

# Building Code Alerts - May 6th, 2024

## Upcoming Code Body Meetings



State	Body	Date	Formula
Virginia	Virginia Board for Contractors Meeting	5/7/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Florida	Florida Building Commission Energy TAC Meeting	5/7/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Florida	Florida Building Commission Roofing TAC Meeting	5/7/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Florida	Florida Building Commission Structural TAC Meeting	5/7/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Florida	Florida Building Commission Special Occupancy TAC Meeting	5/7/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Washington	Washington State Building Code Council Fire TAG Meeting	5/7/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Idaho	Idaho Factory Built Structures Advisory Board Meeting	5/7/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
California	California Energy Commission Business Meeting	5/8/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Florida	Florida Building Commission Code Administration Technical Advisory Committee	5/8/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Florida	Florida Building Commission Electrical Technical Advisory Committee	5/8/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Florida	Florida Building Commission Swimming Pool TAC Meeting	5/8/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Florida	Florida Building Commission Mechanical TAC Meeting	5/8/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Massachusetts	Massachusetts Board of State Examiners of Plumbers and Gas Fitters Meeting	5/8/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Indiana	Indiana Joint Fire and Building Code Update Committee Meeting	5/8/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Indiana	Indiana Fire Prevention and Building Safety Commission Meeting	5/9/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Washington	Washington State Building Code Council Mechanical, Ventilation, and Plumbing Code TAG Meeting	5/13/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
New Hampshire	New Hampshire Mechanical Safety and Licensing Board Meeting	5/14/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Georgia	Georgia IRC Task Force Meeting	5/14/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>

Washington	Washington State Building Code Council Fire Code TAG Meeting	5/14/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
North Dakota	North Dakota State Electrical Board Meeting	5/15/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Rhode Island	Rhode Island Energy Efficiency & Resource Management Council Meeting	5/16/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
DC	DC Construction Code Coordination Board Regular Meeting	5/16/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Georgia	Georgia IBC Task Force Meeting	5/16/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Washington	Washington State Building Code Council Building Code TAG Meeting	5/16/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Washington	Washington State Building Code Council MVPE Committee Meeting	5/17/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Washington	Washington State Building Code Council BFRW Committee Meeting	5/17/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Delaware	Delaware Fire Prevention Commission Regular Monthly Meeting	5/21/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Alabama	Alabama Plumbers and Gasfitters Examining Board Meeting	5/23/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>
Washington	Washington State Building Code Council Meeting	5/24/2024	<a href="#">Info</a>

## Code Alerts

### Building

State	Date	Title
Georgia	5/16/2024	<a href="#">Georgia 2024 IBC Task Force to Convene on May 16th to Review Various Sections of IBC</a>
The 2024 Georgia IBC Task Force meeting on May 16th is reviewing Chapter 9 (Section 3), Chapter 16 (Section 4), Chapter 17 (Section 5), Chapter 34 (Section 9), and Chapter 35 (Section 9) of the International Building Code.		
Georgia	5/14/2024	<a href="#">Georgia IRC Task Force 2024: Designated Members to Lead Review and Vote on Specific Sections and Chapters</a>
The 2024 Georgia IRC task force will review and vote on various sections of the IRC, with each section led by designated members. The sections and chapters being reviewed and voted on include: Section 1: Chapters 1-3, Section 2: Chapters 4-5, Section 3: Chapters 6-7, Section 4: Chapters 8-10, Section 5: Chapters 12-14, Section 6: Chapters 15-17, Section 7: Chapters 18-20, Section 8: Chapters 21-23, Section 9: Chapters 24, 44, & Appendices.		

### Fire

State	Date	Title
Washington	5/7/2024	<a href="#">Washington State Building Code Council Fire TAG to review various chapters of the IFC</a>
The Washington State Building Code Council Fire TAG will convene on May 7th. Agenda items of note include a review of work completed and received on amendments to Chapters 7, 8, 9, 33, and 49 of the IFC.		

