



SOLAR RATING & CERTIFICATION CORPORATION

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

At the 2014 International Code Council Annual Conference, I had the pleasure of signing the agreement that would make the Solar Rating & Certification Corporation (ICC-SRCC) part of the ICC Family of Companies. Both ICC Chief Executive Officer Dominic Sims and I had the same reaction. We couldn't contain our joy and enthusiasm for the future of the ICC-SRCC and the value it brings to ICC Membership.

We completed the integration with the ICC before the end of 2014. Overall, the integration was smooth and we are ready to get things done!

We collaborated on the *International Solar Energy Provisions™* (ISEP™) publication. With the help of many dedicated individuals in both the ICC and ICC-SRCC, the first version of the ISEP was published in March. This is an extraordinary accomplishment—from concept to publication in less than six months. The second version will include commentaries. It is scheduled to be available in time for the 2015 Annual Conference. The ISEP contains all provisions found in ICC codes for both solar photovoltaic and solar thermal applications. Also included in the ISEP are the ICC-SRCC standards for solar collectors and solar water heating systems.

This spring, both of the ICC-SRCC standards were granted ANSI recognition thanks to our collaboration with the ICC Technical Services Department. The standards were improved greatly and correlated with current building and plumbing codes. We are very proud of our new ICC-SRCC standards.

We look forward to the development of our latest standard, which specifically addresses solar heating for pools and spas. In collaboration with the Association of Pool and Spa Professionals (APSP), the new standard, *SRCC 400/APSP/ICC 902: Pool Solar Heating and Cooling Standard*, will build on ICC-SRCC's widely used Standard 100 and 300 documents that address solar thermal collectors and systems.

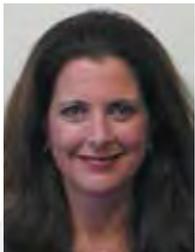
We recently appointed 13 individuals to the Renewable Energy Membership Advisory Council to help identify opportunities and develop overall strategies including new standards, certification programs and initiatives related to renewable energy and energy efficiency.

This is a new world that has more energy demands than ever before. With our nose to the grindstone and our eyes on the horizon, we are excited to help grow the resources for clean, efficient and safe energy that makes us energy independent today and leave a wonderful legacy for generations to come.

So what else will ICC-SRCC get done for its stakeholders and Members? Stay tuned.



Dominic Sims (left), Steve Jones, Ole Pilgaard (former Solar Rating & Certification Corporation Chair), and Eileen Prado the sign an agreement to make the Solar Rating & Certification Corporation part of the ICC Family of Companies.



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