking our members to consider arranging time in their upcoming schedules to join us at the Ohio Statehouse as we lobby members of the Ohio Senate to restore financial support to Ohio cities and villages, by restoring funding cuts to the Local Government Fund. State legislators are always grateful for the time our local officials are able to carve-out of their busy schedules, to join in the legislative process by providing testimony in committees, like the Finance Committee, so they can hear firsthand the real challenges faced by our local officials as they facilitate the delivery of crucial services residents and businesses expect every day. Unfortunately, some members of the legislature are still under the false impression that municipal revenue figures across the board are back to or even higher than revenue collection amounts before the 2008 economic recession or the dramatic cuts in state financial assistance that took place in HB 153, the FY 2010-11 state budget, with the LGF and Estate tax.

For those municipal officials who will be able to join us in the Senate Finance Committee hearing and want to provide their communities story through prepared remarks, testimony should be brief, 5 to 10 minutes in duration so that the committee can get through as many witnesses as possible in a manageable time frame. Chairman Oelslager asks that those giving testimony to please provide his office with a written copy of the testimony 24 hours before the hearing date. The league would be happy to assist in making sure testimony is delivered to the Chairman's office before the hearing, if municipal witnesses choose to send their testimony to us first.

As soon as the official public hearing schedule, including dates and times, is released for the week of June 8th by the Senate Finance Committee, we will be sure to alert our members.

BILL TO ALTER JOINT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS (JEDDs) RECEIVES PROPONENT HEARING

Members of the House Economic & Workforce Development Committee heard proponent testimony this week on HB 182, legislation introduced by Rep. Kirk Schuring (R-Canton) that would revise the law governing the creation and operation of Joint Economic Development Districts (JEDDs) including Enterprise Zones. The Ohio Chamber of Commerce delivered the only testimony to committee members and shared with those present their support for the idea of expanding authority to create a JEDD for redevelopment; their support for allowing the option of imposing the JEDD income tax on either residents or businesses; the language in the bill allowing an "opt-out" provision which would permit the owner of a business to be exempt from the JEDD income tax; and that the bill would allow parties included in a JEDD to designate parcels of property to be excluded from the JEDD boundaries.

After reviewing several components of the bill, the league has reached out to the bill sponsor to facilitate a discussion regarding issues that may be a concern for municipalities. We will keep our members updated on future committee action concerning this bill and any changes that may be recommended to address weaknesses with the current version.

Below is a list of bills recently introduced in the Ohio House and Senate followed by the upcoming hearing schedule for legislative committees next week. Have a safe and pleasant weekend.~

NEW BILLS IN THE OHIO HOUSE:

HB 182

DEVELOPMENT ZONES (Schuring, K.) To revise the law governing the creation and operation of joint economic development districts (JEDDs) and enterprise zones. Am. 715.72, 715.79, 715.80, 715.81, 715.82, 715.83, 5709.61, 5709.62, 5709.63, 5709.632, 5709.82, 5733.06, 5733.41, 5747.02, and 5747.41 and to repeal sections 715.73, 715.74, 715.75, 715.76, 715.761, 715.77, 715.771, and 715.78

HB 183

STUDENT TRUSTEES (Antani, N., Stinziano, M.) To grant student members of the boards of trustees of state universities and the Northeast Ohio Medical University voting power and the authority to attend executive sessions. Am. 3335.02, 3335.09, 3337.01, 3339.01, 3341.02, 3343.02, 3343.06, 3344.01, 3350.10, 3352.01, 3356.01, 3359.01, 3361.01, 3362.01, and 3364.01

HB 184

MUSIC THERAPISTS (Dovilla, M., Antonio, N.) To require the licensure of music therapists and to require the State Medical Board to regulate the licensure and practice of music therapists. Am. 109.572, 4731.07, 4731.224, 4731.24, 4731.25, 4776.01, and 4776.20 and to enact sections 4780.01 to 4780.15 and 4780.99

HB 185

ARSON (Koehler, K.) To eliminate lack of the property owner's consent as an element of arson when the property is abandoned real property and to make the consent of the owner of abandoned real property an affirmative defense. Am. 2909.03 and 2909.11

HB 186

MOTOR FUEL (Burkley, T.) To create a qualified immunity for the dispensing of incompatible motor fuel, to limit the Product Liability Law with respect to motor fuel and motor fuel additives, and to prohibit an insurer from denying a claim on the basis that an underground storage tank is not compatible with a motor fuel if the State Fire Marshal has determined otherwise. Am. 2307.75 and 3737.88 and to enact section 2305.52

HB 187

ANIMAL TREATMENT (Ginter, T.) To authorize a first responder, emergency medical technician-basic, emergency medical technician-intermediate, emergency medical technician-paramedic, or volunteer firefighter to stabilize an injured animal in an emergency.

HB 188

PHARMACY (Manning, N., Huffman, S.) To revise the laws governing pharmacist consult agreements and the laws governing the circumstances under which a pharmacist may dispense or

sell a drug without a prescription. Am. 4729.01, 4729.281, and 4729.39

HB 189

VOTER IDENTIFICATION (Brenner, A.) To revise the law concerning the identification an elector must provide in order to cast absent voter's ballots, to vote in person at a polling place, or to cast a provisional ballot. Am. 3501.01, 3503.14, 3503.16, 3503.19, 3503.28, 3505.18, 3505.181, 3505.182, 3505.183, 3509.03, 3509.04, 3509.05, 3509.08, 3511.02, 3511.05, 3511.09, 4507.50, and 4507.52

HB 190

WIND SETBACKS (Burkley, T., Brown, T.) To permit counties to adopt resolutions establishing an alternative setback for wind farms and to extend by five years the deadlines for obtaining the qualified energy project tax exemption. Am. 5727.75 and to enact sections 4906.21, 4906.211, 4906.212, 4906.213, 4906.214, and 4906.215

HB 191

CLIENT ASSESSMENTS (Pelanda, D.) Regarding the assessment of a client who has been referred to a community mental health or addiction services provider for treatment related to probation for a criminal offense. Am. 5119.366

HB 192

SCHOOL SAFETY (Rogers, J., Perales, R.) To require the State Board of Education to adopt rules prescribing standards for safety enhancements to new public and nonpublic school facilities and to require the Ohio School Facilities Commission to revise its construction and design standards to comply with the State Board's standards. Am. 3318.031 and to enact section 3301.80

