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October Meeting Notice

Jennifer Wengender, P.E.
Rochester Chapter President

Topic: "Solar Collection & Storage For DHW"
Presented by Rich Gruber from Rheem Solar

Date: Wednesday, Oct. 20, 2010

Time: 12:00 noon – 1:30 pm.

Place: Valicia's Ristorante 2155 Long Pond Road, Rochester 14606
Just north of Rt 31, Gates

Credits: Approved for 1 PDH

Cost: \$18 member or non-member, check or cash at door

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President's Message

Jennifer Wengender, P.E.

Rochester Chapter President

We had our annual golf outing in August this year. It was a beautiful day. We had a diverse group of golfers including plumbing/mechanical engineers, contractors, vendors and distributors. I'd like to thank all of our sponsors this year. The proceeds from the golf outing will help support our delegates trip to the ASPE Business meetings this fall at the Convention. This year's 2010 ASPE Convention and Engineered Plumbing Exposition will be held Oct. 30–Nov. 3, 2010. Please go to the ASPE web site for more information at <http://aspe.org/>

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VP Technical

Greetings to all. We welcome you back to our regularly scheduled ASPE Seminar and Luncheons. I hope everyone had a great summer and look forward to seeing all of you in the coming months.

I don't have all meetings scheduled yet but we are set until November's Meeting.

I would like to thank Joe Pennise, from the R. P. Fedder Corporation, for presenting "Re-Thinking Combination Space and Domestic Heating" for our September Meeting. It was a great kickoff for this year. He covered a lot of material including Minimum System Requirements, Boiler Characteristics, Water Heater Selection, and Domestic and Hydronic Heating System Characteristics; all designed to save fuel consumption and reduce standby losses. All of this information gives us better understanding to apply the proper Water Heating System for each project that we work on.

This month, we will review the merits of "Solar Collection and Storage for Domestic Hot Water" presented by Rich Gruber, from the Rheem Manufacturing Company Inc./Specialty Products Division (Solar). Please plan on attending, and talk others you know into joining you and us.

Our November Seminar is, "Seismic Restraint of Plumbing in New York ", presented by Richard Sherren, P. E., from Kinetics Noise Control. I believe this seminar will give us valuable insight on how to design for Seismic Supporting and Bracing of our Plumbing Systems and to clarify which codes govern Seismic Restraints for New York. This information will certainly help us understand how complex these requirements can be. So please join us for the upcoming meetings and don't hesitate to offer your input and suggestions for future seminars.

Thanks and hope to see you soon.



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2010 ASPE Convention

Adam Frenzel

ASPE Rochester Chapter Affiliate Liaison

Coming up in November, we have our annual ASPE convention right down the road in Philadelphia, PA! We will be joined by some of the industry's most successful manufacturers such as Viega, Bradford White, Copper Development Association, Moen, Charlotte Pipe, Masco Bath and Zurn. With over 250 total manufacturers, there should be plenty to see and do while in Philadelphia. We look forward to seeing you!

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SEPTEMBER 28, 2010

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E-BULLETIN

Notice of Adoption

To be published in the September 29, 2010 edition of the [State Register](#)

Corrugated Stainless Steel Tubing (CSST) Requirements

Effective September 29, 2010. At its meeting held on September 14, 2010, the State Fire Prevention and Building Code Council found and determined that making this rule, and the changes to the Uniform Code to be implemented by this rule, effective immediately upon the publication of the Notice of Adoption in the State Register (September 29, 2010 edition) is required to preserve public safety and to protect health, safety and security by clarifying requirements for electrical bonding of gas piping, clarifying requirements for protection of gas piping against physical damage, and adding new requirements for installation of gas piping made of corrugated stainless steel tubing (CSST), which will increase protection against fires caused by lightning strikes in the vicinity of buildings equipped with CSST gas piping and fires caused by accidental punctures of CSST gas piping.

For code text and more information please visit:
<http://www.dos.state.ny.us/code/CSST.htm>

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SEPTEMBER 21, 2010

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Notice of Adoption

Update to the Uniform Fire Prevention and Building Code and
State Energy Conservation Construction Code



2010 Codes of New York State

A Notice of Adoption will be published in the September 29, 2010 edition of the [State Register](#), establishing an effective date of December 28, 2010* for the Uniform Code and Energy Code Updates.

The following titles are incorporated by reference in the Uniform Code:
Existing Building Code of New York State – 2010 Edition
Building Code of New York State – 2010 Edition

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Fire Code of New York State – 2010 Edition
Property Maintenance Code of New York State – 2010 Edition
Plumbing Code of New York State – 2010 Edition
Mechanical Code of New York State – 2010 Edition
Fuel Gas Code of New York State – 2010 Edition

The following title is incorporated by reference in the Energy Code:
Energy Conservation Construction Code of New York State – 2010 Edition

To order code books from International Code Council (ICC) ask for the 2010 Codes of New York State
(<http://www.iccsafe.org>) Phone: (800)-786-4452

* Transition Period: **There is a transition period for the Uniform Code only. The transition period for the Uniform Code begins on September 29, 2010 and ends on December 27, 2010. During that period, a regulated party can show compliance with the 2007 version of the Uniform Code or the new 2010 version of the Uniform Code. A regulated party cannot choose some provisions from the 2007 version of the Uniform Code and other provisions from the 2010 version of the Uniform Code to show compliance.**

The new (2010) version of the Energy Code becomes effective on December 28, 2010. There is no transition period for the Energy Code. The current (2007) version of the Energy Code remains in effect through December 27, 2010.

Additional information will be available shortly on the [NYS Codes Division website](#).

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