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As a Honorary and Governmental Member, I'd like to express my support to move the IECC development to that of a consensus standard process. The Code development process under CP 28 is not working very well in regards to the Energy code provisions of our family of codes. In the last couple cycles, especially the most recent, it doesn't leave the final decisions to a group of "voting members" that never enforce or have any daily work that involves the energy code. That is not acceptable to me as a member nor to the public we serve.

Moving to a standards consensus process allows for:

1. A balance of knowledgeable persons on the committee meets ICC commitment to a consensus process.
2. It allows for more time to deliberate on technical provisions and "boil" them down before making decisions and stay within the scope of what the code is to be. Resulting in a more cohesive document that is consistent in regard to a criteria upon which changes are based and balanced in its approach.
3. Hopefully, it will improve the cost effectiveness of the standard and it's enforceability.
4. If it is easy to understand it may improve the knowledge and willingness of contractors, owners and others to install and incorporate provisions into the construction of the building.
5. Energy conservation works when it makes sense, economically and practically. The code should become a standard of cost-effective regulations and not cause approved materials and equipment to be disregarded.
6. Hopefully it will allow the consumer to be part of the process by respecting that – it's their money being spent. Through the ability to "trade-off" pathways to compliance. These are so very often shouted down and over run in the current voting process by persons who don't ever interact with the code other than a directed vote during GOCV.

To the Board of Directors and appeal board members – THANK YOU for taking this approach/step toward a fresh approach to creating this document. It is a great improvement in the use of resources for code officials, technical folks in the energy industry, producers and designers. It will improve the acceptance and use of the standard. A clear and consistent document that is cost effective and practical will result in the conservation of energy resources.

Thank you for your time, Best regards

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