HB 193

ADDRESS CONFIDENTIALITY (Clyde, K., Fedor, T.) To establish an address confidentiality program for individuals who reasonably believe that they are in danger of being threatened or physically harmed by another person, to exclude the residential and familial information of a federal law enforcement officer from the definition of a public record, to include federal law enforcement officers among the protected individuals who are authorized to request a public office other than the county auditor to redact the person's address from any record made available to the general public on the internet, and to include those officers among the protected individuals who may request the county auditor to replace the person's name with the person's initials on the general tax list and duplicate. Am. 149.43, 149.45, 319.28, 319.54, 2903.213, 2903.214, 3113.31, 3503.15, and 3509.03 and to enact sections 111.31, 111.32, 111.321, 111.33, 111.34, 111.35, 111.36, 111.37, 111.38, 111.39, 111.40, 2901.44, and 3503.151

HB 194

PATENT INFRINGEMENT (Roegner, K.) To prohibit a person from engaging in the widespread sending of bad faith, objectively baseless communications of patent infringement and to authorize the Attorney General to investigate and institute a civil action if the Attorney General believes a person has made such assertions of patent infringement. Am. 2307.66 and 2307.67

HB 195

LICENSE PLATE (Grossman, C.) To create the "Dream Field" license plate. Am. 4501.21 and to enact section 4503.87

HB 196

HEALTHIER BUCKEYE COUNCILS (Amstutz, R., Derickson, T.) To require boards of county commissioners to establish local healthier buckeye councils; to rename the Ohio Healthier Buckeye Advisory Council the Ohio Healthier Buckeye Council and to expand its duties; to establish the Healthier Buckeye Grant Program; to establish the Comprehensive Case Management and Employment Program; and to make changes to the law governing the Prevention, Retention, and Contingency Program. Am. 355.02, 355.03, 355.04, 5101.90, 5101.91, 5101.92, 5108.01, 5108.04, 5108.06, 5108.07, 5108.09, and 5108.11; to amend, for the purpose of adopting new section numbers as indicated in parentheses, sections 5108.03 (5108.05) and 5108.05 (5108.041); to enact new section 5108.03 and sections 5101.901, 5101.902, 5101.93, 5108.021, and 5108.022; and to repeal section 5108.03 of the Revised Code

HB 197

DRUG SALES (Rezabek, J.) To prohibit the over-the counter sale, without a prescription, of dextromethorphan to a person who is under 18 years of age. Am. 2925.62

HB 198

HUMANE SOCIETIES (Hambley, S., Johnson, G.) To abolish the humane society's authority to employ an attorney to prosecute certain violations of law dealing with animal cruelty or acts involving mistreatment or nonsupport of children. Am. 2931.18

HB 199

MOTOR VEHICLE BOARD (Blessing, L., Rezabek, J.) To extend the jurisdiction of the Motor Vehicle Repair Board to persons who perform motor vehicle mechanical repairs, to require motor vehicle repair facilities to register with the Board, and to make other changes to the Motor Vehicle Repair and Window Tint Operator Law, and to further enact new section 4775.03 and repeal section 4775.03 of the Revised Code on January 1, 2016, to dissolve the existing Motor Vehicle Repair Board and replace it with a new board of the same name. Am. 4775.01, 4775.02, 4775.03, 4775.04, 4775.05, 4775.06, 4775.07, 4775.08, 4775.09, 4775.10, and 4775.11

HB 200

EPINEPHRINE ACCESS (Hagan, C.) To permit epinephrine autoinjectors for which no prescriptions have been written to be stored and accessed for use in case of emergency. Am. 4729.51 and 4729.60 and to enact sections 2925.64, 3728.01, 3728.03, 3728.04, 3728.05, 3728.09, 3728.10, 3728.11, 4723.489, 4729.88, 4730.432, and 4731.96.

HB 201

UNDERAGE DRINKING (Dever, J., Stinziano, M.) To provide persons under 21 years of age with a qualified immunity from prosecution for offenses involving underage alcohol possession or consumption if law enforcement personnel become aware of the offense solely because the person sought or obtained medical assistance, solely because another individual sought or obtained medical assistance for the person, or because the person requested law enforcement assistance to report a criminal offense, prevent a possible criminal offense, or request the investigation of a criminal offense. Am. 4301.631, 4301.69, and 4301.691 and to enact section 4301.79.

HB 202

LICENSE PLATES (Sheehy, M.) To create the "Vietnam Veteran" license plate for United States Marine Corps veterans, to create the "Combat Medical Badge" license plates for United States Army veterans, and to authorize the issuance of "Combat Action Medal" license plates. Am. 4503.533 and to enact sections 4503.536 and 4503.537.

HB 203

STARTUP OHIO (Stinziano, M.) To establish the Startup Ohio initiative in which universities and partnering business may collaborate in tax-free areas near campuses in this state to create jobs, attract entrepreneurs, and spur academic enrichment and to direct the Director of Budget and Management to transfer \$100 million to the Ohio Venture Capital Program Fund. Am. 150.03, 322.02, 5739.02, 5739.03, 5747.01, and 5751.01 and to enact sections 195.01 to 195.14 and 5709.071

HB 204

POLICE TRAINING (Derickson, T., Manning, N.) To prohibit the Ohio Peace Officer Training Commission from recommending and the Attorney General from adopting a rule limiting the number of hours of basic training required for peace officers and to generally require all persons newly appointed to a peace officer position to have received a high school diploma or certificate of high school equivalence. Am. 109.73, 109.74, and 109.77.

