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NOTICE OF THE OSFM CODE DEVELOPMENT WORKGROUP

The Office of the State Fire Marshal has scheduled a stakeholder meeting regarding proposed adoptions and amendments for the 2021 California Building Standards Codes (Title 24) as part of the 2021 Triennial Rulemaking Cycle.

April 26th, 2021

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. (or completed)

Virtual meeting

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AGENDA

Overview of SFM rulemaking

1. California Administrative Code 2021 Triennial Proposal Summary.

- The addition of the State Specified Occupancies per Senate Bill 85.
- Editorial changes

2. California Building Code 2021 Triennial Proposal Summary.

- Daycare Workgroup Proposals
 - Updating the regulations to comply with SB 234
 - Modifying the ages to correspond with the ages categories from CCLD
 - Changing Daycare to Child Care, where we can to match CCLD
 - Group I-4 and E Daycare were almost the same (I-4 could be less restrictive). Changing:
 - Infant & Toddlers – I-4 occupancy
 - Group E 36 months and older.
- State Specified Buildings.
- PV panel rating for shade structures to match the rating method.
- WUI re-write of chapter 7A without regulatory change.
- WUI add definition for fire-resistant vegetation.
- WUI updates on the standards. Deletes SFM Standard 12-7A-5 which matches ASTM E2768.
- Updates to new editions for NFPA 10, 13, 13D, 13R, 14, 24, 37, 54, 72, 111, 130, 289, 502 and 2001.

Editorial updates

- Repeal the early California amendments of the adoptions of the ICC text and adopt the model code text. (italicized to standard font)
 - Tall Wood Buildings
 - Energy Storage Systems
 - Mechanical Parking Structures
 - Special Amusement Areas
- Editorial and updates of formatting and section to match the new edition

3. California Residential Code 2021 Triennial Proposal Summary.

- Daycare Workgroup -Large Family Daycare Proposals
 - Updating the regulations to comply with SB 234
- State Specified Buildings.
- PV panel rating for shade structures to match the rating method and elevated structures.
- Updating R313 to correlate with NFPA 13D.
- WUI Updates to correlate with CBC 7A.
- Updates to new editions for NFPA 10, 13, 13D, 13R, 14, 24, 37, 54, 72, 111, 130, 289, 502 and 2001.
- Adding ASTM F2374 for standards of Inflatable Amusement Devices.

Editorial updates

- Repeal the early California amendments of the adoptions of the ICC text and adopt the model code text. (italicized to standard font)
 - Energy Storage Systems
 - Energy Storage System, adding the definition of Large-Scale Fire Testing.
- Editorial and updates of formatting and section to match the new edition

4. California Fire Code 2021 Triennial Proposal Summary.

Daycare Workgroup Proposals

- Updating the regulations to comply with SB 234
- Modifying the ages to correspond with the ages categories from CCLD
- Changing Daycare to Child Care, where we can to match CCLD
- Group I-4 and E Daycare were almost the same (I-4 could be less restrictive). Changing:
 - Infant & Toddlers – I-4 occupancy
 - Group E 36 months and older.
- Removed Mobile Food Vehicles. Under Title 25 HCD jurisdiction.
- State Specified Buildings.
- Tents, anchoring requirements.
- Lithium battery storage.
- ESS vehicle impact protection.
- Updates for NFPA 13, 13D, 13R and 72 to the 2022 editions.
- WUI regulations for Chapter 49. Item 49-1
 - Source for FD for vegetation management
 - Defensible space
 - Fire Safe Development Regulations
 - Subdivision Review survey
 - General Plan Safety Element
 - Appendix P Community fire hazard evaluation

Editorial updates

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 - Energy Storage Systems
 - Mechanical Parking Structures
 - Special Amusement Areas
- Editorial and updates of formatting and section to match the new edition
- ESS Large Scale testing

5. California Existing Code 2021 Triennial Proposal Summary.

- The addition of the State Specified Occupancies per Senate Bill 85.
- Adoption of the 2022 editions of NFPA 13, 13R, 13D & 72 and correlating the OSFM amendments.
- The rest is editorial and formatting.

The Draft Express Terms and Draft Initial Statement of Reasons can be found at the Code Development website for [Current Rulemaking Activities](#).

The [California Building Standards Commission Rulemaking](#) website will contain the official documents through the process.

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