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PUBLIC MEETINGS SCHEDULED FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 29, 2013

The Board of Building Appeals will meet on Wednesday, July 31, 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.

The Board of Building Standards Code Committee will meet on Thursday, August 1, at 10 a.m. at the Division of Industrial Compliance, BBS Library, 6606 Tussing Road, Reynoldsburg.

The Code Committee reviews petitions for building code changes and makes recommendations to the Board.

The Board's Certification & Education Committees will meet on Thursday, August 1, at 1 p.m. at the Division of Industrial Compliance, BBS Library, 6606 Tussing Road, Reynoldsburg.

The committees review building departments, building department personnel and continuing education applications and make recommendations to the Board. The committees also review and make recommendations to the Board on other personnel and education-related issues.

The Heating Ventilating and Air Conditioning Section of the Ohio Construction Industry Licensing Board (OCILB) will meet on Thursday, August 1, at 10 a.m. at the Division of Industrial Compliance, 6606 Tussing Road, OCILB Conference Room, Reynoldsburg.

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.

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The Board of Building Standards will meet on Friday, August 2, at 10 a.m. at the Division of Industrial Compliance, Training Room 1, 6606 Tussing Road, Reynoldsburg.

The Board of Building Standards formulates and adopts rules governing the Ohio Residential and Non-Residential Building Code. The Board also certifies municipal corporations, county and township building departments to enforce the Ohio Residential and Non-Residential codes.

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