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The leaves are now changing and all of us are tuning our thoughts to the upcoming winter, which hopefully will be bit milder than previous. I have spoken with so many members and even some third party agencies who all agree this has been the busiest summer in years. Many are still struggling to keep up with the workload in which there appears to be no slow down in the near future.

A few updates to share are as follows; A couple weeks ago, I had the honor to speak with Rich Piccolo at the annual IML conference in Chicago. It was a rewarding experience and I met many municipal leaders from across the state. One of my goals for this year was to form a relationship with the IML that I would hope to last into the future. While at the conference, Rich had suggested that for next year, we sponsor a Building Official Day in which many of us could attend. I think that this is a great idea and an excellent way to express who we are and what we do. On a different note, the 25th Annual AACE Conference sponsored by our sister chapter IACE is coming up October 27th thru the 31st. There is still time to register, but the deadline is fast approaching. I encourage anyone who is able to attend. There is great training available plus an opportunity to network with others in our field from across the country. Such as IACE supports our annual spring training institute; attendance would be great for us to show support for them. This is a very large conference and it took quite an effort to put it all together.

In the next newsletter, I will be including information on the upcoming SBOC annual business meeting and holiday luncheon. Please remember that there is still time to volunteer to become a board member. As I have stated many times in the past, serving on the board does not take hours of one's week nor does it require anyone to work till all hours of the night. There are monthly meetings and such as like all past SBOC boards, everyone works together to make things happen. Serving on the board is rewarding, looks great on a resume and helps to keep the organization alive and prosperous as it has been since 1956.

As always be safe and please do not hesitate to provide any suggestions or ideas you may have.

September Monthly Meeting

Date: October 16, 2014

Time: 12:00 PM

Location: Bucca Di Beppo
90 Yorktown Rd., Lombard

Cost: \$20.00

Presentation: Darren Meyers will be presenting on air barriers and how they relate to the 2012 IECC

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