

# Massachusetts Federation of Building Officials, Inc.

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**Board Meeting Minutes;** February 28, 2017

**Location:** Southbridge Savings Bank, 200 Charlton Rd

**Attendance:** Dan Walsh, Jeffery Clemons, Robert Borden, Richard Leibowitz, Mark Robidoux, Patrick Franey, Fred Lonardo, Michael Yanovitch, Michael Giampietro, Richard Hanks, Robert Begger, Paul Tacy, Christopher Rice, Gary Stubbins, Tony Zahariadis, Tin Htway

**Called to Order:** 9:32 AM

## **Minutes:**

Motion to accept January 2017 minutes, all in favor, two abstain, minutes accepted

## **Old Business**

**ACA**, best practices list stalled for time being due to re-organization of inspectional departments up in Boston.

No response to MFBO letter sent to the BBRS regarding to whom building officials report to. MFBO president Borden will contact BBRS president Crowley and Chief of Inspections Robert Anderson to seek response.

President Borden asked for volunteers to find out if DOER has a solar panel installation-working group? If so President will ask for volunteer to become a member and report back on progress.

**Vocational school update;** Mike Giampietro stated the next event will be in Fitchburg in April at Monte Tech.

## **Public Relations,**

Building Safety Month, Tin Htway will get in touch with Dottie Harris to find out about materials for presenting Building Safety Month.