MINUTES

PROMOTION AND EDUCATION COMMITTEE

October 18th, 2010 Vancouver, BC

Dave Alexander	Craig Frohlich	Jim Mogan
Daryl Anderson	Stephane Gauvin	Tom Moryto
Kevin Archer	Dave Haley	Brad Nicol
Cliff Baker	Peter Hattin	Lawrence Prendiville
Nigel Banks	Andrew Hobbs	Maureen Prendiville
Linus Clark	Rick Knechtel	Jason Quantz
Mary-Anne Dalkowski	James Laundry	Grant Sali
Paul Dandy	Peter Mason	Craig Wilson
Herb Estreicher	Andy Vogt	Bruce McLane
Elizabeth Everitt	Paul Morris	Ian Jones
Tom Fitzgerald	Franco Antionazzi	Steve Marshall
Brian Balkwill	Friedl Brudermann	Danny Goodine
Howard Pruden	Rod Stirling	Roger Fox

STAFF:

H. Walthert

M. Srogosz-Bolduc

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

Mrs. Mary-Anne Dalkowski (Chairperson)

Mr. Tom Mitchell

Mr. Brad Burmeister

Mr. Larry McTaggart

Mr. Tom Moryto

Mr. John Wilkinson

Mr. Paul Dandy

Mr. Craig Frohlich

Mr. Rick Knechtel

1. CALL TO ORDER

Committee Chair M. Dalkowski called the Fall 2010 P&E meeting to order, welcomed meeting participants and identified committee members.

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Committee Chair M. Dalkowski called for a review of the agenda for the P&E Committee meeting.

Motion by C. Frohlich to adopt the agenda. Seconded by P. Dandy. CARRIED

3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Committee Chair M. Dalkowski called for a review of the minutes for the previous meeting.

Motion by P. Dandy to adopt the minutes of the previous meeting held April 26th, 2010. Seconded by C. Frohlich. CARRIED

4. WPC WEB SITE / SAFETY INFO SITE

Michael Srogosz-Bolduc presented data on web traffic and performance for the woodpreservation.ca and ptw-safetyinfo.ca websites.

Paul Morris suggested adding and/or sharing visibility with www.durable-wood.com, the joint tech transfer site of the Canadian Wood Council and FP Innovation.

Paul Morris also suggested adding information on char rates to the Fire Retardant Treated Wood section on the website.

Action Item: Michael to execute suggestions made by Paul Morris.

5. TRADE SHOWS

WPC was an exhibitor at the following trade show:

• CWC Wood Solutions Fair in Calgary, AB on Wednesday, October 6th 2010.

WPC will be exhibitor at the following trade show:

• CWC Wood Solutions Fair in Toronto, ON on Tuesday, November 2nd 2010.

6. PWF Promotion

Committee Chair M. Dalkowski outlined the opportunity to promote PWF produced by WPC members when the revised CSA S-406 standard for PWF construction is published.

The chairman called for volunteers among the PWF producers to form a sub-committee to discuss and explore these opportunities. Volunteers are:

- Jason Quantz, Spray Lake Sawmills
- Daryl Anderson, CanWel Treating Division
- Linus Clark, Brisco Wood Preservers
- James Laundry, West Fraser

7. WPC Members Toolbox

The content of the Membership section of the Toolbox was presented to members for comments/feedback. The look and feel of the remaining sections will be consistent with the first section. The "Membership" section is attached to this document. The chairman asked the meeting delegates if a membership directory would be useful. The answer was affirmative.

Action Item: Michael to adjust the rate of membership fee from 0.35 cents/lbs, to 0.035 cents/lbs.

Action Item: Michael to design a questionnaire and survey members as to who should be listed for their companies, for use is drawing up the membership directory for the Toolbox.

The remaining sections include:

- CWPCA Certification
- Residential Use CA, ACQ, Borates
- Industrial/Commercial/Agricultural Use CCA, Pentachlorophenol, Creosote
- Sustainability
- Additional Resources

Action Item: Michael to deliver content for one section per month to the P&E committee for review/comments, with a target date of having the Toolbox completed before the 2011 AGM.

8. COMMENTS FROM MEMBERS

No comment received.

9. MOTION TO ADJOURN

Motion by P. Dandy to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by C. Frohlich. CARRIED