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Upcoming Code Body Meetings



Meetings

State	Body	Date	Formula
Idaho	Idaho Building Code Board Meeting	11/14/2022	Info
Delaware	Delaware Fire Prevention Committee Meeting	11/15/2022	Info
Louisiana	Louisiana Oil and Gas Hearings	11/15/2022	Info
Idaho	Idaho Building Code Board Negotiated Rulemaking Hearing	11/15/2022	Info
South Carolina	South Carolina Building Codes Council	11/15/2022	Info
Washington	Washington State Building Code Council TAG (Mechanical and Ventilation Code) Meeting	11/16/2022	Info
New Mexico	New Mexico Construction Industries Commission Meeting	11/16/2022	Info
North Dakota	North Dakota State Electrical Board Meeting	11/16/2022	Info
California	California Energy Commission Business Meeting	11/16/2022	Info
New York	New York Building Standards & Codes Regional Review Meeting	11/16/2022	Info
California	California Energy Commission Business Meeting	11/16/2022	Info
Louisiana	Louisiana State Uniform Construction Code Council Meeting	11/17/2022	Info
Washington	Washington Building Fire and Plumbing Codes Committee	11/17/2022	Info
Washington	Washington MVE Meeting	11/17/2022	Info
Rhode Island	Rhode Island Energy Efficiency & Resource Management Council Meeting	11/17/2022	Info
Washington	Washington State MVE Committee Meeting	11/17/2022	Info
Washington	Washington State BPF Committee Meeting	11/17/2022	Info
Illinois	Illinois Energy Conservation Advisory Council Meeting	11/17/2022	Info
Colorado	Colorado Energy Code Board Meeting	11/17/2022	Info
New Mexico	New Mexico Construction Industries Commission Meeting	11/18/2022	Info
Washington	Washington State Building Code Council Meeting	11/18/2022	Info
Washington	Washington State SBCC Council Meeting	11/18/2022	Info

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Building

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Idaho	11/15/2022	BCB to vote on adoption of IDAPA 24.39.30 rules The Idaho Building Codes Board will vote on adoption of IDAPA 24.39.30 rules governing the state building code as a pending rule chapter.
Idaho	11/15/2022	BCB to discuss amendments to the 2018 editions of the IBC, IRC, and IECC The Idaho Building Code Board will discuss amendments to the 2018 editions of the International Building Code, International Residential Code, and International Energy Conservation Code, including their relevant residential and commercial provisions.
Idaho	11/15/2022	BCB to conduct comparison of 2018 IEC to proposed rule chapter The Idaho Building Code Board will conduct a comparison of the 2018 International Energy Conservation Code to the proposed rule chapter, including by reviewing related mechanical, electrical, plumbing, and building provisions.

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Energy

State	Date	Title
Illinois	11/17/2022	ECAC to conduct review IECC-R
The Illinois Energy Conservation Advisory Council will conduct a review of recommendations surrounding the International Energy Conservation Code - Residential (IECC-R) stretch energy code, as well as other selected IECC-R draft provisions.		

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Electrical/Plumbing

State	Date	Title
South Carolina	11/15/2022	South Carolina BCC to Consider Emergency Deletion of Plumbing Code
<p>The South Carolina BCC will hold a hearing on the consideration of a modification to the existing plumbing code on an emergency basis. This amendment would remove "Separate facilities shall not be required where rooms having both water closets and lavatory fixtures are designed for use by both sexes and privacy for water closets is provided in accordance with Section 405.3.4. Urinals shall be located in an area visually separated from the remainder of the facility or each urinal that is provided shall be located in a stall."</p>		

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Misc.

State	Date	Title
Washington	11/18/2022	SBCC to deliberate on rulemaking decisions for IBC, IEBC, IRC, UPC, and WUIC
The Washington State Building Code Council will deliberate on several rulemaking decisions relative to the following codes: the International Building Code (Structural), the International Existing Building Code, the International Residential Code, the Uniform Plumbing Code, and the Wildland-Urban Interface Code.		

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Bills with Recent Activity



Legislation

Bill #	State	Bill Title	Primary Sponsor	Last Action	Date
HB 5564	IL	Proc Cd-Carbon Concrete Pref	Lawrence M. Walsh Jr	Added as Alternate Co-Sponsor Sen. Bill Cunningham	11/7/22
Provides that when a State contract is to be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder, an otherwise qualified bidder who will fulfill the contract through the use of low embodied carbon concrete may be given preference over other bidders unable to do so, provided that the cost included in the bid using low embodied carbon concrete is not more than 10% greater than the cost in the bid not using low embodied carbon concrete.					

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State Rules & Notices



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State	Pub. Date	Type	Title
VT	11/10/22	Proposed	Vermont Commercial Building Energy Standards (CBES) Amendments
<p>This proposed rule amends the existing Vermont Commercial Building Energy Standards (CBES), last updated in 2020. The amendments reduce energy use in commercial buildings and improve the efficiency of building operations by regulating the design of building envelopes for adequate thermal resistance and low air leakage and the design and selection of mechanical, ventilation, electrical, service water- heating and illumination systems and equipment which will enable effective use of energy in commercial building construction. This will reduce costs of operation while improving efficiency, reducing greenhouse gas emissions, and enhancing the internal environment of a building</p>			