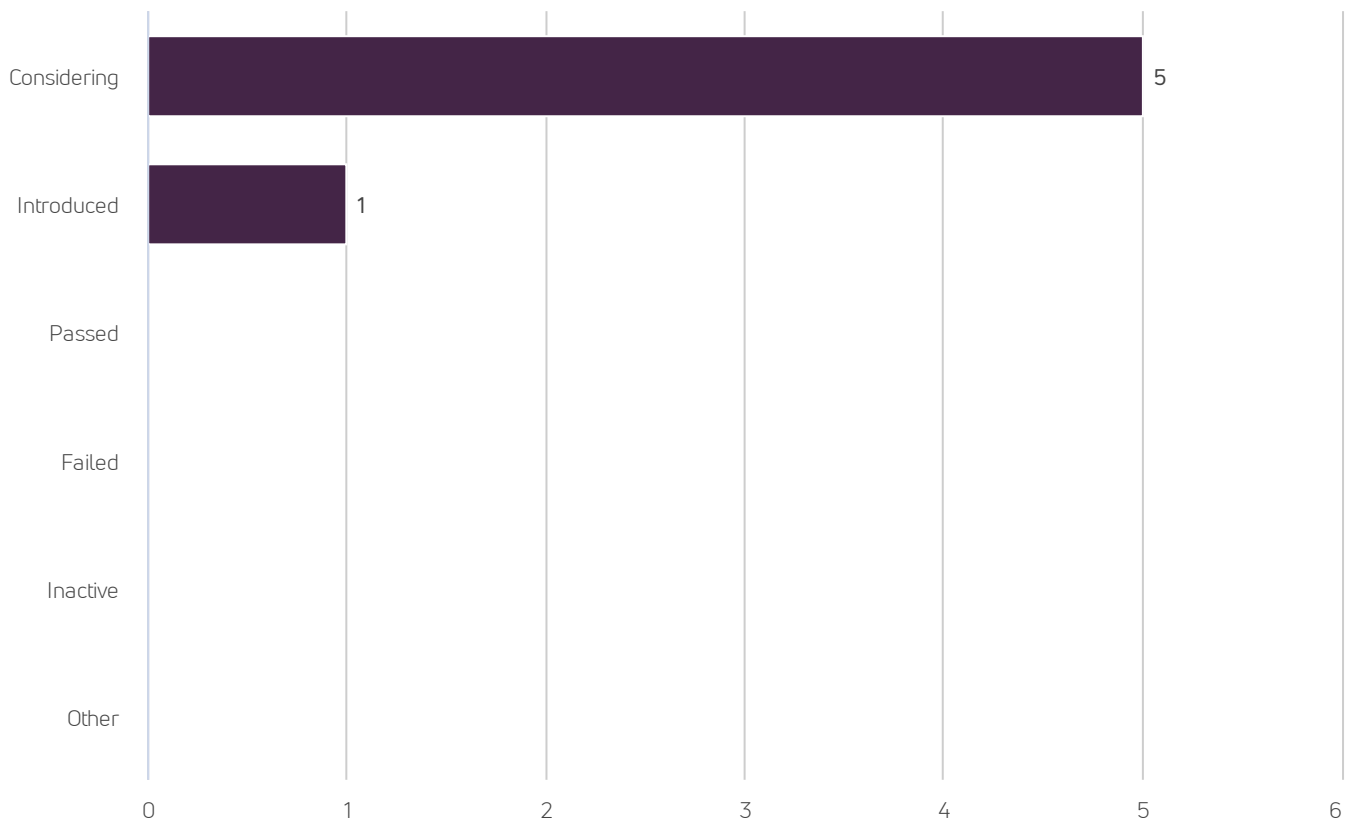
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State	Date	Title
Massachusetts	5/8/2024	<a href="#">Massachusetts Board of State Examiners of Plumbers and Gas Fitters to Convene to review NFPA 54, sections 10 &amp; 12</a>
The Massachusetts Board of State Examiners of Plumbers and Gas Fitters Gas Code review sub-committee will convene on May 8th, 2024. Items of note on the agenda include reviewing sections 10 & 12 of the 2024 NFPA-54 and a discussion on gas appliance venting.		
Washington	5/13/2024	<a href="#">Washington State Building Code Council Mechanical, Ventilation, and Plumbing Code TAG to Convene on 5/13/2024</a>
The Washington State Building Code Council Mechanical, Ventilation, and Plumbing Code Technical Advisory Group will convene on May 13th, 2024, to review existing amendments and significant change documents related to the IMC & IFGC.		

