

BOABC LOWER MAINLAND ZONE MEETING MINUTES Time: 1:00 PM – 3:30 PM Date: June 5, 2025

(1) CALL TO ORDER @ 1:03 PM

We would like to begin by acknowledging the ancestral, traditional, and unceded territories of Indigenous peoples in British Columbia, on whose territory we are today.

(2) GUESTS (no motion required)

- John Ortynsky, Senior Account Executive, Noratek
- Dara Bowser, Owner & Principal Consultant, Bowser Technical Inc.
- Ryan Coleman, Founder / CEO, Ecolighten
- Gord Rattray, MHABC Acting Executive Director & MODULARBC Director

(3) AGENDA (requires motion to adopt)

Motion: adopt the agenda for June 5, 2025, as presented.

Mover: Cameron MacKinnon Seconder: Brad Weisner

(4) **PREVIOUS MINUTES (requires motion to adopt)**

Motion: adopt the minutes and the action items from February 6, 2025, zone meeting as presented.

Mover: Leighton Williams Seconder: Justin Prasad

(5) NEW BUSINESS (no motion required)

5.1 Building Better Processes: A Case for Permitting Portals in LG Operations

- John Ortynsky presented on current challenges, what portals are, security and privacy, case studies, implementation strategies, cost vs value, potential risks, mitigation, and provided a demonstration of the software.



5.2 HVAC Designers of Canada

- Dara Bowser & Ryan Coleman presented on CSA F-280-12 verified software and standard submittals, accredited designers, building official membership, and single zone cooling (BCBC overheating).

5.3 Modular Submission Checklists

 Gord Rattray provided introductions and an overview of the goals to advance the utilization of factory constructed housing, backgrounder on CSA Z240MH & CSA A277, checklists overview, A277 modular permitting & inspection checklists, and CSA Z240MH manufactured home permitting & inspection checklist. Ken Kunka and Ron Burnett provided chat support.

5.4 AGM Nominations / Zone Director (one vacancy)

- Reminded members that the information for the AGM has been posted on the Association website and was emailed out to everyone on June 2, 2025. Notified members that Jacek Redlinski's position is up for nomination, and anyone who is interested should put their name forward.

(6) STANDING AGENDA ITEMS (no motion required)

6.1 BOABC Updates & Calendar of Events

- Jennifer Schwaertzel presented on the new member portal and advised members that we will no longer be mailing out certificates, they will receive an electronic certificate via email for building / plumbing qualification and certification. Also highlighted the AGM, the CHBA Education Summit, and reminded members to join the waitlist for the Trax AI Training.

(7) ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION

None

(8) MEETING REVIEW

- Next meeting will be held in October, date TBD.
- 2.5 CPD points were automatically uploaded to your member profile when you registered.

(9) ADJOURNMENT (no motion required)

- The meeting was adjourned at 3:25 PM



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