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## Upcoming Code Body Meetings



## Meetings

State	Body	Date	Formula
Hawaii	Hawaii Electrician and Plumber Board Meeting	10/11/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
Florida	Florida Building Commission Meeting	10/11/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
Florida	Florida Building Commission Roofing Technical Advisory Committee Meeting	10/11/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
North Carolina	North Carolina Mechanical Code Ad-Hoc Committee Meeting	10/11/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
North Carolina	North Carolina Fuel-Gas Ad-Hoc Committee Meeting	10/11/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
North Dakota	North Dakota Energy Development and Transmission Committee	10/11/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
Massachusetts	Massachusetts Board of Building Regulation and Standards Meeting	10/11/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
New Hampshire	New Hampshire Mechanical Board Public Meeting	10/12/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
California	California Energy Commission Business Meeting	10/12/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
California	California Energy Commission Committee Meeting	10/12/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
Florida	Florida Building Commission Building Structural Technical Advisory Committee Meeting	10/12/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
New Hampshire	New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission Meeting - Prehearing Conference	10/12/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
Florida	Florida Building Commission Swimming Pool Technical Advisory Committee Meeting	10/13/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
Idaho	Idaho Heating, Ventilation & Air Conditioning (HVAC) Board Meeting	10/13/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
Idaho	Idaho State Plumbing Board Meeting	10/13/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
Washington	Washington State Building Code Council Meeting	10/14/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
Washington	Washington State Building Code Council Public Hearing	10/14/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
Washington	Washington State Building Code Council Public Hearing	10/14/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
New Jersey	New Jersey Uniform Construction Code Advisory Board Meeting	10/15/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
Massachusetts	Massachusetts Building Official Certification Committee Meeting	10/18/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
Iowa	Iowa Plumbing and Mechanical Systems Board Meeting	10/18/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
Washington	Washington State Advisory Board of Plumbers	10/18/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>
DC	DC Construction Codes Coordinating Board Meeting	10/20/2022	<a href="#">Info</a>

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### Building

State	Date	Title
<b>Oregon</b>	10/1/2022	<a href="#">2022 Oregon Structural Specialty Code Adoption</a>
<p>On October 1, 2022, the 2022 Oregon Structural Specialty Code (OSSC) became effective, with a 6-month phase-in period ending March 31, 2023. During the phase-in period, the use of the 2019 OSSC or the 2022 OSSC is permitted. The 2022 OSSC is based on the 2021 International Building Code (IBC) and the 2021 International Existing Building Code (IEBC) with integrated new construction provisions of the 2021 International Fire Code (IFC) and Oregon-specific amendments.</p>		

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### Fire

State	Date	Title
Arkansas	10/6/2022	<a href="#">FPLB introduces rule on portable fire extinguishers, sprinkler systems</a> The Fire Protection Licensing Board introduced a new rule, ACA 20-22-601, which provides for the monitoring the sale, installation, and servicing of portable fire extinguishers and the sale, installation, and servicing of fixed fire protection systems and the planning, sale, installation, and servicing of fire protection sprinkler systems; and provides for the registration, licensure, and monitoring of businesses and persons providing the services, in order to protect and promote public safety by minimizing personal injury and property damages which might result from inadequate, unreliable, unsafe, or improperly installed or maintained portable fire extinguishers, fixed fire protection systems, or fire protection sprinkler systems.
Massachusetts	9/30/2022	<a href="#">Board of Fire Prevention Regulations to adopt NFPA 1 - 2021 edition</a> The Board of Fire Prevention Regulations proposed a rule adopting the NFPA 1 Fire Code - 2021 edition. Comments are due by October 18, 2022.

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### Energy

State	Date	Title
California	10/12/2022	<a href="#">Energy Commission to discuss certification of the Updated 2022 Single-Family Residential ACM</a>
The Energy Commission will discuss the certification of the Updated 2022 Single-Family Residential Alternative Calculation Method (ACM) Reference Manual, 2022 Nonresidential and Multifamily ACM Reference Manual, and California Building Energy Code Compliance Software (CBECC-RES 2022.2.0 and CBECC 2022.2.0).		

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## Electrical/Plumbing

State	Date	Title
Massachusetts	10/20/2022	<a href="#">BCCC to discuss amendments to the State Electrical Code.</a>
The Building Code Coordinating Council will propose amendments to the 527 CMR 12.00, Massachusetts Electrical Code which maintains the 2020 NEC Code.		

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### Misc.

State	Date	Title
IAPMO	10/7/2022	<a href="#">IAPMO Solicits Public Comments for 2023 WE•Stand, 2024 USHGC, USPSHTC</a>
IAPMO is calling for public comments on the 2022 Report on Proposals (ROP) for the 2023 and 2024 editions of the Water Efficiency and Sanitation Standard (WE•Stand), Uniform Solar, Hydronics and Geothermal Code (USHGC) and Uniform Swimming Pool, Spa and Hot Tub Code (USPSHTC).		

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## Bills with Recent Activity



## Legislation

Bill #	State	Bill Title	Primary Sponsor	Last Action	Date
<a href="#">DC B 24-0785</a>	DC	Greener Government Buildings Amendment Act of 2022	Robert White	Public Hearing on 10/6/2022	10/6/2022

The bill requires the Department of General Services to procure periodic net zero energy construction and maintenance training for facilities staff, certified business enterprises, and interested parties, to give net zero energy ready, fossil fuel free buildings priority consideration for the District government's facility needs, and to report every two years on certified business enterprise and resident employee participation in net zero energy and energy retrofitting projects.

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## State Rules & Notices



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State	Pub. Date	Type	Title
MO	10/3/2022	Proposed	<a href="#">NFPA Manual No. 54. National Fuel Gas Code.</a>
This proposed rule updates the NFPA code to the 2021 edition. Comments are due by November 2, 2022.			
NJ	10/3/2022	Proposed	<a href="#">Uniform Construction Code</a>
The Department of Community Affairs proposes to amend and supplement the licensing provisions of the Uniform Construction Code (UCC) to incorporate certification of technical assistants to the construction official. This proposed rulemaking would create an initial application fee and a triennial renewal fee to offset the administration of these changes. As the Department has issued an informal, non-renewable, and voluntary certification for 20 years, this rulemaking also incorporates a provision that those individuals need to apply for the formal certification, but do not need to repeat the educational component. The requirements for the certification are largely the same as those that existed under the voluntary program.			