HB 205

SELF-INSURING EMPLOYERS (Henne, M., Retherford, W.) To modify the requirements for an employer to become a self-insuring employer for purposes of the Workers' Compensation Law, to transfer authority over the workers' compensation self-insurance program to the Superintendent of Insurance, and to allow certain employers and groups of employers to obtain workers' compensation coverage from a private workers' compensation insurer. Am. 9.315, 1561.04, 1561.31, 1701.86, 1729.55, 2705.05, 2913.48, 3121.01, 3121.0311, 3701.741, 3702.51, 3937.01, 3955.05, 3964.02, 4121.121, 4121.31, 4121.44, 4121.50, 4121.61, 4121.65, 4121.66, 4123.01, 4123.026, 4123.25, 4123.292, 4123.34, 4123.342, 4123.35, 4123.351, 4123.352, 4123.38, 4123.411, 4123.412, 4123.416, 4123.46, 4123.50, 4123.51, 4123.511, 4123.512, 4123.54, 4123.63, 4123.65, 4123.74, 4123.75, 4123.79, 4123.80, 4123.81, 4123.82, 4123.83, 4123.84, 4123.85, 4123.93, 4123.931, 4125.05, and 5119.332; to amend, for the purpose of adopting new section numbers as indicated in parentheses, sections 4123.35 (3971.03), 4123.351 (3971.09), and 4123.352 (3971.12); to enact new sections 4123.35 and 4123.351 and sections 3971.01, 3971.04, 3971.05, 3971.06, 3971.07, 3971.08, 3971.10, 3971.11, and 3971.15; and to repeal section 4123.353.

HB 206

WORKERS COMPENSATION CLAIMS (Henne, M.) To require the Industrial Commission to keep statistics on individual hearing decisions of contested workers' compensation claims Am. 4121.36.

HB 207

WORKERS COMPENSATION (Henne, M., McColley, R.) To allow a state fund employer to have a workers' compensation claim that is likely to be subrogated by a third party paid from the surplus fund account in the state insurance fund rather than charged to the employer's experience Am. 4123.291, 4123.93, and 4123.931 and to enact section 4123.932.

HB 208

IMPORTUNING (Schaffer, T.) To amend the penalties for the offense of importuning. Am. 2907.07.

HB 209

FALSE ALARMS (Grossman, C.) To include in the offenses of disorderly conduct, inducing panic, making false alarms, and obstructing official business, prohibitions against simulating a crime or creating a condition that causes or intends to cause law enforcement officials to falsely believe that a crime is being committed or causes serious public inconvenience or alarm. Am. 2917.11,

2917.31, 2917.32, and 2921.31.

HB 210

GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTS (Green, D.) Regarding certain accounts of county agencies and county elected officials. Am. 325.071, 325.12, and 2981.13 and to enact sections 319.70, 319.71, 319.72, and 319.73.

HB 211

LICENSE PLATE (Patterson, J.) To create the "Street Rod" license plate. Am. 4501.21 and to enact section 4503.555

HB 212

ACHIEVEMENT TESTS (Thompson, A.) With regard to state achievement assessments, statewide academic content standards and model curricula, and teacher and administrator evaluations. Am. 3301.07, 3301.078, 3301.079, 3301.0710, 3301.0712, 3301.0714, 3301.0715, 3301.0718, 3301.0722, 3302.03, 3302.04, 3302.15, 3311.80, 3311.84, 3313.60, 3313.608, 3313.6017, 3313.6020, 3313.61, 3313.612, 3313.618, 3314.03, 3317.141, 3319.02, 3319.11, 3319.223, 3319.23, 3319.58, 3326.111, 3328.01, and 3333.0411 and to repeal sections 3301.0721, 3319.111, 3319.112, and 3319.114

HB 213

OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES (Brinkman, T.) To make occupational licenses subject to annual renewal become biennial licenses and to permit a licensee to take continuing education courses online. Am. 1321.05, 1321.08, 1321.20, 1321.52, 1321.532, 1321.536, 1322.041, 1322.052, 3773.36, 3773.42, 3773.43, 4707.071, 4707.10, 4725.16, 4725.17, 4725.171, 4725.34, 4725.51, 4727.03, 4727.19, 4728.03, 4729.11, 4729.12, 4729.15, 4729.52, 4729.54, 4735.06, 4735.09, 4735.14, 4735.141, 4735.27, 4735.29, 4736.11, 4736.12, 4740.04, 4740.05, 4740.06, 4747.05, 4747.06, 4749.03, 4749.031, 4751.06, 4751.07, 4759.06, 4759.08, 4763.05, 4763.06, 4763.07, 4763.08, 4763.09, 4779.19, and 4779.23

HB 214

PIPING MATERIALS (Thompson, A.) To restrict when a public authority may preference a particular type of piping material for certain public improvements. Am. 153.75

HB 215

ANIMAL FIGHTS (Sears, B., Bishoff, H.) To prohibit and establish an increased penalty for knowingly engaging in activities associated with cockfighting, bearbaiting, or pitting an animal against another. Am. 959.15 and 959.99

HB 216

NURSES (Pelanda, D.) To revise the law governing advanced practice registered nurses. 1.64, 1751.67, 2133.211, 2305.113, 2305.234, 2317.02, 2919.171, 2921.22, 2925.61, 3701.351, 3701.926, 3705.16, 3719.06, 3719.121, 3727.06, 3923.233, 3923.301, 3923.63, 3923.64, 4713.02, 4723.01, 4723.02, 4723.03, 4723.05, 4723.06, 4723.07, 4723.08, 4723.09, 4723.10, 4723.151, 4723.16, 4723.24, 4723.25, 4723.271, 4723.28, 4723.32, 4723.341, 4723.36, 4723.41, 4723.42, 4723.432, 4723.44, 4723.46, 4723.481, 4723.482, 4723.486, 4723.487, 4723.488, 4723.49, 4723.491, 4723.71, 4723.88, 4723.99, 4729.01, 4729.39, 4731.22, 4731.281, 4731.35, 4755.48, 4755.481, 4761.17, 5120.55, and 5164.07, to enact section 4723.011, and to repeal sections 4723.43, 4723.431, 4723.47, 4723.48, 4723.484, 4723.485, 4723.492, 4723.50, and 4731.27

HB 217

MENTAL HEALTH EXAMINATIONS (Ruhl, M.) To authorize certain advanced practice registered nurses to have a person involuntarily transported to a hospital for a mental health examination. Am. 5122.01 and 5122.10

HB 218

DRONES (Barnes, J.) To regulate the operation of drones near airports and to impose certain record-keeping requirements on retail sellers of drones. Am. 4561.50 and 4561.51

HB 219

AWARENESS MONTH (Barnes, J.) To designate January as "Thyroid Health Awareness Month." Am. 5.256

HB 220

GRANTS DEPARTMENT (Barnes, J.) To create the Department of Grants and Philanthropic Gestures. Am. 121.02 and 121.03 and to enact section 121.77

HB 221

TOBACCO USE (Ruhl, M., Ashford, M.) To revise the law regarding tobacco and nicotine use in public schools and at public school-sponsored functions. Am. 3313.751, 3314.03, 3326.11, and 3328.24

HB 222

TRANSIT WORKER ASSAULTS (Driehaus, D., Perales, R.) To increase the penalty for assault when the victim is an employee of an Ohio transit system whom the offender knows or has reasonable cause to know is such an employee engaged in the performance of the victim's duties; to permit the court to impose a fine of up to \$5000 and a six-month or lifetime prohibition from riding an Ohio transit system for assault committed in such specified circumstances; to authorize Ohio transit systems to post a warning sign indicating that abuse or assault of staff will not be tolerated and might result in a felony conviction; and to increase the penalty for evading payment of the known fares of a public transportation system. Am. 2903.13 and 2917.41 and to enact section 306.20.

