

**PUTNAM COUNTY PLUMBING/MECHANICAL TRADES BOARD MEETING  
MARCH 14, 2024 – 6:30 PM  
AGENDA**

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** All

**ROLL CALL:** All **PRESENT**  
Russell Bleakley  
Robert Sleight  
Stepen Alonge  
Thomas Capalbo  
Alex Mancone  
Henry Boyd  
Homer “Buzz” Losee  
Christopher Lyons  
Gary Redlon

**Also in attendance:** Michael Budzinski, Director Putnam County Consumer Affairs  
Conrad Pasquale, Senior Deputy County Attorney  
Ellen Sorrento, Secretary  
Richard Ruyack, Compliance Enforcement Officer

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** February 8, 2024

**HEARINGS:**  
Frank Justo – Transferability (Covering)  
Michael Carlo – Hiring, Supervision and Responsibility  
Jonathan King – License/Registration Required  
James Romero – License/Registration Required

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**Reinstatement:**  
Michael Reilly – has not been renewed or shelved since 2021.

**New Applications:**  
Joseph Prestia – Master Plumber  
Cesar Padilla – Master Plumber  
Chacon-Choto, Jose – Maser Plumber  
Thomas Crea – Master Plumber

**Test results-  
Passed:**  
Mark Malton – Master Plumber  
Vincent Ziccolella – Master Plumber

Mr. Losee would like to discuss the possibility of Putnam County taking more serious legal action against tradesmen who are found guilty of violating Chapter 190 or the Code.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

**Board Appointments:**

Gary Redlon's nomination has been approved by the Putnam County Legislature and is signed by the County Executive. Welcome aboard Mr. Redlon.

**COMPLIANCE:**

Joseph Madigan/McCool and Sons was referred to the legal department for collection. No action taken.

Euro Style Stone has paid for their violation in full, however, the check written was returned as non-sufficient funds. We are awaiting a new check.

Mechanical Installations Corporation pled guilty to working without a license and paid a reduced fine of \$1,250.00.

Findings of Fact were mailed to Angelo Prunella. Mr. Prunella sent an email trying to negotiate for a lower fine. The email was forwarded to the legal department. This case has been referred to the Putnam County Sheriff's Office for investigation. Mr. Prunella continues to send emails to Ms. Sorrento and has sent a letter to the Board requesting they reverse their findings. He has also sent a letter to the County Executive. This email has been forwarded to the Legal Department and Sheriff's office. A final notice for payment was mailed to Mr. Prunella. Suraj Schneider, who was found guilty by default in June 2018, paid his \$1,500.00 fine.

**ADJOURNMENT:** The next meeting is scheduled for April 11th. 2024.