

LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS BOARD

Minutes

June 20th, 2024

A regular meeting of the Liquefied Petroleum Gas Board was held at 1:00 p.m. at the LP-Gas Board Building, 3800 Richards Road, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

Board Members Present: Terry McCallie (Chair), David Remy (Zoom), Brooke Tharp (Zoom), Damon Jackson (Zoom), Paul Cash (Zoom), Gordon Cunningham (Zoom).

Others Present: Kevin Pfalser (Director), Chrissy Horner, Keisha Harris, Donnie Rhea (APGA), Charlie Moulton (Counsel), Steve Ahrens (APGA), Trent Berg (Viega Mfg.)

I. Previous Meeting Minutes:

Motion made by Ms. Brooke Tharp to dispense with the reading and approval of minutes from 3/21/2024. Motion seconded by Mr. David Remy. Motion carried.

II. Clarifications:

No Class 1 Applications

III. Permit Applications:

Powell Feed	Class 3 (Green Forest)
Powell Feed	Class 3 (Melbourne)
Lakeview RV	Class 3 (Jonesboro)
Camping World	Class 3 (Springdale)
Camping World	Class 3 (Little Rock)
Camping World	Class 3 (Benton)
Pathfinder RV	Class 3 (Alma)
K&K Industries	Class 2 (Grand Prairie TX)
J-Con Farms	Class 5 (Summit MS)

IV. Territory Expansion:

Budget LP Miller County

V. Press-Fittings

Trent Berg with Viega Manufacturing addressed the Board seeking approval for Press-Fittings to be used on vapor service in Arkansas. Following presentation Mrs. Brooke Tharpe made a motion to approve the use of this type fitting if NFPA58 specifications were met. Motion was seconded by Mr. Paul Cash. Motion Carried.

VI. APGA Request:

Mr. Steve Ahrens requested that the Board consider extending the waiving of certain fees to include FY25 (July 1st, 2024 – June 30th, 2025). Mrs. Brooke Tharpe made a motion to waive fees per 15-75-111. Motion seconded by Mr. Paul Cash. Motion Carried.

VII. APGA Request:

Mr. Steve Ahrens and Mr. Donnie Rhea discussed the APGA desire for the Board to consider adopting by reference, in part, NFPA58. Following discussion, it was determined with the consensus of the Board to pursue this request.

VIII. Director's Comments:

a. Financial Report

Motion made by Mr. David Remy to approve the Financial Report. Motion seconded by Mr. Paul Cash. Motion carried.

IX. Meeting Adjourned

Upon completion of Board business, a motion was made by Mr. Paul Cash and seconded by Mrs. Brooke Tharpe to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried.

Solution 3 – Relocate LP tanks outside of 2-HR CMU wall. Maintain 10 ft clearance between LP tank and building. This will eliminate the requirement for a 20 ft clearance of diesel tank and a 10ft clearance of an ignition source. This is the least preferred solution, as it will be outside of the mechanical yard enclosure and will require additional privacy wall/fencing around tanks.

