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The IAPMO Group – West Building
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Regarding: Appeal on 2018 UMC Proposal #072

- (a) Submitted by:
Chris Van Rite, representing the Air Distribution Institute (ADI)
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- (b) I support an appeal relating to 2018 UMC Proposal #074
- (c) Item #072 has overwhelming support of IAPMO membership.
The TC supported item #072 initially, but evolved into a group who opposed it.
 - a. Item #072 received a majority vote (18-4-2) on the first TC ballot
 - b. It then received overwhelming support of the IAPMO membership in Albuquerque.
 - c. It was then barely defeated in the TC ballot vote following Anaheim
 - d. In Anchorage the IAPMO membership once again showed in overwhelming numbers how strongly they support this proposal.
 - e. The most recent TC ballot completely ignored the Anchorage vote
 - f. There is a disconnect between what the IAPMO membership clearly supports and the leanings of individuals currently on the TC.
 - g. I would like to appeal to the Standards Council to consider the wishes of IAPMO membership as was made perfectly clear in Albuquerque and Anchorage.
- (d) I recommend that the Standards Council uphold IAPMO membership's overwhelming majority support and approve item #072 for inclusion in the 2018 UMC.

Respectfully,



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