## Building Codes Legislative & Regulatory Alerts 2024.05.06

### Bills by Status

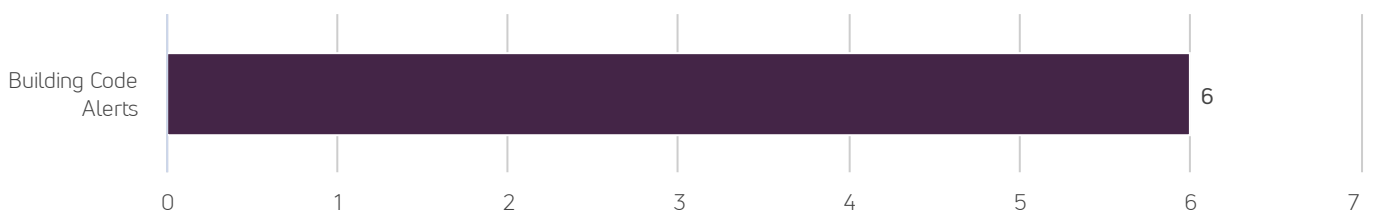
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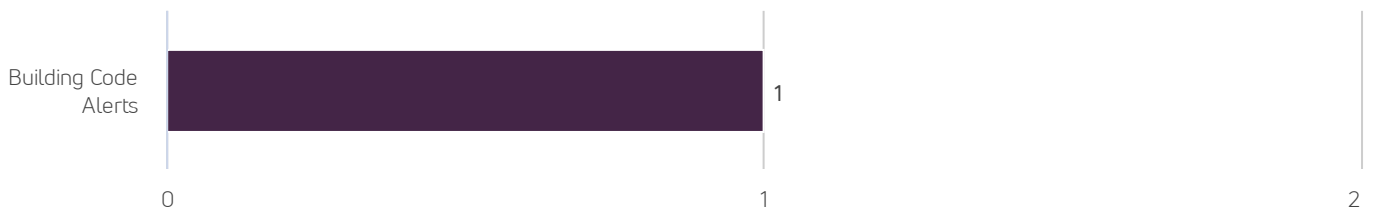
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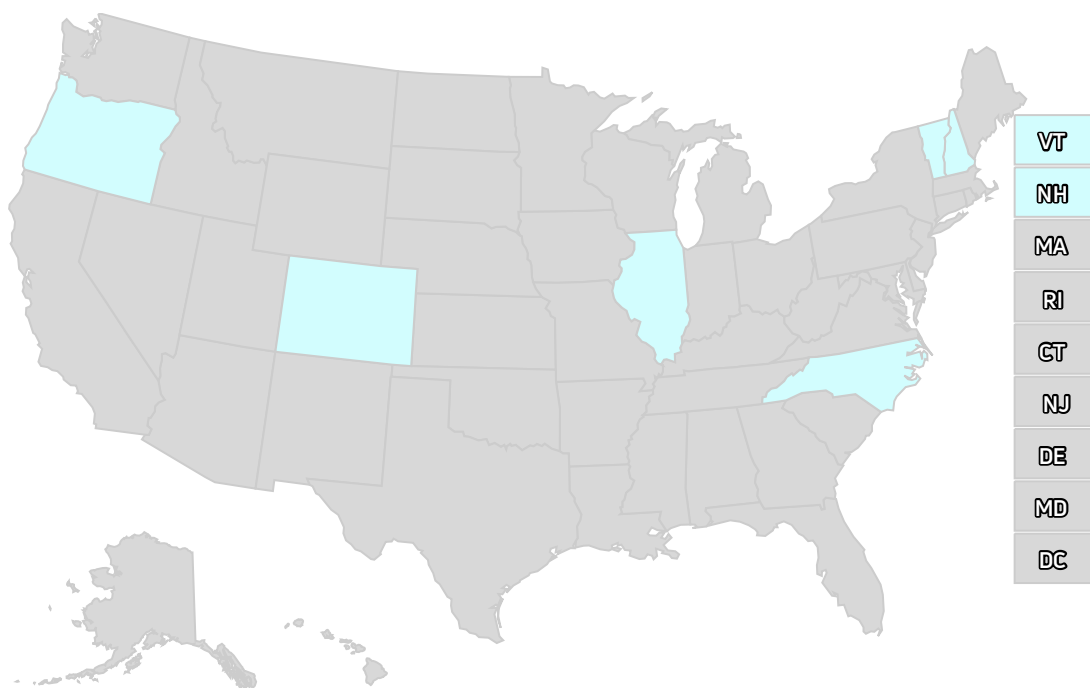


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Building Code Alerts Bills

6 Bills

## VT S 253

**Title:** An act relating to building energy codes

**Current Status:** Considering

**Introduction Date:** January 11, 2024

**Last Action Date:** Action Calendar: Favorable with Amendment. May 06, 2024

**Summary:** This bill would establish the Building Energy Code Working Group and allow the Commissioner of Public Service to update the residential building energy codes and commercial building energy codes. The purpose of the bill is to increase compliance with energy codes to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from home and business heating and cooling. The bill finds that heating and cooling is the second largest source of greenhouse gas emissions in Vermont, and reducing emissions from the thermal sector is necessary to meet GHG reduction requirements. Increasing the energy efficiency of buildings through energy codes is one method of achieving these reductions. Currently, Vermont has Residential Building Energy Standards (RBES) and Commercial Building Energy Standards (CBES) that are regularly updated by the Department of Public Service.

