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Upcoming Code Body Meetings



Meetings

State	Body	Date	Formula
Virginia	Virginia Board of Housing and Community Development Meeting	7/17/2023	Info
Oklahoma	Oklahoma Uniform Building Code Commission	7/18/2023	Info
Washington	Washington State Advisory Board of Plumbers Meeting	7/18/2023	Info
Minnesota	Minnesota Plumbing Board Meeting	7/18/2023	Info
Washington	Washington State Advisory Board of Plumbers Meeting	7/18/2023	Info
Washington	Washington State Energy Code TAG Meeting	7/18/2023	Info
Hawaii	Hawaii State Building Code Council (SBCC) Meeting	7/18/2023	Info
New Mexico	New Mexico Construction Industries Commission Meeting	7/19/2023	Info
Hawaii	Hawaii State Fire Council Meeting	7/19/2023	Info
New York	New York Albany Regional Board of Review Meeting	7/19/2023	Info
Rhode Island	Rhode Island Energy Efficiency & Resource Management Council Meeting	7/20/2023	Info
DC	DC CCCB Regular Meeting	7/20/2023	Info
South Dakota	South Dakota Plumbing Commission Meeting	7/20/2023	Info
New York	New York Syracuse Regional Board of Review Meeting	7/20/2023	Info
Maine	Maine Electricians' Examining Board Meeting	7/21/2023	Info
Virginia	Virginia State Building Code Technical Review Board Meeting	7/21/2023	Info
Hawaii	Hawaii Electrician and Plumber Board Meeting	7/25/2023	Info
Florida	Florida Building Commission Energy Technical Advisory Committee Meeting	7/25/2023	Info

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West Virginia	West Virginia State Fire Commission	7/25/2023	Info
Idaho	Idaho State Electrical Board Meeting	7/26/2023	Info
Oklahoma	Oklahoma Construction Industries Board Meeting	7/26/2023	Info
California	California Energy Commission Business Meeting	7/26/2023	Info
North Dakota	North Dakota State Electrical Board Meeting	7/26/2023	Info
Colorado	Colorado Electrical Board	7/26/2023	Info
California	California Building Standards Commission Meeting	8/1/2023	Info
Idaho	Idaho Building Code Board Meeting	8/1/2023	Info
Georgia	Georgia Construction Codes Public Hearing	8/1/2023	Info

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Fire

State	Date	Title
Hawaii	7/19/2023	Hawaii Fire Council Legislative Review and Amendment Discussion
The Hawaii State Fire Council will hold a discussion on the outcomes of numerous proposed bills in the Hawaii State Legislature, such as HB 57 pertaining to workers compensation and HB 285 relating to Fire Prevention appropriations. The council will also discuss nonsubstantive technical changes to the state fire code.		

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Energy

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Rhode Island	7/13/2023	RIBCSC Discusses IECC Adoption
The Rhode Island Building Code Standards Commission discussed the legislation on foregoing the 2021 IECC, and potentially adopting the 2024 IECC in 2024.		

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Electrical/Plumbing

State	Date	Title
Colorado	7/26/2023	Colorado Electrical Board Emergency EV Charging Rule
The Colorado State Electrical Board is proposing an emergency rule which will take effect on March 1, 2024, and provides that a permit applicant for electric vehicle power transfer infrastructure must comply with the requirements of 12-115-107(3) and the Colorado Energy Office’s EV power transfer infrastructure requirements for multifamily buildings found in the Model Electric Ready and Solar Ready Code.		

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Bills with Recent Activity



Legislation

Bill #	State	Bill Title	Primary Sponsor	Last Action	Date
HB 488. H 488	NC	Code Council Reorg. and Var. Code Amend.	Mark Brody	Placed On Cal For 07/19/2023	7/12/2023
This bill creates the residential code council and directs this council to review and consider any proposal for revision or amendment to the North Carolina Residential Code, including applicable provisions from the North Carolina Energy Conservation Code, North Carolina Electrical Code, North Carolina Fuel Gas Code, North Carolina Plumbing Code, North Carolina Mechanical Code, North Carolina Existing Building Code, and any other code applicable to residential construction. This Council shall also consider any appeal or interpretation pertaining to the North Carolina Residential Code and make disposition of the appeal or issue an interpretation.					
SB 795	CA	Energy: building energy efficiency: heating, ventilation, and air-conditioning equipment sale registry and compliance tracking system: electronic statewide compliance documentation data repository.	Henry I. Stern	Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on APPR.	7/12/2023
This bill would require the commission to develop and implement an electronic statewide heating, ventilation, and air conditioning (HVAC) equipment sales registry and compliance tracking system. The bill would also require the commission to develop and implement an electronic statewide compliance document data repository.					

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SB 48	CA	Building Energy Savings Act.	Josh Becker	From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 8. Noes 2.) (July 10). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.	7/11/2023
This bill provides that it is the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation to create building performance standards for improvements in energy efficiency and reductions in the emissions of greenhouse gases in large buildings, including measures to ensure that making the necessary investments to improve these buildings will improve equity and avoid displacement or increased energy burdens.					

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State Rules & Notices



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State	Pub. Date	Type	Title
ND	7/12/23	Proposed	NFPA 70 2023 Edition National Electrical Code
This proposed rule will Adopt NFPA 70 2023 edition National Electrical Code (1st version, printed in 2022] and NFPA101 2021 edition Life Safety Code.			