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The 2018 NH State Building and Fire Codes are in effect as of July 1, 2022

Notice to all Licensed Design Professionals, Contractors, and Property Owners

On July 1, 2022, Governor Sununu signed into law House Bill 1681, which updated the NH State Building Code (RSA 155-A) to the 2018 editions. The following code updates went into effect July 1, 2022, however, are not required to be fully enforced until January 1, 2023.

The Updated NH State Building and Fire Codes:

- 2018 International Building Code
- 2018 International Residential Code
- 2018 International Plumbing Code
- 2018 International Mechanical Code
- 2018 International Existing Building Code
- 2018 International Energy Conservation Code
- 2018 International Swimming Pool and Spa Code
- 2020 National Electrical Code, NFPA 70
- 2018 Fire Code, NFPA 1
- 2018 Life Safety Code, NFPA 101

Amendments to the NH Building and Fire Codes:

Several of the adopted codes have amendments to address specific New Hampshire concerns. Many of these amendments have been carried over from the 2015 codes. These amendments can be found on the NH Building Code Review Board website for Building Codes or http://www.gencourt.state.nh.us/rules/state_agencies/saf-c6000.html for Fire Codes.