HB 223

ATHLETIC PROGRAMS (Stinziano, M.) To allow minors to be employed by a youth athletic program if certain conditions are satisfied.

HB 224

ACCOUNTABLE CARE ORGANIZATIONS (Antani, N., Duffey, M.) To require each accountable care organization (ACO) to establish a clinical laboratory testing advisory board and each clinical laboratory that provides services to participants in the ACO to designate a member of the board. En. 3701.862.

HB 225

ROAD NAMING (Grossman, C., Curtin, M.) To designate a portion of Interstate Route 70 in Columbus as the "Sgt. Jesse Balthaser U.S.M.C. Memorial Highway." En. 5534.20.

HB 226

HOUSING LIENS (Rogers, J.) To provide that a portion of a condominium or planned community assessment is prior to other liens on condominium units and planned community lots and to provide that a condominium unit owners association lien is a continuing lien. Am. 5311.18 and 5312.12

HB 227

COSMETOLOGY LAW (Roegner, K., Reece, A.) To make changes to the Cosmetology Licensing Law. Am. 2925.01, 4713.01, 4713.02, 4713.03, 4713.06, 4713.07, 4713.08, 4713.081, 4713.082, 4713.09, 4713.10, 4713.13, 4713.14, 4713.141, 4713.16, 4713.17, 4713.20, 4713.21, 4713.22, 4713.24, 4713.25, 4713.26, 4713.28, 4713.30, 4713.31, 4713.34, 4713.35, 4713.36, 4713.37, 4713.39, 4713.41, 4713.42, 4713.44, 4713.45, 4713.48, 4713.55, 4713.56, 4713.57, 4713.58, 4713.59, 4713.60, 4713.61, 4713.62, 4713.63, 4713.64, 4713.641, and 4713.99 and to enact sections 4713.071, 4713.66, and 4713.69

HB 228

DRONE USE (Cupp, R.) To prohibit the commission of any of a list of specified offenses by using a drone or by directing or supervising another person's use of a drone. Am. 2981.01 and 2981.02 and to enact section 2917.48

HB 229

TRUST LAW (Hambley, S., Bishoff, H.) To create the Ohio Family Trust Company Act. Am. 1121.30 and to enact sections 1112.01, 1112.02, 1112.03, 1112.06, 1112.07, 1112.08, 1112.11, 1112.12, 1112.13, 1112.14, 1112.15, 1112.17, 1112.18, 1112.19, 1112.20, 1112.21, 1112.24, 1112.27, 1112.28, 1112.29, 1112.32, and 1112.33

HB 230

CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY (Sprague, R.) Regarding the practices of chemical dependency counseling and prevention services. Am. 2305.234, 4757.41, 4758.01, 4758.02, 4758.10, 4758.13, 4758.20, 4758.21, 4758.22, 4758.23, 4758.30, 4758.31, 4758.36, 4758.39, 4758.40, 4758.41, 4758.42, 4758.43, 4758.44, 4758.45, 4758.46, 4758.60, and 4758.61

HB 231

PROPERTY VALUATIONS (Grossman, C., McClain, J.) To require counties, municipal corporations, townships, and school boards that file complaints against the valuation of property they do not own to pass a resolution approving the complaint and specifying the compensation paid to any person retained to represent the county, Municipal Corporation, township, or school board in the matter of the complaint. Am. 5715.19

HB 232

USE TAX COLLECTIONS (Grossman, C., Scherer, G.) To prescribe new criteria for determining whether sellers are presumed to have substantial nexus with Ohio and therefore required to register to collect use tax, to allow sellers presumed to have substantial nexus to rebut that presumption, and to require a person, before the person enters into a sale of goods contract with the state, to register, along with the person's affiliates, to collect use tax. Am. 5741.01 and 5741.17

HB 233

REDEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS (Schuring, K.) To authorize municipal corporations to create downtown redevelopment districts and innovation districts for the purposes of promoting the rehabilitation of historic buildings, creating jobs, encouraging economic development in commercial and mixed-use areas, and supporting grants and loans to technology-oriented and other businesses. Am. 133.04, 133.06, 709.024, 709.19, 3317.021, 5501.311, 5709.12, 5709.82,

5709.83, 5709.831, 5709.832, 5709.85, 5709.91, 5709.911, 5709.913, and 5715.27 and to enact sections 1710.14, 1724.12, 5709.45, 5709.46, and 5709.47

NEW BILLS IN THE OHIO SENATE:

SB 157

BICYCLE HELMETS (Jones, S.) To generally require any person under sixteen years of age to wear a helmet while on a bicycle, to require bicycle rental businesses to inform any person under sixteen years of age who rents a bicycle of this requirement and provide helmet rentals, and to provide limited civil immunity for bicycle rental businesses that comply with these requirements. Am. 4511.531

SB 158

VOTER REGISTRATION (Yuko, K.) To require that eligible persons in certain government and school databases be automatically registered to vote or have their registrations updated automatically unless those persons decline to do so and to create an online voter registration system. Am. 3501.05, 3503.09, 3503.10, 3503.12, 3503.13, 3503.14, 3503.15, 3503.16, 3503.19, 3503.21, 3503.28, 3503.30, 3503.33, 3505.18, 3505.181, 3505.183, 3509.03, 3509.05, 3511.02, 3511.09, 3599.11, and 3599.18 and to enact new section 3503.11 and section 3503.20, and to repeal sections 3503.11, 3503.29, and 3505.22

SB 159

LICENSE PLATE (Hughes, J.) To create the "Baseball for All" license plate and to require the contributions received from the issuance of such license plates to be used to build, maintain, and improve youth baseball fields within the municipal corporation of Grove City. Am. 4501.21 and to enact section 4503.87.

