

15. MISCELLANEOUS**A. EXTENSION AGENT SEARCH UPDATE**

Attached for your reference please find a copied email from Lonnie Johnson regarding our search for an ANR Extension Agent. Lonnie advises that he is still screening applicants and intends to narrow the pool to 4-5 candidates before scheduling interviews. The interview panel will include representation from the Board (Supervisor Young), the Extension Leadership Council, Southampton County Farm Bureau, Extension personnel and a local producer or two.

B. PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO VACo's BYLAWS

Attached for your reference please find a copy of proposed amendments to VACo's bylaws which will be considered during the annual business meeting on November 10, 2009.

C. INSURANCE SERVICES OFFICE (ISO) BUILDING CODE EFFECTIVENESS GRADING SCHEDULE CLASSIFICATION

Attached for your reference please find various correspondence with ISO as it relates to our recent Building Code Effectiveness survey. Notwithstanding some confusion by ISO on the results of our prior survey in 2005, our effectiveness rating improved from 4 to 3 for residential construction and remained unchanged at a 4 for commercial construction. They noted that with limited additional certifications by our Inspections staff, our commercial classification could also be upgraded from a 4 to a 3. Mr. Andy Johnson has already passed his Building inspector General examination and Mr. Barnett will be sitting for two examinations sometime after November 5. ISO ratings are used by property/casualty insurers to assist in their insurance underwriting and premium calculations for residential and commercial properties. Please congratulate Andy on his accomplishment next time you see him – these examinations are not easy and require substantial preparation and study.

D. ENVIRONMENTAL NOTICES

Please find copies of six (6) environmental notices for your information:

- 1) **NOV** – Kingsdale/Moseley water system;
- 2) **Groundwater Withdrawal Permit Application** – King William County;
- 3) **Plan Approval** – waterline extension for Courtland Self Storage;
- 4) **NOV** – Nottoway Gardens water system;
- 5) **NOV** – Scottswood water system; and
- 6) **NOV** – Kingsdale/Moseley water system.

E. INCOMING CORRESPONDENCE

- 1) 9/21/09 – ReEnergy Holdings, LLC
- 2) 9/11/09 – ReEnergy Holdings, LLC
- 3) 9/10/09 – Isle of Wight County
- 4) 8/31/09 – Kaufman & Canoles (RE: ReEnergy Holdings)
- 5) 8/27/09 – The Genieve Shelter

F. OUTGOING CORRESPONDENCE

- 1) 9/11/09 – Isle of Wight County
- 2) 9/8/09 – Virginia Department of Health
- 3) 9/4/09 – Drewryville Volunteer Fire Department
- 4) 9/2/09 – Jack T. Randall
- 5) 9/1/09 – VDOT
- 6) 8/27/09 – Summer Youth Program Participants
- 7) 8/26/09 – VDOT (Industrial Access Resolution)

G. ARTICLES OF INTEREST

Attached for your reference, please find copies of various news articles which may be of interest to you.