STATE PLUMBING APPRENTICESHIP COMMITTEE MINUTES January 7, 2021

The State of Arkansas Plumbing Apprenticeship Committee meeting was held on Zoom meeting. Chairman, Kelley Sharp presided over the meeting. He called the meeting to order at 9:31 A.M

Members present:

Kelley Sharp, Chairman, Master Plumber, Congressional District 3, University of Arkansas at Fayetteville

Ronald Jarrell, Vice Chairman, Master Plumber, Congressional District 4

Steven Dewey, Master Plumber, Congressional District 1

Karen Breashears, Citizen Member, Congressional District 4

James Corser, Master Plumber, Congressional District 2

Rocky Mantooth, State Apprenticeship Program Adviser representing Cody Waits, Office of Skills Development, Department of Commerce, Little Rock

Members absent:

Travis Allen, Journeyman Plumber, Congressional District 3

Guests in Attendance: Ron Baker-Program Advisor Randy Prather-USDOL-OA Dr. Hamby- Director of SAO AJ Hart-WAAP BJ Black-Inspector

Review of Previous Minutes: Minutes for December 3, 2020 Jarrell and Breashears Approved

Old Business: Working on filling Journeyman Plumber, Congressional District 2

New Business:

• Elect Officers current (Kelley-Chair, Ron-VChair, Karen-Sec.) Officers stay the same Motion: Corser Second: Dewey

•	Mission Statement	Motion: Breashears	Second: Corser
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Health Department Report: Ric Mayhan

Working on getting new updated Numbers

Apprentices	1303
Journeyman	1789
Masters	2177

USDOL-OA: Randy Prather reported: Total Apprentices 6840, current programs/ Active 135/120, new Apprentices 476, Completed 73, cancelled 246, Employers 695 to date. Added a new Diesel Mechanic Program

SAO Report: Dates to Remember for forms

Adjournment was at 10:45A.M. (Breashears motioned to adjourn Corser, seconded)

Next month's Meeting February 4, 2021 Cancelled