

CALL TO ORDER: 1:15 PM

REGISTRATION BOARD/REGISTRATION LAW

- The Interior Designers have made a request to be part of the Landscape Architecture registration board. Sandy Kime provided a history and some pros and cons about the issue. Other members also expressed opinions on the subject.

Negatives:

- This will dilute the board. No matter how the board is re-aligned the percentage of Landscape Architect will be reduced. Most likely LA's will not be a majority on the board.
- This move will open our registration law up again. Would architect and engineers take the opportunity to pressure the landscape architecture registration law again?

Positive:

- Theoretically, it may decrease registration fees because there are more members to support the board.
- We would have 2 lobbyists working together for our interests.

MOTION: by Bill Mullin SECOND Sandy Kime. To recommend to the Executive Committee that they reject the Interior Designers request to share a registration board. This motion was approved unanimously. (Yea - 41, Nay – 0, Abstained – 0)

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- Discussion concerning sponsored/co-sponsored, etc.
- Holly Renner explained issues. A program must be provided by ASLA, not sponsored by ASLA.
- The Registration Board is looking at rules and regulations to: streamline process, update pre-approved list.

WEB SITE/PLAN

- The PR committee will be looking at re-vamping the web site. If members have any suggestions, they should contact one of the Executive Committee members

ADVOCACY/LOBBY DAY

- Carl Kelemen stated that Lobby Day will be on May 4, 2006. Members should contact Mr. Kelemen if interested in participating.
- Professional Fellows. Mr. Kelemen explained the concept of Fellows volunteering as advocates in State Representative offices. Members should contact Mr. Kelemen if interested in participating.

CHAPTER BALLOT

- The position of "Member At Large" will be on the ballot this June. Members are asked to make any nominations by the end of the month.

Meeting adjourned 2:10 PM