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PUBLIC MEETINGS SCHEDULED FOR THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 3, 2012

The Board of Building Appeals will meet on Tuesday, December 4, at 9 a.m. at the Division of Industrial Compliance, 6606 Tussing Road, Training Room 1, Reynoldsburg.

The Board of Building Appeals reviews appeals to adjudication orders issued by the Division of Industrial Compliance's bureaus of Building Code Compliance and Operations and Maintenance, or by any certified local or county enforcement agency. The Board also reviews appeals made to fire citations issued by the State Fire Marshal or any local fire department with a certified fire safety inspector. The Board can reverse or modify orders of the enforcing agencies and can also grant variances and exemptions to certain code requirements.

Two sections of the Ohio Construction Industry Licensing Board (OCILB) will meet next week at the Division of Industrial Compliance, 6606 Tussing Road, OCILB Conference Room, Reynoldsburg. The Electrical Section will meet on Tuesday, December 4, at 10 a.m. The Heating Ventilating and Air Conditioning Section will meet on Thursday, December 6, at 10 a.m.

OCILB issues licenses to qualified electrical, Heating Ventilating and Air Conditioning (HVAC), plumbing, hydronics and refrigeration contractors who successfully pass a licensing examination. The Board sections review applicants before they are approved to take the test for a particular trade. The Board sections also issue disciplinary actions as well as review late renewals and continuing education courses.

The Ohio Real Estate Commission will meet on Wednesday, December 5, at 9 a.m. at the Division of Real Estate & Professional Licensing, 77 South High Street, 20th Floor, Columbus.

The Ohio Real Estate Commission reviews hearing examiner reports and settlement agreements each month regarding alleged real estate license law violations and considers licensee appeals on licensure issues. If a licensee is found to have violated licensing law, the Commission can revoke or suspend a license, assess a fine, order additional continuing education, or issue a public reprimand.

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The Board of Building Appeals will meet on Friday, December 7, at 8:30 a.m. at the Ohio Department of Transportation, District Three Office, Conference Room, 906 Clark Avenue, Ashland.

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The Board of Building Standards' Electrical Safety Inspector Advisory Committee will meet on Friday, December 7, at 10 a.m. at the Division of Industrial Compliance, 6606 Tussing Road, BBS Library, Reynoldsburg.

The Electrical Safety Inspector Advisory Committee reviews the National Electrical Code for compatibility with the Board of Building Standards' other rules. The Committee also reviews rules relating to the certification of electrical-safety inspectors and receives input from the electrical industry, contractors and inspectors.

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