**Location:** US-VT

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## CO SB 24-214

**Title:** Implement State Climate Goals

**Current Status:** Considering

**Introduction Date:** April 22, 2024

**Last Action Date:** House Committee on State, Civic, Military, & Veterans Affairs Refer Amended to Appropriations. May 04, 2024

**Summary:** This bill extends the deadline for the energy code board to develop a model low energy and carbon code and specifies that the model low energy and carbon code can include appendices and resources to the international energy conservation code. In addition, it decreases the amount of money the Colorado energy office can issue in grants to local governments to support their adoption and enforcement of the 2021 International Energy Conservation Code by \$125,000 and increases the amount the treasurer is required to transfer into the energy fund to \$275,000.

**Location:** US-CO

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## NH SB 599

**Title:** relative to the state fire code.

**Current Status:** Considering

**Introduction Date:** February 02, 2024

**Last Action Date:** Ought to Pass: MA VV 05/02/2024 HJ 12. May 02, 2024

**Summary:** The "New Hampshire Fire Code" bill adopts the references of the 2021 editions of both the Life Safety Code, NFPA 101, and the Uniform Fire Code, NFPA 1, as published by the National Fire Protection Association. This adoption is endorsed by the state's fire control board and ratified by the general court under RSA 153:5. Any other national or model codes, or standards cited within these given codes will become part of the state fire code unless amendments are made accordingly under RSA 153:5.

**Location:** US-NH

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## NH SB 437

**Title:** relative to local authority to amend the state building code.

**Current Status:** Considering

**Introduction Date:** December 12, 2023

**Last Action Date:** Ought to Pass: MA VV 05/02/2024 HJ 12. May 02, 2024

**Summary:** This bill relates to local authority to amend the state building code in New Hampshire. The bill requires that all local ordinances amending the state building code comply with the procedures in law for review and approval of additional local regulations to the state building code established in RSA 155-A. The bill specifies that additional local provisions adopted prior to July 1, 2024, must be submitted for review to the state building code review board and re-adopted through the local process before being enforced. The bill also clarifies that buildings, building components, and structures must comply with all applicable state or local building and fire code requirements, land use restrictions, and historic district laws or ordinances. The effective date of this act is July 1, 2024.

**Location:** US-NH

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## NC SB 166

**Title:** 2024 Bldg. Code Regulatory Reform.

**Current Status:** Considering

**Introduction Date:** February 27, 2023

**Last Action Date:** Re-ref Com On Finance. May 01, 2024

**Summary:** This bill amends various North Carolina building codes and reorganizes the Building Code Council. It provides that a political subdivision shall not adopt local fire prevention code provisions which apply to dwellings subject to the North Carolina Residential Code which are not prescriptively required by the North Carolina Residential Code. The bill additionally decreases the membership of the Building Code Council from 17 to 13 with certain positions being appointed by the General Assembly instead of the Governor.

**Location:** US-NC

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## IL SB 3935

**Title:** Util-2050 Heat Decarbonization

**Current Status:** Introduced

**Introduction Date:** April 29, 2024

**Last Action Date:** Referred to Assignments. April 29, 2024

**Summary:** This bill introduces the Clean Building Heating Law, 2050 Heat Decarbonization Standard, and Statewide Navigator Program, focusing on emissions standards, heat decarbonization, and a navigator program statewide. Amendments to the Energy Transition Act include adding electrification

industries to clean energy jobs. Additionally, it mandates that newly built commercial structures must adhere to the energy efficiency standards outlined in the 2024 International Energy Conservation Code.

**Location:** US-IL

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## Building Code Alerts Regulations

1 Regulations

### 918-465-0050

**Title:** Adopts The 2023 Oregon Residential Reach Code

**Type:** Proposed

**Citations:** 918-465-0050

**Agency:** Department of Consumer and Business Services

**Publication Date:** May 01, 2024

**Summary:** The Department of Consumer and Business Services proposes adopting the 2023 Oregon Residential Reach Code, aimed at enhancing energy efficiency in buildings regulated by the Oregon Residential Specialty Code (ORSC). This code offers optional construction standards statewide. Municipalities are required to permit the use of this code. The changes specify that the 2023 Oregon Residential Reach Code will be effective from July 1, 2024.

**Location:** US-OR



