

**TALBOT COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTRICAL EXAMINERS
MINUTES OF THE OCTOBER 17, 2024 MEETING**

Attendees

Chris Kleppinger
Don Ewing
Bob Jump

Grace Davis

Meeting was called to order at 1:00 p.m. by Mr. Chris Kleppinger.

OLD BUSINESS

- Change of Contractor policy
- Board Vacancy

NEW BUSINESS

Members began reviewing applications for limited licenses and master electrical registrations.

Minutes from the September meeting were read by all. A motion was made to accept the minutes by Bob Jump and Don Ewing seconded the motion. All were in favor.

Discussed council meeting to approve bill 1578. Amendment to bill to add homeowner exemption to bill since it was not included in the bill initially. Homeowners are exempt because they are not “providing electrical services”. The bill passed with the amendment by a 4-0 council vote. Wiring is allowed in the primary residence only; not accessory structures. The Board decided that homeowners cannot wire accessory structures because too many detached garages were being operated for commercial uses.

Those applying for Limited licenses must pay late fees of \$2 per day from August 1st up to 90 days.

There is still a position open on the Board. No applications have been received.

Bob Jump made a motion to adjourn and the motion was seconded by Don Ewing. All were in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 1:47 pm.

Next meeting will take place on November 21, 2024 at 1:00 pm in Conference Room 1.

