



## International Code Council IECC Residential Consensus Committee Draft Meeting Minutes

**Meeting Date: May 26, 2022**

**Committee Chair:** JC Hudgison

**Committee Vice Chair:** Bridget Herring, Robin Yochum

1. Call to order. The meeting was called to order by chair JC Hudgison at approx. 1:02 pm CT.
2. Meeting Conduct. IECC Secretariat Kris Stenger introduced this item and made attendees aware of ICC [Council Policy 7](#) Committees: Section 5.1.10 Representation of Interests and ICC [Code of Ethics](#).
3. Roll Call.

Committee members in attendance: (42 in attendance 6 absent)

Chair JC Hudgison Vice-Chair Bridget Herring, Charles Allen, Jennifer Amann, Amy Boyce, Diana Burk (alt), Patricia Chawla, Clifford Davis, Paul Demers, Stephen Dent, Craig Drumheller, Ann Edminster, Pamela Fasse, Ian Finlayson, Kevin Gobble, Emma Gonzalez-Laders, Gary Heikkinen, John A. Hensley, Shane Hoepfer, R L Johnson, Cherlyn Kelley, Mary Koban, Vladimir Kochkin, Alison Lindburg, Gavin Mabe, Ricardo Madrid, Thomas Marston, Amy Martino, Jim Meyers, Michael Noble, Thomas Paine (alt), Robert Parks, Chris Perry (alt), Richard Potts, William Pousson Jr., Robert Raymer, Gil Rossmiller, Robert Salcido, Amy Schmidt, Brian Shanks, Michael Stone, Michael Tillou (alt), Richard Truitt, Gayathri Vijayakumar, Seth Wiley, Lauren Urbanek, Jeremy Williams,

Not in attendance:, Vice-Chair Robin Yochum, Rob Austin, David Goldstein (alt), John E. Hensley, Cesar Lujan (alt), Mark Lyles, Paul Messplay (alt), Molly Berg (alt), Mark Rodriguez, Nehemiah Stone (alt), Helen Walter-Terrinoni (alt), Jeremy Wright,

ICC Staff in attendance:

Kris Stenger, Mike Pfeiffer, Russell Manning, Jerica Stacey, Dave Walls

4. Approval of the Agenda-Request by John Hensley to move REPI-62-21 to the June 9 agenda. To move REPI-73-21 before REPI-72-21 and place REPI-136 following REPI-172. Request by Gil Rossmiller to move REPI-145-21 to the front of the action items to accommodate the proponent. Motion to approve the agenda as modified by Robert Raymer. Second by Mary Koban. Motion passes unanimously.
5. Approval of the Minutes-Motion to approve the minutes by Ric Johnson. Second by Robert Raymer Motion passes unanimously.

6. Administrative issues. Staff provided information related to Council Policy 50 related to antitrust matters.

7. Subcommittee reports

- a. Envelope and Embodied Energy-Bobby Parks, vice chair of subcommittee, announced the envelope subcommittee had completed their work.
- b. HVACR and Water Heating-John Hensley, chair of subcommittee, have made progressed but have added two additional meetings to work through their remaining 16 items.
- c. Economics, Modeling, and Metrics-Ian Finlayson, chair of subcommittee, stated the subcommittee was unable to meet yesterday. Should be able to complete items in June.
- d. Electrical Power, Lighting, Renewables, and Storage-Mark Rodriguez, vice chair of subcommittee, working groups have helped them moved through larger issues. Have extended next meeting to 3 hours.
- e. Existing Buildings-Gil Rossmiller, chair of subcommittee, noted that the subcommittee has completed their work.
- f. Consistency and Administration-Richard Potts, chair of subcommittee, no report

8. Action Items

- a. REPI-145-21 (Alterations duct leakage testing) proponent Sean Denniston. Introduction by Gil Rossmiller, chair of the Existing Buildings subcommittee. Motion to approve as modified. Second by Paul Demers. Reason: this helps clarify when duct testing is needed and not needed in existing homes and duct installation remains important no matter when it was installed. Motion to approve as modified passes 34-0-2.
- b. RECPI-56-21 (Insulation installation) proponent Mark Lyles. Introduction by Robert Parks, vice chair of the Envelope subcommittee. Motion by subcommittee is to disapprove. Second by Charlie Allen. Reason: Good info but mostly installation instructions rather than code language. Some of the language used such as “without voids” is problematic. Motion to call the question by Amy Schmidt with a second from Bridget Herring. Motion to call the question passes 33-8. Motion to disapprove fails 19-22. Motion to approve by Emma Gonzalez-Laders with a Gil Rossmiller. Motion to approve fails 20-21. Motion by Gayathri Vijayakumar to send back to the Envelope subcommittee with a second by Charlie Allen. Motion to send back to subcommittee passes 32-10.
- c. CEPI-82-21 Part II (Roof gutter de-icing) proponent Nick Thompson. Introduction by John Hensley, chair of the HVACR and water heating subcommittee. Motion by the subcommittee is to approve. Second by Rick Madrid Reason: the proposal reduces costs for occupants. Motion to approve passes 37-0.
- d. REPI-73-21 (Heat pump switch over) proponent Ryohei Hinokuma by Robert Glass. Introduction by John Hensley, chair of the HVACR and water heating subcommittee. Second by Mary Koban. Motion by the subcommittee is to approve as modified. Reason: Proposal defines the use of electric resistance heaters as supplementary heat for heat pumps. Motion to approve as modified 35-2-2.

- e. REPI-72-21 (Heat Pump supplementary) proponent Steve Rosenstock. Introduction by John Hensley, chair of the HVACR and water heating subcommittee. Motion by the subcommittee is to disapprove. Second by Robert Raymer. Reason: The Proponent assisted in the modification to REPI-073 and in doing so requested the subcommittee Disapprove of REPI-072. The two Proposals aligning with REPI-072 is not needed. Motion to disapprove passes 34-0.
- f. REPI-136-21 (Additional Efficiency Package Options HVAC) proponent Ryohei Hinokuma by Robert Glass. Introduction by John Hensley, chair of the HVACR and water heating subcommittee. Motion by the subcommittee is to approve as modified. Second Rick Madrid. Reason: proponent worked with industry to provide a proposal that is clear and provides cost benefit. Motion to approve as modified 34-9-1.
- g. REPI-98-21 (HVAC Equipment sizing) proponent Robby Schwarz. Introduction by John Hensley, chair of the HVACR and water heating subcommittee. Motion by the subcommittee is to disapprove. Second by Mary Koban Reason: The Proposal is more about indoor air quality (IAQ) which according to some of the members should not be in code. Motion to disapprove passes 31-3-4.
- h. REPI-51-21 (Air Sealing Separation Wall) proponent Robby Schwarz. Introduction by Robert Parks, vice chair of the Envelope and Embodied Energy subcommittee. Motion by the subcommittee is to approve as modified. Second by Gayathri Vijayakumar. Reason: Clarifies the air sealing and insulating in insulation requirements for shared wall assemblies. Motion to call the question by Bridget Herring with a second by Gayathri Vijayakumar. Motion to call the question passes 30-7. Motion to approve as modified passes 23-16.

9. Other Business-none at this time

10. Upcoming meetings. The next meeting will be Thursday, June 9 at 1 pm Central time

11. Adjourn. at 3:13 pm.

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