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Woodbridge Glass

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Aragon Construction

NGA Antitrust Policy

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Committee Scope:

To serve as the hub for all discussion and activities related to installing companies within the glass and glazing industry—to include contract glaziers, building envelope contractors and full-service glass companies—with a focus on advocacy, technical resources, advocacy, education, events, and communication across the supply chain.

Agenda

1. Call to Order – *Chair* Matt Kamper, Woodbridge Glass
 1. Called to order at 9:04am ET
2. Review of Anti-Trust Statement and Conflict of Interest Policies - reviewed
3. Appointment of Recording Secretary – Georgia Scalfano, NGA and Amber Johnson, NGA
4. Minutes of the Previous Meeting – October 31, 2023
 1. Motion to approve: Stanley Yee; Seconded: Jodi Martinez; approved unanimously
5. Committee Business
 - a. Current Installing Committee Task Group Activities
 - i. Design Build vs Design Assist vs Delegated Design- Matt Kamper, Woodbridge Glass – Task Group Chair
 - Project creation form to be created, initial call to be scheduled
 - ii. Value Engineering- Rob Carlson, Tristar Glass- Task Group Chair
 - Phase 1: data collection – survey is out now
 - Phase 2: educate
 - iii. Frameless Shower Enclosure Resources- Danny Donahue, FHC- Task Group Chair
 - Design and Installation Manual published in 2023
 - Further resources
 - a. Currently working on a one-pager for consumers
 - b. Other possible resources: Live-action videos showing best practices; guide to building codes
 - iv. Division 8 Specifications in cooperation with Deltek
 - Security Glazing, Mirror and Decorative specs are complete. Peer review is currently underway on Fire-Rated and General Glazing. Next up for task group review is curtainwall and storefront.
 - v. Thermal Bridging AIA Presentation- Stanley Yee, Dow – Task Group Chair
 - Passed Installing ballot with no disapprovals. Task group to review comments.
 - vi. Glass and Glazing Estimating Essentials Manual update
 - Lesson 10 on labor is being updated to reflect current practice
 - vii. Resources for cleaning installed tempered glass to avoid glass damage
 - New postcards in English and Spanish available to download to take to jobsite
 - viii. NGA and ASTM compilation
 - Now available for purchase: ASTM Glass and Glazing Standards for the Building Industry

- b. MyGlassClass.com course updates
 - i. Taking volunteers to update current course materials
- c. Updates from the NGA Fabricating, Advocacy and Forming Committees
 - i. Federal and State Buy Clean Programs
 - Promotes use of low carbon, American-made construction materials
 - ii. Bird-Friendly Legislation - Members-Only Resources
 - NGA's Best Practices for Bird-Friendly Design Guide referenced in GSA P100 facilities guide
 - One-pager available to share with legislators
 - AIA presentation under development
 - iii. School Security Task Group
 - One-pager available to share with legislators
 - NGA code consultants have drafted proposals for security glazing in high-risk public buildings. Working with door hardware industry and window film industry (IWFA).
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 - iv. Sustainability & Recyclability Task Group
 - New GTP will go to ballot soon that covers challenges of recycling, why industry should recycle, where recycling facilities are, etc.
 - v. Thermal Performance of Spandrel Assemblies in Glazing Systems
 - Charles Pankow foundation has partnered with DOE, LBNL, Oakridge National Lab, and others to look at spandrel as it isn't well accounted for in energy codes.

6. NGA Glass & Glazing Advocacy Days

- 1. Will go to Washington, D.C. May 14-15, 2024 to meet with legislators. Priority topics: energy efficiency, sustainability, school security glazing, bird-friendly glazing and workforce development

7. New Business

- 1. Why is there no permit for glazing contractors? Can we push for levels of certification in the industry?
- 2. The current 3-year code cycle adds to the problem of the permitting process. Are we able to influence the code cycle?
 - 1. We cannot influence timing, but we can influence what goes into the codes. Different states and cities have different adoptions. There is federal funding available for states to catch up to current codes.
- 3. Interest in creating a task group surrounding recruitment?
 - 1. Yes

8. Next Events

NGA Glass & Glazing Advocacy Days | Washington, DC | May 14-15, 2024
NGA Glass Conference: Milwaukee, WI | Aug 6-8, 2024
Glazing Executives Forum | Dallas, TX | Sept 30, 2024
GlassBuild America | Dallas, TX | Sept 30 – Oct 2, 2024

9. Adjournment

- 1. Adjourned at 9:59am ET