



North Central Texas Council of Governments

AGENDA

Regional Codes Coordinating Committee

Monday, April 24, 2017

9:30 AM, Regional Forum Room

NCTCOG Offices, CPII

616 Six Flags Drive, Arlington, Texas 76011

Chair: David Kerr, City of Plano

Vice-Chair: Jack Thompson, Town of Westover Hills

1. Welcome and Introductions.

ACTION ITEMS/PRESENTATIONS

- 2. Summary of the January 31, 2017 Meeting.** The January 31, 2017 draft meeting summary is available online for your review and consideration.
- 3. Presentation by Jerry Daniel, Chief Electrical Inspector, Texas Department of Licensing and Regulations.** Mr. Daniel will be presenting the State of Texas' position on the 2017 National Electrical Code.
- 4. Approval of the 2017 National Electrical Code Regional Recommended Amendments** (Gary Jones). The Electrical Advisory Board (EAB) has completed the review of the 2017 National Electrical Code and has developed regional recommended amendments for which the EAB will be seeking approval from the Regional Codes Coordinating Committee (RCCC).
- 5. Guidance for Air Leakage Protocol** (Ed Dryden) - The Energy and Green Advisory Board (EGAB) will present the "NCTCOG Approved Methodology for Establishing Code Compliant Multifamily Residences Based on Measured Total Air Leakage Results Guidance for Code Officials, Raters, and Builders" for approval from the RCCC.
- 6. RCCC Work Program Update and Code Adoption Survey Results** – NCTCOG will present the proposed Work Program to the RCCC for approval. The results of the code adoption survey will also be presented for discussion related to the priorities included in the proposed Work Program.
- 7. Approval of Advisory Board Members for Appointment** (Ed Dryden) - The Energy and Green Advisory Board will seek approval for the appointment of Steven McPherson, Senior Plans Examiner, City of Mansfield.

DISCUSSION

- 8. Building Code Requirements** (Bruce Rachel) – Mr. Rachel will discuss requirements for elevators to have two-way communication devices for individuals with temporary and/or permanent disabilities.

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9. **Standards for Electronic Plan Submittal** (Jim Olk) – The RCCC will discuss whether or not to establish a subcommittee to review and make a recommendation regarding standards for electronic plan submittal.
10. **2015 International Residential Code (IRC) Section 313** (Bob Morgan) – Mr. Morgan will discuss the deletion of Section 313 from the 2015 IRC as recommended by the 2015 NCTCOG amendments to the IRC and the possibility of replacing it in the 2018 code review.
11. **FY2018 RCCC Reappointments and Appointments.** In May, committee members with expiring terms will receive notification that his/her term is expiring and will be provided with reappointment/nomination forms. NCTCOG will also request nominations for Chair and Vice Chair. The individuals nominated for appointment and reappointment will be brought to the RCCC for approval at the July 19, 2017 meeting.
12. **Legislative Update** – NCTCOG will provide a matrix of bills relevant to building codes filed in the current legislative session.

OTHER BUSINESS AND ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION

13. **Future Agenda Items.** The committee can request future agenda items.
14. **Roundtable Topics/Other Business.** RCCC members and NCTCOG may share additional items of interest as time allows.
15. **Schedule for the Next RCCC Meeting.** The next meeting date is scheduled for Wednesday, July 19, 2017.
16. **Adjournment.**

If you have any questions regarding the meeting or agenda items, please contact Cassidy Campbell by phone at (817) 608-2368, or by email at ccampbell@nctcog.org.

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