

MINUTES

Amusement Ride Safety Committee

DATE | TIME: September 10, 2025 | 9:00 AM – 10:30 AM

LOCATION: 4501 S 2700 W, Taylorsville, UT 84129, Lester Wire Conference Room | Google Meet

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

Jimmy Sunlight | Johnnie Miller | | Ben Sheldon | Taylor Illo | Pam Zoeller |

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT

Patrick Cowley

Sakura Gallegos

OTHER ATTENDEES

Rhett Arnell (UDOT Amusement Ride Safety Director),

WELCOME AND COMMITTEE LEADERSHIP

- Rhett calls the meeting to order
- Ben nominates Jimmy Sunlight to be the chairman and is unanimously elected
- Jimmy nominates Ben for Vice Chairman and is unanimously elected

APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR MARCH MEETING

- Jimmy asks for a motion to approve the Utah Amusement Ride Safety Committee meeting minutes for the June 30, 2025 meeting. Ben makes a motion, Jimmy seconds the motion and it passes with a vote of 4 - 0 - 2.

○ Yeas - 4

Nays - 0

Absent/Abstain - 2

Jimmy Sunlight		
		Johnnie Miller
Ben Sheldon		
Taylor Illo		

		Sakura Gallegos
Pam Zoeller		

STATE OF PERMITS AND INSPECTORS

- Rhett presented an update on the current state of the program showing the statistics from ZipFlow. Rhett also briefed the group on the progress of Zipflow being purchased by UtilSync..
- Rhett also showed the Committee the progress on a Google Site that he is putting together to be used as a website for the program. Ben suggested that the URL contain both the terms amusement and ride.

ADMIN RULE 920-60

- Rhett shared with the committee that the updates to the rule have been finalized and posted.

MOVING FORWARD GOALS AND CHANGES

- Rhett raised the question of records retention as a requirement of the State Code. The committee agreed that this is the new priority. Rhett committed to reach out to the pertinent folks within the state to start the process and find out what it entails.
- Each member spoke about what they are currently working on and potential future plans.

MEETING ADJOURNMENT

- Jimmy called for a motion to adjourn. Ben made a motion to adjourn the meeting early, which Pam seconded and the motion passed unanimously.