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International Association of Electrical Inspectors

Empire Chapter

Annual Meeting – February 25, 2023

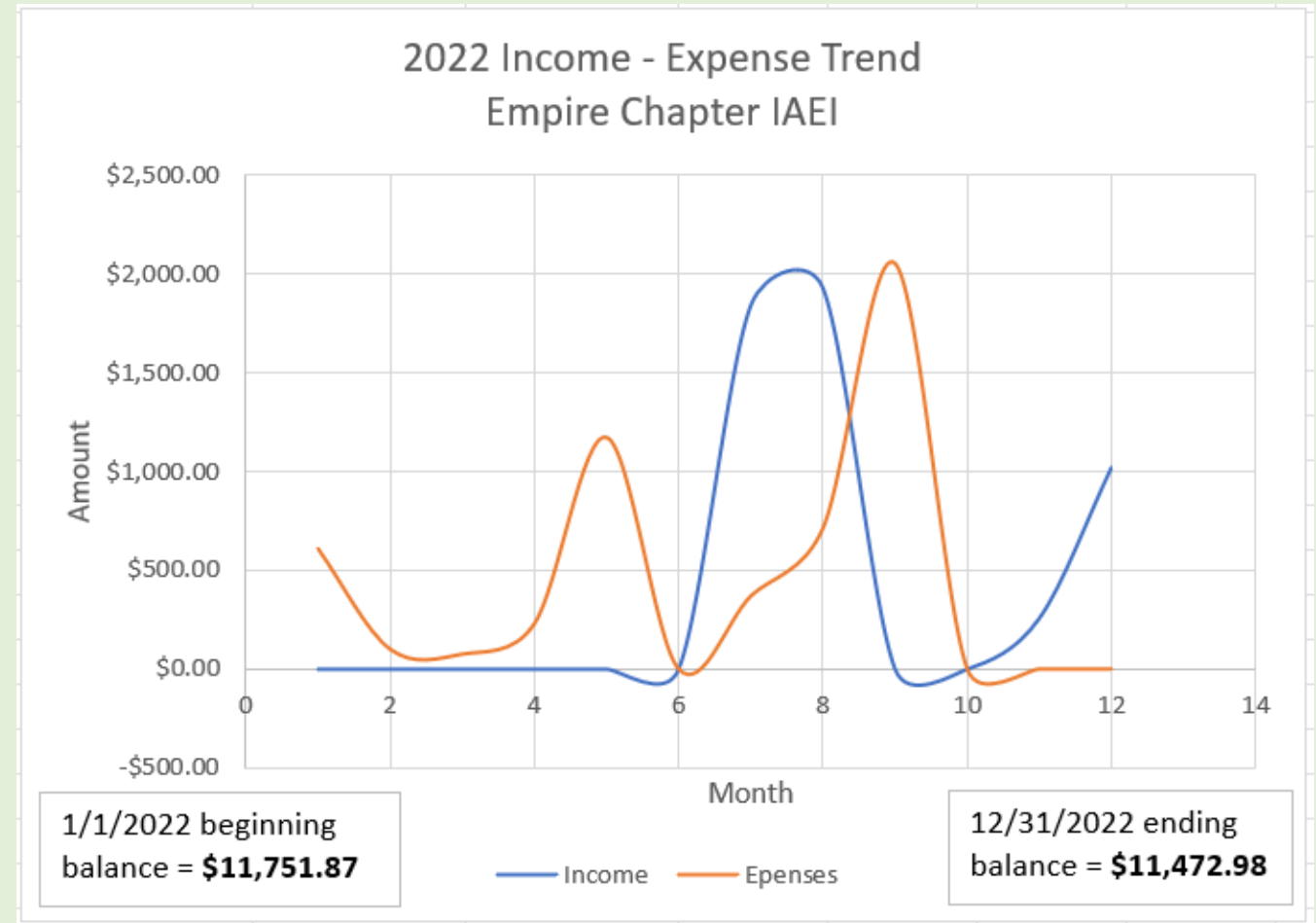
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Chapter Members Annual Meeting - Agenda

1. Business financials (Dick McCarthy)
2. Educational planned events (Mike Miers)
3. Roundtable on members' interests (Tom Malagisi)
4. Election of Officers and Oath of Office (Neil LaBrake)
5. Presentation of Chapter Awards (Craig Stevenson)

Chapter Members Annual Meeting – Financial Report for 2022

- Finances decreased in 2022 due to less paid events available.
Income = \$5,049.40
Expenses = \$5,328.29
- Chapter interest and attendance to events averages around 35 for each event.
- The Board is seeking candidates as Board members or volunteers who will commit to support the mission.



