



SOUTHWEST
WASHINGTON CHAPTER
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Newsletter

November 2008 Edition

Upcoming Events:

November 19th, 2008~ICC Chapter Meeting

Location: Public Safety Center @ the fairgrounds

Time: 3:30 pm

Instructor: Mark Smith with Truss Way be presenting Wood Component Manufacturers Association will be giving a presentation on engineered truss systems. Some of the items in discussion will include:

1. Engineering Requirements.
2. Code Requirements and their origin.
3. Lateral Bracing Requirements.
4. Loading Requirements.
5. Question and answer session to follow

January 21st, 2009~ICC Chapter Meeting

Location: Public Safety Complex @ the fairgrounds

Time: 3:30 pm

Instructor: To be Announced

Presidents Corner.....See Page 2 to read a note from the President

2008 Officers:

President:	Lou Malattia
Vice President:	Dave Johnson
Secretary:	Kent Hegsted
Treasurer:	John Weber
Past President:	Bob Jones

The 3rd Annual Fall Education Seminar October 13th & 14th 2008

Was a success!
See you next year!



Code Bowl.....

If you can't figure it out...
you can cheat and go to page 2



1. Where an accessory occupancy is not required to be separated from the major use by a fire barrier, it is limited to a maximum floor area of _____ of the area of the story in which it is located.

a. 10 percent	b. 15 percent
c. 25 percent	d. 33 percent

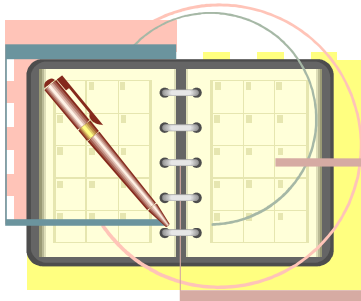
2. In order for Type IIIB office building to be considered for unlimited area, it must be limited to a maximum height of _____.

a. one story	b. two stories
c. 50 feet	d. 40 feet

Special thanks for the donation for our raffle goes to:

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| *WABO | *Simpson Strong-tie |
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| *Tri - County Think Permit | |

We had a good year this year with our education programs. The Annual Seminar had lower attendance than last year due to the recession. However, the classes were well attended and we had great speakers on very relevant topics. Our Chapter subsidized the Seminar in part but overall with our special inspection program, our Chapter gained revenues.



ICC meetings will be held at the Safety complex @ the Fairgrounds

Schedule for 2009

- January 21
- March 18
- May 20
- July 15
- September 16
- November 18

Answers to the Code Bowl.....



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 - a. 10 percent IBC 508.3.1
- In order for Type IIIB office building to be considered for unlimited area, it must be limited to a maximum height of _____.
 - b. two stories IBC 507.4



Congratulations!

On your recent certifications!

John John Weber ~ Fire Plans Examiner

Please contact Kent or Michelle for all updates on Certifications if you want them listed in the Newsletter

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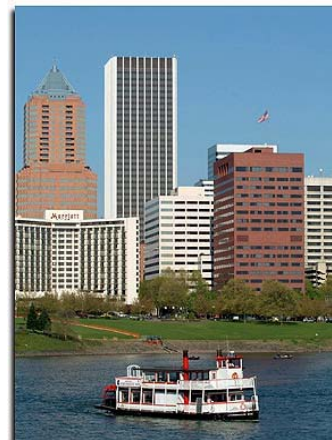
Dec. 5th, 2008

Annual Awards Banquet

\$20.00 a person

3 hour tour...

- Dinner**
- Desert**
- Dancing**
- No-host Bar**



See page 4 for brochure to Reserve your spot.



2008 Code Council Annual Conference
Minneapolis, Minnesota
State of Washington

Here is the Washington contingent. I am on the left side front row. Not in time for the photo, but also present where Sree Thirunagari and Brian Smith with the City of Vancouver. Also, in attendance, but not present for the photo where Jon Sui and Maureen Traxler with the City of Seattle, who headed up the WABO Code Development Committee. Bob Jones, Dave Johnson and I were members of the WABO Code change committee and attended the meetings prior to the Annual Conference. Financial considerations prevented Bob and Dave from attending this year's conference. I would like to thank the membership for their financial support which along with a grant from WABO and the support of Clark County enabled me to make the trip this year. It was a great learning experience for me to participate in the code change process. During one of those long days, I was there at 10:30 at night with only 200 other voting members casting our votes on an important IBC life safety issue. It brought home to me the fact that we, as individual code members, but especially as a Chapter, we can make a difference if we choose to get involved. I saw individual members stepping up to the podium voicing their concerns and making a difference with the outcome of the vote. It was quite a learning experience for me to witness the pro and con arguments regarding code proposals. I would like to especially thank Jon and Maureen for doing such a great job at the hearings. ~ Lou Malattia, President



**Southwest Washington Chapter
Of International Code Council
Membership Application for 2009**

Jurisdiction/Affiliation _____ Total Number of Members _____

Name*	Title	Phone	E-mail Address

**Attach additional sheet, if necessary*

Address City/State/Zip _____

Fax Number _____ URL _____

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- Class B Individuals responsible for the administration, inspection and enforcement of laws and ordinances related to building construction.
- Class C Individuals or firms engaged in the practice of architecture, engineering, design, building construction, or research or testing related to building construction.
- Class S Students in code-related education: School _____ ID# _____

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2008 HOLIDAY FESTIVAL

ICC ~ SW WA Chapter & IAPMO

Please Join Us

Dec. 5, 2008

Cost: \$20.00 per Person

3 hour tour

Dinner

Desert

Dancing / Entertainment

Door Prizes

No Host Bar

Annual Awards & Recognition Banquet

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NAME _____ \$ _____

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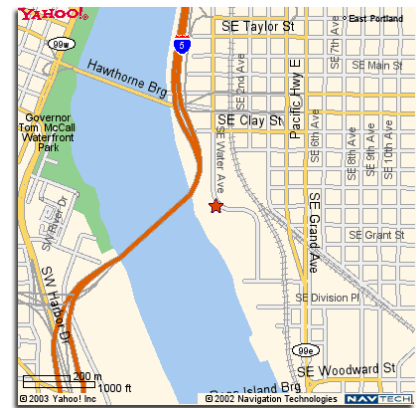
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members & Guest.



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Contact John Weber 360-397-2375 x 4451



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from
7pm - 10pm



ICC use only:

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