Mr. John Scialla, Vice Chair of the Uniform Construction Code Advisory Board (CAB), called the meeting to order at 9:33 a.m. Mr. Scialla began the meeting with a moment of silence in memory of Cynthia Cordero and Marcelino Iglesias.
CAB Minutes
October 12, 2018

A. Approval of Minutes of the Code Advisory Board Meeting of June 8, 2018

Mr. Tony Neibert made a motion, which was seconded by Mr. Art Londensky, to approve the minutes without change. The motion carried unanimously.

B. Subcode Committee Reports

Electrical Subcode Committee: Mr. Tony Neibert, Chair, reported that the Electrical Subcode Committee met on September 27, 2018; the committee discussed agenda items.

C. Old Business

There was no Old Business carried forward.

D. New Business

   Mr. Michael Baier explained the draft amendments to the Uniform Construction Code and the Carnival-Amusement Ride regulations. The draft rule would regulate temporary electrical systems for carnivals and fairs, including requirements that the systems be certified. Mr. Baier explained that this draft rule is not so different from annual permits. Mr. John Terry further explained that this rule would ensure that someone qualified certifies the systems. While the carnival-amusement ride inspection staff has been expanded to include electrical work, staff is not able to get to every show. This rule would ensure that the set-up and products are code compliant.
   Mr. Henry Kelly made a motion, which was seconded by Mr. Tony Neibert, to approve the draft rule.
   Mr. John Terry asked that instead of approving the draft rule, it be referred to the electrical subcode committee for review.
   Mr. Henry Kelly withdrew his motion.
   This draft rule was referred to the Electrical Subcode Committee.

   Mr. Michael Baier explained the draft amendments to the Elevator Subcode. The draft is essentially housekeeping; it revises language and clarifies the structures for which acceptance testing for elevator devices is not required.
   This draft rule was referred to the Elevator Subcode Committee.

   Mr. Michael Baier explained that the draft rule primarily updates section numbers and titles to incorporate the 2018 I-Codes. One board member asked if there were any substantive changes.
   This draft rule was referred to the Building, Fire Protection, Electrical, Elevator, Mechanical, and Plumbing Subcode Committees.
   Mr. Michael Baier explained that the draft rule updates the sections of the UCC that have not otherwise been modified to incorporate the 2018 I-Codes.
   The rule was referred to the Building, Fire Protection, Electrical, Elevator, Mechanical, and Plumbing Subcode Committees

   Mr. Michael Baier explained that this draft rule is partially housekeeping, however, there are many updates for consistency throughout the codes. Mr. Baier pointed out that upon reviewing the International Residential Code, many of its mechanical and Fuel Gas section responsibilities did not align with the assignments in similar sections of the International Mechanical Code and the International Fuel Gas Code. Changes are made throughout to remove these inconsistencies, but in doing so, certain responsibilities have been reassigned to other subcode officials. One board member asked if electrical subcode officials were included in responsibilities regarding egress lighting.
   This draft rule was referred to the Barrier Free, Building, Fire Protection, Electrical, Elevator, Mechanical, and Plumbing Subcode Committees.

E. Information

1. CAB Log
   The updated Code Advisory Board activity log was included in the meeting packets.

2. List of Pending Legislation
   A list of pending legislation on issues that impact construction and the Uniform Construction Code was provided to the members of the Board electronically.

F. Public Comments

   Mr. Dennis Bettler, Bernards Township, asked if there was any update regarding CEU courses for technical assistants. Mr. Bettler was advised that there are no updates.

G. Adjourn

   The public portion of the meeting was adjourned at 9:47 a.m.

H. Executive Session

   The Executive Session was called to order at 9:50 a.m.

I. Adjourn

   The meeting was adjourned at 9:53 a.m.