

Meeting Minutes
SOUTH DAKOTA PLUMBING COMMISSION
Meeting via Microsoft Teams
May 29, 2025, 10:00 a.m. CDT

Chair Duane Levanen called the meeting to order at 10:00 am. Program Director Nielsen called the roll. A quorum was present.

Board Members Present VIA Teams: Duane Levanen, Jim Bailey, Jon Kist, Jeff Leuning, and Brian Cooper.

Others Present electronically: Mandy Nielsen, Program Director; Carol Ames, Senior Secretary; Jennifer Doubleddee, Attorney; Jodi Aumer, Director of Professional Licensing; Justin Blain, City of Sioux Falls Plumbing Inspector; Kristie Brunick, Executive Vice President of South Dakota Association of Plumbing, Heating, and Cooling Contractors; Stephanie Menning, Minnesota Utilities Contractor Association (MUCA), and Ben Krohmer.

Bailey moved to amend the agenda to include setting the date for the next meeting. Cooper seconded. **MOTION PASSED.**

Cooper moved to approve the agenda. Bailey seconded. **MOTION PASSED.**

Cooper moved to approve the January 9, 2025, meeting minutes. Leuning seconded. **MOTION PASSED.**

Chair Levanen started the Administrative Rule Public Hearing at 10:03 a.m. The hearing concluded at 10:24 a.m. Minutes available at:
https://dlr.sd.gov/plumbing/commission_meetings.aspx or <https://rules.sd.gov/default.aspx>.

Chair Levanen opened the floor to public comment. Stephanie Menning with MUCA and Ben Krohmer spoke.

The Commission reviewed the Quarterly reports.

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Program Manager Nielsen presented her report to the commission.

Cooper moved to set the next quarterly meeting for July 31, 2025. Bailey seconded. **MOTION PASSED.**

Bailey moved to adjourn. Cooper seconded. **MOTION PASSED.**

Chair Levanen adjourned the meeting at 10:56 am.