SB 160

HOTEL INTERMEDIARIES (Hughes, J., Patton, T.) To require hotel intermediaries to collect and remit applicable sales and use tax on the full amount paid for hotel lodging, to require hotel intermediaries to supply customers with itemized invoices, to specify that a hotel intermediary is presumed to have "substantial nexus" with Ohio if the intermediary arranges lodging at Ohio hotels, and to specify that hotels are not liable for the failure of a hotel intermediary to properly collect or remit applicable taxes. Am. 351.021, 353.06, 5739.01, 5739.09, 5739.12, 5739.13, 5741.01, 5741.12, and 5741.13 and to enact section 5739.081

SB 161

SEARCH WARRANTS (Oelslager, S.) To authorize probate judges to issue search warrants. Am. 2931.01

SB 162

DEATH SENTENCES (Seitz, B., Williams, S.) To provide that a person convicted of aggravated murder who shows that the person had a serious mental illness at the time of committing the offense cannot be sentenced to death for the offense and to provide a mechanism for re-sentencing to a life sentence a person previously sentenced to death who proves that the person had a serious mental illness at the time of committing the offense. Am. 929.02, 2929.022, 2929.024, 2929.03, 2929.04, 2929.06, 2953.21, and 2953.23 and to enact section 2929.025

SB 163

COMMON CORE (Jordan, K.) With respect to the Common Core State Standards academic

standards, powers of the State Board of Education, and the distribution of student information. Am. 3301.07, 3301.078, and 3301.0714

SB 164

SMART METERS (Jordan, K.) To require electric distribution utilities to obtain a customer's consent prior to installing a smart meter on the customer's property. Am. 4928.661

SB 165

LIFE-SUSTAINING TREATMENT (Lehner, P.) To establish procedures for the use of medical orders for life-sustaining treatment and to make changes to the laws governing DNR identification and orders. Am. 2133.02, 2133.21, 2133.211, 2133.23, 2133.24, 2133.25, 2133.26, 3795.03, and 4730.09; to amend, for the purpose of adopting new section numbers as indicated in parentheses, sections 2133.211 (2133.23), 2133.23 (2133.24), 2133.24 (2133.25), 2133.25 (2133.26), and 2133.26 (2133.27); to enact new section 2133.22 and sections 2133.28, 2133.29, 2133.30, 2133.31, 2133.32, 2133.33, 2133.34, 2133.35, 2133.36, 2133.37, 2133.38, 2133.39, 2133.40, 2133.41, 2133.42, 2133.43, 2133.44, 2133.45, 2133.46, and 2133.47; and to repeal section 2133.22

SB 166

DRILLING PLANS (Gentile, L.) To require the owner of a horizontal well to develop and implement an emergency response plan for the purpose of responding to emergencies at the surface location of the well and to specify what must be included in the plan and to whom and the manner in which it must be submitted. Am. 1509.39 and 1509.391

SB 167

RECREATIONAL VEHICLES (LaRose, F.) To establish the State Recreational Vehicle Fund Advisory Board for the purpose of providing advice to the Department of Natural Resources regarding the use of state recreational vehicle money and studying the feasibility of establishing a grant program to fund recreational vehicle projects. Am. 1541.50

SB 168

EDUCATION INFORMATION (LaRose, F.) To require the Education Management Information System to include information regarding persons at whom a student's violent behavior that resulted in discipline was directed and to require the Department of Education to submit a one-time report to the General Assembly regarding that information. Am. 3301.0714

SB 169

AWARENESS DAY (LaRose, F.) To designate the fourth Tuesday in September as "Voter Registration Awareness Day." Am. 5.2296

SB 170

IDENTIFICATION CARDS (Hughes, J.) To provide that any nondriver identification card that is issued to a person who is 80 years of age or older be issued without payment of any fee of any kind and have no expiration date.

SB 171

COURT PROCEEDINGS (Seitz, B.) To enact the Uniform Interstate Depositions and Discovery Act. Am. 2319.09 and to repeal section 2319.09

SB 172

BULLION TAXES (Jordan, K.) To exempt from sales and use taxes the sale or use of investment metal bullion and coins. Am. 5739.02.

SB 173

SPECIAL ELECTIONS (Jordan, K.) To eliminate the ability to conduct special elections in February and August. Am. 323.17, 3501.01, 5705.194, 5739.021.

Meetings & Conferences

Mayor's Court Re-Certification Classes	June, Aug., Oct. & Nov.	<u>Registration</u>
OMCA Summer 1-Day Seminar	June 3rd, 2015	<u>Registration</u>
Mayors Association Annual Conference	June 10th ~ 12th, 2015	<u>Registration</u>
OML Annual Income Tax Seminar	July 8th ~ 10th, 215	<u>Registration</u>

Please Click [Here](#) to see our entire 2015 Meeting & Conference Schedule

PRELIMINARY COMMITTEE SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 31, 2015

Tuesday, June 2, 2015

HOUSE GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABILITY AND OVERSIGHT Rep. Brown: [614-466-8104](tel:614-466-8104)

Tue., Jun. 2, 2015, 1:30 PM, Hearing Room 114

SJR1 PUBLIC OFFICE COMPENSATION COMMISSION (FABER K) Proposing to amend Sections 4, 20, and 31 of Article II, Section 19 of Article III, and Section 6 of Article IV and to enact Section 20a of Article II of the Constitution of the State of Ohio to establish the Public Office Compensation Commission.