Chapter Members Annual Meeting – Education Program Report

- The Chapter continues to invest in the Zoom Meeting and Webinar software service for meetings and holding educational events virtually through **video conferencing**. Planning future “**hybrid**” meetings where Zoom webcasting can be available at in-person events.
- Website has been updated and domain changed to <https://www.empireiaei.org/> and the Chapter’s Business and educational events have continued since the pandemic using Zoom - meeting the Chapter’s mission to its members and community.
- Next, a report on 2022 programs held and those planned in 2023.

Chapter Members Annual Meeting – Education Program Report (cont'd)

- **Events held in 2022:**

December 2022

- 2-hour online seminar on **Grounding and Bonding of Separately Derived Systems**. 36 attendees participated!

August 2022

- 4-part, 2-hour online seminars on **1 & 2 Family Dwelling 2017 NEC update for the 2020 NYS Building Code**. 36 attendees participated on average at each session!

March 2022 (3 courtesy sessions)

- 2-hour online seminar on **Utility Rules for Electric Service and Parallel Generation Requirements – “Zoom” interactive Presentation for Electricians, Inspectors, and Codes Officials**. 62 attendees participated!
- 2-hour online seminar on **Presentation on Nationally Recognized Testing Lab (NRTL) Testing, Listing and Labeling**. 17 participated.
- 2-hour online seminar on **2022 Annual Meeting and Open Forum Q&A Board Panel**. 14 participated.

Chapter Members Annual Meeting – Education Program Report (cont'd)

- **Plans for 2023:**

February 25, 2023 IAEI Empire Chapter Annual Meeting and presentation on 1 & 2 family 2017 NEC Rules In-person event. *Presenter: Michal Hofkin, UL Solutions.* CEUs offered.

March 30, 2023 presentation on Generac Generator and Transfer Switch Installations Online Seminar event. *Presenter: Jacob Koontz, Generac,* CEUs to be offered.

April 20, 2023 presentation on 2017 National Electrical Code Article 680 – Swimming Pools Online Seminar event. *Presenter: Craig Stevenson,* CEUs to be offered.

TBD and CEUs to be offered –

- NEC 2023 Analysis of Changes
- EV Charging Installations
- MID - Microgrid Interface Device Installations
- NEC 2017 Article 230 & Local Utility Changes
- Gap Analysis 2017 to 2023 NEC
- The New SOARES Grounding & Bonding Book
- NEC High Voltage Requirements
- Marinas, boat yards NEC Article 555

Chapter Members Annual Meeting – Members Roundtable of Interests

- Open Discussion moderated by Tom Malagisi
 - IAEI is now integrated with ICC

Here are a few highlights of the *Support and Collaboration Agreement* between the International Association of Electrical Inspectors (IAEI) and the International Code Council (ICC).

- ICC will perform certain administrative and program support services for IAEI, such as:
 - Fulfilling orders for IAEI publications and merchandise
 - Warehousing of IAEI inventory
 - Providing graphic artist services
 - Distributing IAEI online education training
 - Issuing IAEI course certifications
 - Managing IAEI social media accounts
- IAEI and ICC will explore other collaboration opportunities, which may include:
 - A joint National Electrical Certification Program
 - An IAEI/ICC joint membership
 - Cobranded publications
 - Cobranded educational opportunities

- Others?


Chapter Members Annual Meeting – Members Roundtable of Interests (cont'd)

- NYS' proposed rule would amend 19 NYCRR Part 1208 to allow the Department of State to accept nationally recognized certifications as approved by the Secretary, or their designee, and after successful completion of the New York State Code Enforcement Principles and Practice Exam. Go to:
<https://www.governor.ny.gov/sites/default/files/2023-01/2023SOTSTBook.pdf>
<https://dos.ny.gov/notice-proposed-rule-making>

- Status of NYS adoption of latest NEC
 - The 2020 Building Code of New York State is a fully integrated custom code based on the 2018 International Building Code currently in effect.

