

MINUTES
General Membership Meeting
B. P. O. E Lodge #8, 2824 Klondike Lane, 40218
December 12, 2022

Call to Order:

- Steve Willinghurst

Invocation:

- Jerry Curry

Correspondence / Announcements:

- The ECHL has long had the generosity of LG&E/KU for the mailing and distribution of the newsletter "*The Wire*". Due to the changing circumstances of the LG&E/KU corporate structure, the Board of Directors is requesting that all members leave their current email addresses on the paperwork with the sign-in sheets. If the need arises in the future, "*The Wire*" could be emailed to the membership.

Old Business:

- None

New Business:

- None

Electrical Code Program

- Norb Thorpe (Metro Louisville Electrical Inspector) presented photographs and examples of NEC violations that are sometimes an issue in the Metro Louisville area; also presented were the correct installations as required by the 2017 NEC:

NEC Articles included in this presentation were:

- 2017 NEC/Article 210.52(C)(1) - Wall Countertop and Work Surface
- 2017 NEC/Article 210.52(C)(2) - Island Countertop Spaces
- 2017 NEC/Article 210.52(C)(3) - Peninsular Countertop Spaces
- 2017 NEC/Article 210.52(C)(4) - Separate Spaces
- 2017 NEC/Article 210.52(C)(5) - Receptacle Outlet Location
and
- 2017 NEC/Article 240 Part VII/ Circuit Breakers
 - 2017 NEC/Article 240.81- Indicating

A photo of an electrical panel installed with an incorrect orientation along with several other NEC violations was discussed at length.

Photos, questions / answers and comments were an integral part of this presentation.

The December 2022 Wire Code questions were tabled until January 2023

The winner of the 50/50 drawing (\$61.00) was Tom Gutsell

Two door prizes donated by CED Construction (Milwaukee FASTBACK™ Spring Assisted Serrated Knives) were also awarded.

Attendance: 54 Members and Guests

Respectfully Submitted: David True