First Hearing, Sponsor Testimony

HOUSE WAYS AND MEANS Rep. McClain: [614-644-6265](tel:614-644-6265)

Tue., Jun. 2, 2015, 1:30 PM, Hearing Room 121

HB176 GAS-FUEL CONVERSION PROGRAM (HALL D, O'BRIEN S) To create the Gaseous Fuel Vehicle Conversion Program, to allow a credit against the income or commercial activity tax for the purchase or conversion of an alternative fuel vehicle, to reduce the amount of sales tax due on the purchase or lease of a qualifying electric vehicle by up to \$500, to apply the motor fuel tax to the distribution or sale of compressed natural gas, to authorize a temporary, partial motor fuel tax exemption for sales of compressed natural gas used as motor fuel, and to make an appropriation. First Hearing, Sponsor Testimony, SUBSTITUTE BILL

HB166 LOCAL TAX-FISCAL REVISIONS (GREEN D) To extend the deadline for filing an application for the homestead exemption or 2 1/2% property tax rollback to the end of the tax year, to require that auditors certify Local Government Fund allocations to subdivisions by regular or electronic, rather than certified mail, and to repeal laws requiring county auditors to issue permits for traveling shows, issue licenses for new merchandise public auctions, certify the annual state tax interest rate to local courts, and provide certain certifications related to the repealed personal property tax.



UPdate

A weekly newsletter presented by AMP President/CEO Marc Gerken

June 5, 2015

USEPA submits 111(d) Clean Power Plan final rule to OMB for review

By Cody Dill, PE – manager of environmental affairs

On Monday, June 1, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) submitted a final rule for its Section 111(d) Clean Power Plan to the White House Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for interagency review. The Clean Power Plan sets emission guidelines addressing greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions from existing power plants.

The Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs (OIRA) within the OMB is responsible for the review of significant proposed and final rules from federal agencies before they are published in the Federal Register. OMB is limited to 90 days to complete its review; however, a finalized rule is expected to be released to the public in August. The information will not be publicly available until then. Additionally, a draft federal plan to implement the Clean Power Plan in states that do not submit a satisfactory state plan is expected to be released for review in the same timeframe.

OMB has been reviewing USEPA's separate rules for carbon dioxide emissions from new and modified plants under Section 111(b) of the Clean Air Act since May. These rules are also at OMB and are expected to be finalized and recommended prior to the 111(d) rule, most likely in late July.

AFEC weekly update

By Ryan Thompson – power supply planning engineer

AFEC was online almost all week with the only exception being Sunday when the plant was offline due to economic reasons. The plant operated at near base max for most days during the week.

Duct burners were used for a total of 11 hours this week and the plant ended the past seven days with a 59 percent load factor (based on 675 MW).

Energy prices relatively flat while natural gas prices continue to decline

By Alice Wolfe – assistant vice president of power supply planning & alternative generation

Prices were largely flat this week after the amount of natural gas in storage reported was significantly larger than expected and weather forecasts remain within a few degrees of average. With this increase, storage numbers are now 1 percent above the five-year average and 51 percent above the 2014 levels.

July natural gas prices are down \$0.09/MMBtu from last week, finishing yesterday at \$2.62/MMBtu. 2016 on-peak power prices at AD Hub rose slightly, finishing yesterday at \$42.12/MWh which was \$0.15/MWh higher for the week.

AMP rolls out new assistance program for APPA's RP3 application

By Jennifer Flockerzie – technical services program coordinator

AMP is introducing a pilot assistance program to help members complete the application for the American Public Power Association's (APPA) Reliable Public Power Provider



(RP3) designation. This new pilot program will be offered to five members on a first-come, first-served basis.

AMP will separate the RP3 application into small, manageable segments and send pilot members a few application questions per week over a several-month period. The pilot program will allow AMP staff to work directly with those members on a question-by-question basis. We will assess the results and consider offering this "small bites" approach to all AMP members.

We will continue to provide help to all members in compiling and submitting their applications. This is the first year that the process will be offered online and AMP is prepared to assist members with the online APPA application.

The deadline to submit RP3 applications is Sept. 30, 2015. Members applying in 2015 will be designated in 2016 for a three-year term.

There are 23 AMP and DEMEC members that currently hold the designation – nine announced in 2015 and 14 for 2014-16.

For further information on the pilot RP3 assistance program, RP3 example documents and application questions, please contact me at jflockerzie@ampppartners.org or 614.540.0853. Additional information is also available on the [APPA website](#).



Tim Lawrence, Berlin electric utility director, demonstrates electrical safety during the town's Touch a Truck Day on May 30.

Berlin, Maryland, staff teaches children about electrical safety

By Harry Phillips – director of marketing/member relations

Several Berlin Electric Utility Department staff members were on hand to demonstrate electrical safety to area children using a "Power Town" display as part of a community outreach event on May 30.

The second annual Touch a Truck Day was held at Stephen Decatur Park in Berlin, Maryland, and featured vehicles from police, fire, electric, water resources and public works departments.

I also attended as an AMP representative and was able to share information about the organization with the residents of Berlin. The Town of Berlin became an AMP member in February 2015 and has a population of about 4,500.

On Peak (16 hour) prices into AEP/Dayton Hub

Week ending June 5

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
\$35.23	\$31.07	\$29.91	\$31.08	\$31.04

Week ending May 29

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
\$30.92	\$47.35	\$45.07	\$39.83	\$40.72

AEP/Dayton 2016 5x16 price as of June 5 — \$42.12

AEP/Dayton 2016 5x16 price as of May 29 — \$41.97

PMEA reception educates lawmakers on public power

By Michael Beirne – assistant vice president of government affairs & publications

The Pennsylvania Municipal Electric Association (PMEA) held its annual legislative reception on June 2 in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. Despite the Pennsylvania House of Representatives completing their week's work earlier in the day, the event was a success and provides a strong foundation for future legislative work on energy issues. PMEA members were able to discuss the benefits of public power and educate lawmakers on Pennsylvania municipal electric providers.

For more information about PMEA, please contact PMEA Executive Director Dave Woglom at 610.330.5856 or woglomd@lafayette.edu, or PMEA President and Grove City Borough Manager Vance Oakes at vance@grovecityonline.com or 724.458.7060.



Lineworkers sharpen skills in AMP's Basic 1 course

By Bob Rumbaugh – manager of technical training

AMP kicked off its 2015 Lineworker training series this week with a Basic 1 course at AMP headquarters. Twelve (12) participants from nine members in Ohio, Michigan and Pennsylvania were in attendance.

Designed for first-year apprentices as a supplement to in-house training, this weeklong class provides an introduction and practice to climbing skills, as well as basic electrical theory, applied mathematics, first aid, safety, transformer basics and other preliminary skills.

For more information on AMP's line-worker series, please contact Jennifer Flockerzie, technical services program coordinator, at 614.540.0853 or jflockerzie@amppartners.org.