Chapter 27 Electrical. Since electrical systems and components are an integral part of almost all structures, it is necessary for the code to address the installation of such systems. For this purpose, Chapter 27 references the *National Electrical Code* (NEC). In addition, Section 2702 addresses emergency and standby power requirements. Such systems must comply with the *Fire Code of New York State* (FCNYS) and referenced standards. This section also provides references to the various code sections requiring emergency and standby power, such as high-rise buildings and buildings containing hazardous materials.

- Chapter 35 references the 2017 NEC (NFPA 70-2017).
 - Need public support to request updated rules based on latest standards.
- Others?

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John Addario PE, Director

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BUILDING NEW YORK E-BULLETIN

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE MAKING
Minimum Standards for Code Enforcement Training
in the State of New York
(19 NYCRR Part 1208)

This proposed rule making would amend Part 1208 of Title 19 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations. The Department of State invites public participation in the rule making process.

This proposed rule would amend 19 NYCRR Part 1208 to include provisions addressing Executive Law §376-a, as amended by Chapter 797 of the Laws of 2022 and as will be amended by a Chapter of the Laws of 2023, as indicated in Approval Memorandum No. 82.

The proposed rule would also amend 19 NYCRR Part 1208 to allow the Department of State to accept nationally recognized certifications as approved by the Secretary, or their designee, and after successful completion of the New York State Code Enforcement Principles and Practice Exam, in lieu of completing the basic training program, in accordance with the Governor's State of the State proposal. See page 258 of the 2023 State of the State book: <https://www.governor.ny.gov/sites/default/files/2023-01/2023SOTSTBook.pdf>.

For additional information and the draft rule text please [click here](#).

NOTE: The draft rule has *not* yet been adopted, and Part 1208 has not yet been amended in the manner described above.

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Chapter Members Annual Meeting – 2023 Election of Officers & Board Members

- **Election of Officers and Oath of Office**

- *Presentation of nominees and any from the membership*

The Board nominates: For Officers - President - Craig Stevenson, Vice President - Jeff Meloling, Secretary - Neil LaBrake, Treasurer - Richard McCarthy

For Board of Directors - Mike Miers, Sr., Craig Stevenson, Gene Spencer, Neil LaBrake, Jr., Dick McCarthy, Tim Thomas, Tom Malagisi, Jeff Meloling, Bill Maxwell

- *Vote*

IAEI members of the Empire Chapter in good standing can nominate others to the position and vote “yea” or “nay” when called during this meeting’s business.

- *Swearing in* – by Michal Hofkin, Past Chairman of the Board of Directors IAEI

- **Recognitions**

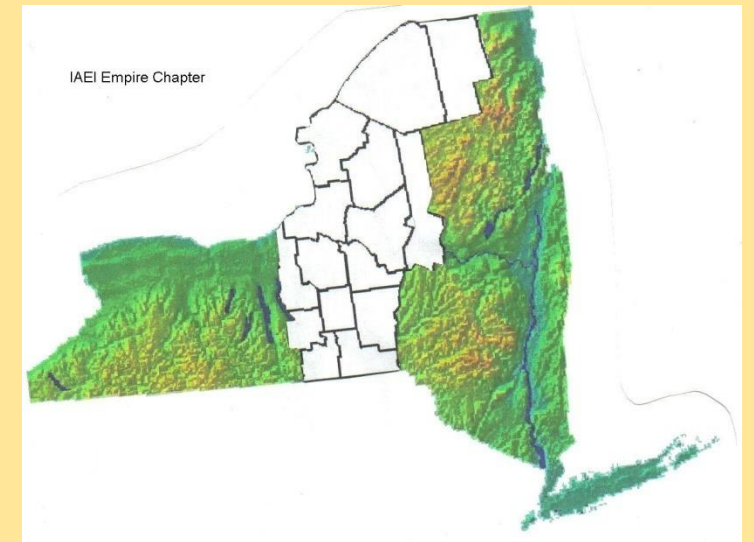
Closing – Motion to Adjourn Chapter Annual Business Meeting

Thank you!!!

- **Mission Statement**

The Empire Chapter of IAEI strives to be a respected and an accessible resource to provide education in the understanding and use of the National Electrical Code and related standards contributing to the electrical trade industry. The Chapter's goals are to promote safe and proper electrical installation practices with the use of information provided by its members with integrity, experience, and education.

- **For the Chapter's events**, see their website at <https://www.empireiaei.org/chapter-events>



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