Basic 1 participants and instructors pictured are (from left): row one-Gary Shultz, safety consultant; Kent Brecheisen, Coldwater; John Foxhoven, St. Marys; Kevin Jackson, Zelenople; Christopher Rhodes, Cuyahoga Falls; James Tolley, Galion; Derick Wyrick, Montpelier; Kyle Nulk, Galion; Jim Eberly, OSHA/safety compliance coordinator; row two-Bob Rumbaugh, manager of technical training; Derek Backs, St. Marys; Kyle Wuebker, Minster; Brett Carlin, Montpelier; Chad Gechter, Kutztown; and Jacob Scheer, New Bremen.





Eldorado, AMP put safety first

Ed Baker, with the Village of Eldorado Municipal Light Department, demonstrates electric safety to local fifth graders on May 18. Jim Eberly, OSHA/safety coordinator, also gave a presentation to students using the Hazard Hamlet electrical safety display.

Dill receives PE designation

By Jolene Thompson – senior vice president & OMEA executive director

Manager of Environmental Affairs Cody Dill recently received his Professional Engineer (PE) designation from the National Council of Examiners for Engineering and Surveying, and will be registered in the state of Ohio.

As a PE, Dill will be able to stamp and seal designs, bid for government contracts and perform consulting services, among other tasks.

Dill joined AMP in 2010 and was promoted to his current position in 2014. He is a native of Meigs County, Ohio, and holds a bachelor's degree in biological engineering from the Ohio State University.

Please join us in congratulating Cody.



Cody Dill

Calendar

June 5-10—APPA National Conference
Minneapolis, Minnesota

June 15-19—AMP Lineworker Intermediate class
AMP Headquarters, Columbus

July 7-9—AMP Hotline Training class
AMP Headquarters, Columbus

July 23—AMP Finance & Accounting
Subcommittee meeting
AMP Headquarters, Columbus

Aug. 29—AMP Lineworkers Rodeo
AMP Headquarters, Columbus

Aug. 31-Sept. 4—AMP Lineworker Basic 2 class
AMP Headquarters, Columbus

Sept. 28-Oct. 1—AMP/OMEA Conference
Hilton Columbus at Easton

AMP announces promotions

AMP is pleased to announce several promotions. Jared Price has been promoted to assistant vice president of IT and chief technology officer (CTO); Gary Keffer has been promoted to director of corporate health and safety; Beth Lander has been promoted to manager of human resources; and Charles Dobbins has been promoted to manager of SCADA and plant systems.

In his new role as AMP's CTO, Price will be responsible for enterprise IT systems design, enterprise architecture and will continue to oversee SCADA/plant systems. One of his key tasks will be to oversee the continued progression of AMP's "Smart Grid As A Service" (Hosted Solutions) offering for its members. Price joined AMP in 2011 and was named senior director of technology operations in 2013. He holds a bachelor's degree from DeVry University and a master's degree in business administration from the Keller Graduate School of Management. The chief information officer (CIO) and CTO job roles are frequently confused, but there are clear differences between the two. The AMP CIO role is focused on strategy, process and people. The AMP CTO position centers on policy, technology and architecture.

Keffer joined AMP in 2013 as the environmental health and safety manager. With nearly 20 years of health and safety experience, Keffer is an authorized OSHA General Industry Outreach instructor, and a certified American Safety and Health Institute First Aid and CPR instructor. He holds a bachelor's degree from the University of Connecticut and a master's degree from the University of Alabama at Birmingham.

In her new role, Lander will create a new employee orientation process and will conduct training on the performance review process for new and existing staff. She joined AMP fulltime in 2012 and is a graduate of Robert Morris University.

Dobbins came to AMP in 2012 as a help desk specialist and was named plant systems administrator in 2013. He holds a bachelor's degree from the Ohio State University and a master's degree from Ohio Dominican University.

Please join us in congratulating Jared, Gary, Beth and Charles.



Jared Price



Gary Keffer



Beth Lander



Charles Dobbins



News or Ads?

Call Krista Selvage at 614.540.6407 or email to kbselvage@amppartners.org if you would like to pass along news or ads.

Finance & Accounting Subcommittee Meeting covers issues regarding financial soundness for members

By Joe Regan – member credit compliance analyst

The City of Salem, Virginia, hosted members from several AMP communities on June 4 for an AMP Finance & Accounting Subcommittee meeting.

Dawn Lund, vice president of Utility Financial Solutions, started the meeting with a discussion on performing a financial checkup for utilities. Lund covered a variety of financial topics and best practices intended to provide a total picture of the overall condition of a utility.

Lund was followed by Jim Moore, principal of Kensington Capital Advisors and AMP's derivative adviser, who provided a primer on hedging bond financings. Specifically, Moore discussed how hedging is an important tool used to maximize savings for AMP project participants.

Moore was followed by Alice Wolfe, AMP assistant vice president of power supply planning and alternative generation, who presented on AMP peaking projects. Specifically, Wolfe covered the AMP Solar Phase II and BTM Gas projects, and how they can be used to help AMP members with peaking needs.

Chris Deeter, AMP assistant vice president finance and member credit compliance, followed Wolfe and discussed regulatory changes impacting the municipal securities

market. Specifically, Deeter covered the impact of recent changes in the SEC Municipal Advisor rules and what should be expected when a member is considering utilizing a municipal advisor.

I finished out the day with a presentation on the AMP credit scoring program. Specifically, I discussed the program and provided insight on a few things AMP members can do to strengthen their credit scores. Additionally, I went over how rating agencies use the AMP credit scoring program by providing examples of recent rating agency releases that mention the AMP credit scoring program in their reviews.

The next Finance & Accounting Subcommittee meeting will be held July 23 at AMP. In lieu of our regular agenda, this will be a special daylong workshop titled Financial Assessment for Electric Utilities Workshop. The workshop will be taught by Dawn Lund, who also leads the workshop for the American Public Power Association (APPA). All interested parties from municipalities are welcome to attend. Please RSVP to either me at jregan2@amppartners.org or 614.540.6913, or Chris Deeter at cdeeter@amppartners.org or 614.540.0848.

Classifieds

Marshall seeks utility engineer

The City of Marshall is now accepting applications for an Electric Utility Engineer. This position is responsible for the planning, engineering, design, and project management of electric utility system addition and improvement projects. The electric utility engineer is also responsible for the development and technical management of electric utility SCADA and fiber optic systems.

Position performs electric system load analysis and makes recommendations for proper utilization of system assets, operates and maintains the city's GIS program and creates various Auto Cad Drawings. Starting pay \$55,000 - \$60,000 DOQ plus benefits. Apply online at cityofmarshall.com. Deadline to apply is June 22, 2015. EOE M/F/H/V

City of Columbus accepts applications for open positions

The City of Columbus Department of Public Utilities is seeking qualified candidates for the following positions.

Safety Technician – Under general supervision, safety technician is responsible for implementing safety policies and procedures and ensuring compliance with all safety related requirements. This position will also perform related duties as required. Must have an associate's degree in a safety-related field and one year of experience in safety inspection, safety education or training, or safety program development

or management, or safety engineering. Substitution(s): Additional experience as specified may substitute for the educational requirement on a year-for-year basis. (30 semester/45 quarter credit hours equals one year). Must possess a valid driver's license. Salary \$39,020 - \$51,376.

Plant Maintenance Electrician I – Under general supervision, this position is responsible for installing, maintaining, troubleshooting, and repairing electrical equipment (up to 15kV AC), wiring systems and accessories. Will perform related duties as required. Must have two years of experience installing and repairing three-phase electrical equipment in an industrial facility with voltages up to 2400 volts. Substitution(s): Successful completion of a formal classroom or apprenticeship training program in the general principles of electricity may be substituted for six months of the required experience. Must possess a valid driver's license. Salary \$44,054 - \$59,030.

To apply, candidates must first take the open competitive examination. Applications must be submitted to the Civil Service Commission by applying online at www.csc.columbus.gov by June 10, 2015, for safety technician, and June 17, 2015, for plant maintenance electrician. Paper applications are available at the Civil Service Commission. Applicant Tracking is now managed by NEOGOV. If candidates do not already have a profile in NEOGOV, they will have to set up a new one in NEOGOV before submitting an application. Contact the Civil Service Commission at 614.645.8300 with questions. EOE

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Minster offers transformer for sale

The Village of Minster is offering for sale a McGraw-Edison Substation Transformer. The three-phase transformer was manufactured in 1988 and is rated at 10,000 to 12,500 KVA. It is copper wound and has a primary voltage of 70,600 volts and a secondary voltage of 13,717 volts with 16 taps. The unit is filled with non-PCB mineral oil with a total weight of 70,670 pounds. The length of the transformer is 11 feet with radiators. Depth with radiators is 12 feet. The unit measures 16 feet 4 inches to the top of the bushings.



The Village of Minster has set a minimum acceptable price of \$45,000.00 for the unit. Additional information can be obtained by contacting Electrical Superintendent John Neuman at 419.305.2971.

AMP accepts applications for open positions

American Municipal Power, Inc. (AMP) is seeking applicants for the following positions. For complete job descriptions, please visit the "careers" section of the [AMP website](http://www.amppartners.org) or email to Teri Tucker at tucker@amppartners.org.

Vice President of Transmission – This position will participate in the appropriate RTO (MISO, PJM, etc.) stakeholder committees as an advocate of AMP related to transmission and reliability; develop strategies related to influencing, interpreting, and implementing the rules and regulations developed by FERC and RTOs; keep staff and members abreast of regulatory issues which impact transmission, ancillary services and wholesale markets.

Candidates must have a four-year accredited degree in engineering; licensed Professional Engineer preferred. Must have a minimum of 15 years of utility experience in transmission operation, planning or transmission tariff analysis. Knowledge of PJM and MISO transmission expansion processes preferred and must have a working knowledge of the wholesale electric energy marketplace and the impact of transmission.

Belleville Plant Operator – This position functions as a control room operator, starting and stopping units, coordinating unit discharge rates, monitoring and maintaining upstream pool, taking and reporting hourly readings of distribution metering, unit blade positions, unit temperatures, and dissolved oxygen monitoring equipment. Also cleans debris from intake screens, acknowledges and responds to faults or alarms, performs other plant maintenance on equipment throughout the plant. Candidates should have a two- or four-year degree in mechanical or electrical engineering or engineering technology and two years of experience in plant operations, or; three to five years of experience in power plant operations. Experience with Allen Bradley PLCs and welding experience are helpful.

Power Supply Planning Engineer I – This position will assist in resource portfolio planning and market analysis for AMP member municipal electric systems. This includes presentations of power supply positions and strategies to internal staff and members. Candidates must have a four-year degree in engineering, business or economics. Prior work experience in operations/engineering with an electric utility, utility consultant, or major electric supplier is preferred, but not required.

Information Systems Intern – This position monitors the IT Support Application, resolves as many tickets as possible, and assigns remaining tickets to second level support. Also provides network preventative maintenance services to ensure network integrity, assists with acquisition and deployment of hardware, software and services, monitors and reviews system generated alerts, and perform and maintain inventories. Candidates must be currently enrolled at an accredited college or university.

City of Bowling Green seeks wastewater collection operator

Bowling Green Water Distribution & Wastewater Collection Division is seeking a Wastewater Collection Equipment Operator. This position is responsible for maintaining and repairing municipal sewers, installing new storm and sanitary lines and performing lift station maintenance.

Operates jet, TV and dump trucks, backhoes, jack hammers, tapping machines, air monitors, concrete saws and flow meters; uses hand tools; repairs blacktop, concrete, manholes, and catch basins; and performs other related duties as assigned. Work is performed outdoors in confined spaces in proximity to sewage; night, weekend and holiday work.

High school diploma or equivalent; Class B Commercial Driver's License with Tanker Endorsement; one to three years of relevant experience; or any combination of experiences which provides the required skill sets to perform the essential functions of the job. A copy of the job description will be provided to applicants. Qualified persons must complete an application that is available in the Personnel Dept of the City of Bowling Green, 304 N. Church St., Bowling Green, OH 43402-2399. The application is also available online [here](http://www.bgo.org).

Resumés alone will not be considered. Telephone: 419.354.6200; Fax 419.352.1262; email: BGPersonnel@bgo.org. The deadline for making application is 4:30 p.m. June 15, 2015. (BGEO Pay Grade 5: \$19.51 - \$24.92 per hour) AA/EEO

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